

Reading List 1

At St Bede's we believe that there is a book out there for everyone: if you don't enjoy reading, maybe you haven't found the right book yet. We want to help you to discover books that will fire your imagination and encourage a love of reading. The books on this list are at an appropriate level of challenge for your age but there are many books which we could not fit on this list. Please do ask your English teacher and Mrs Rademeyer for advice about what to read.

Aiken, J	The Wolves of Willoughby Chase
Ainsworth, E.	7 Days
Alcott, L. M.	Little Women series
Almond, D	The Fire Eaters; Skellig; Clay; My Name is Mina
Banks, L. R.	The Indian in the Cupboard
Bawden, N	Carrie's War
Beatty, R.	Serafina and the Black Cloak
Boyce, F	The Forgotten Coat; Framed; Millions; The Astounding Broccoli Boy
Burnett, F	A Little Princess; The Secret Garden
Cabot, M	Princess Diaries series
Caldecott, E.	Diamonds and Daggers
Carter, A.	Embassy Row series (All Fall Down; See How They Run)
Cavendish, G	Lady Grace Mysteries
Child, L	Ruby Redfort Mysteries
Christopher, Lucy	Flyaway
Cleverly, S.	The Whispers in the Walls; The Dance in the Dark; The Lost Twin
Colfer, E	Half Moon adventures; Artemis Fowl series
Cowell, C	How to Train your Dragon series
Cross, G	The Demon Headmaster
Crossan, S	One; The Weight of Water; Apple and Rain
Dahl, R	The BFG; The Witches; Matilda
Deary, T	The Fire Thief series
Delaney,	Spooks series; Arena 13; The Dark Army
D'Lacey, C	The Last Dragon Chronicles series
Doherty, B	The Company of Ghosts
Dowd, S	The London Eye Mystery
Dowsell, P	The Cabinet of Curiosities
Dunmore, H	Ingo series
Evans, L	Small Change for Stuart
Gardner, S.	The Door that led to Where
Gemin, G.R.	Cowgirl; Sweet Pizza
Gourlay, C.	Shine
Grant, M	Fear; Hunger; Plague; Gone; Lies; Light
Grey, J.	The Crow Talker (Ferals, Book 1)
Hartnett, S	The Midnight Zoo
Hegarty, S.	Darkmouth
Higgins, F	Tales from Sinister City series
Higson, C	Young James Bond Series
Hopkins, C	Mates, Dates series
Horowitz, A	Diamond Brothers series; Alex Rider Books; Power of Five series
Hughes, T	The Iron Man
Ibbotson, E	Journey to the River Sea; The Dragonfly Pool
Kwame, A.	The Crossover
LaFleur, S	Listening for Lucca; Love Aubrey
Laird, E	Crusade; Oranges in No Man's land; The Fastest Boy in the World
Lawrence, M	The Toilet of Doom
Lawrence, C	The Roman Mysteries series
Lean, S.	Harry and Hope; A Horse for Angel

Lewis, C. S.	The Narnia Series
Mayo, S	Itch
Montgomery, L. M.	Anne of Green Gables
Morpurgo, M	Kensuke's Kingdom; Born Free; Alone on the Wide Sea; Running Wild; Sparrow
Mulligan, A	Ribblestrop series
Nadin, R	Life of Riley series
Nesbit, E	Five Children and It; The Railway Children
Nimmo, J	Children of the Red King series
Norriss, A.	Jessica's Ghost
Paver, M	Chronicles of Ancient Darkness series
Philbrick, R	Freak the Mighty
Priestley, C	The Dead of Winter
Pullman, P	I was a Rat, His Dark Materials trilogy
Riordan, R	Percy Jackson series
Rowling, J. K.	Harry Potter series
Rundell, K	Rooftoppers; The Wolf Wilder
Sachar, L	Holes; The Cardturner; There's a Boy in the Girl's Bathroom; Fuzzy Mud
Sands, K.	The Blackthorn Key
Sedgwick, J	Ghosts of Shanghai
Serrallier, I	The Silver Sword
Sewell, A	Black Beauty
Shadow, N	The Midnight Library
Slater, K.	Smart
Solomons, D.	My Brother is a Superhero
Sparkes, A	Frozen In Time
Spyri, J	Heidi
Stead, R	Liar & Spy
Stevens, R.	Arsenic for Tea; First Class Murder; Jolly Foul Play
Thebo, M.	Dreaming the Bear
Tolkein, J. R. R.	The Hobbit
Ure, J	Love and Kisses; Shrinking Violet series
Walden, M	Zero Hour; Rogue
Webb, H	Rose series
White, E. B.	Charlotte's Web
Whipple, N.	Fish out of Water
Wilder, L. I.	The Little House on the Prairie series
Wilson, J	Tracy Beaker; The Bed and Breakfast Star, The Lottie Project
Zucker, J	Striker Boy