

Key Stage 4 Suggested Reading

Classics



Author

Selection of titles

Jane Austen	Emma; Sense and Sensibility; Mansfield Park; Northanger Abbey; Persuasion; Pride and Prejudice
Charlotte Bronte	Jane Eyre; Shirley; Villette
Emily Brontë	Wuthering Heights
Wilkie Collins	Moonstone; Woman in White
Joseph Conrad	Heart of Darkness; Lord Jim; Under Western Eyes
Arthur Conan Doyle	Adventures of Sherlock Holmes; Casebook of Sherlock Holmes; Red-headed League; Sign of Four; Speckled Band
George Eliot	Adam Bede; Middlemarch; Mill on the Floss; Silas Marner
Henry Fielding	Joseph Andrews and Shamela; Tom Jones
E. M. Forster	Howard's End; Maurice; Passage to India; Room With a View; Where Angels Fear to Tread
Elizabeth Gaskell	Cranford; Mary Barton; North and South
Thomas Hardy	Far from the Madding Crowd; Jude the Obscure; Mayor of Casterbridge; Tess of the d'Urbervilles
Henry James	The Bostonians; Turn of the Screw
James Joyce	Dubliners; Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man
D. H. Lawrence	Women in Love; Selected Short Stories
Edgar Allen Poe	Tales of Mystery and Terror
Mary Shelley	Frankenstein
Robert Louis Stevenson	Treasure Island; Dr. Jekyll and Mr Hyde; Kidnapped
Jonathan Swift	Gulliver's Travels
Anthony Trollope	Barchester Towers; Framley Parsonage; The Warden
Oscar Wilde	The Picture of Dorian Gray
Virginia Woolf	To the Lighthouse; Mrs Dalloway; Orlando



Modern Classics/Challenging Reads

Author

Albe, Edward
Ballard, J. G.
Banks, Iain
de Bernières, Louis
Boyne, John
Burgess, Anthony
Dostoevsky, F M
Donnelly, Jennifer
Evans, Nicholas
Faulkes, Sebastian
Frazier, Charles
Gaarder, Jostein
Golding, William
Greene, Graham
Heller, Joseph
Hines, Barry
Huxley, Aldous
Irving, John
Ishiguro, Kazuo
Kafka, Franz
Kesey, Ken
Lee, Harper
Mailer, Norman
Mantel, Hilary
Marques, Gabriel Garcia
Martel, Yann
McCourt, Frank
McEwan, Ian
McGregor, Jon
Orwell, George
Rand, Ayn
Remarque, Erich Maria
Roy, Arundhati
Rushdie, Salman
Salinger, J. D.
Singh, Simon
Sobel, Dava
Steinbeck, John

Selection of titles

Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?
Empire of the Sun
The Crow Road; The Wasp Factory
Captain Corelli's Mandolin
The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas
A Clockwork Orange
Crime and Punishment
A Gathering Light
The Horse Whisperer; The Smoke Jumper
Birdsong
Cold Mountain
Sophie's World
Lord of the Flies
Brighton Rock; The Power and the Glory; the Third Man
Catch 22
Kestrel for a Knave
Brave New World
Cider House Rules
The Remains of the Day
Metamorphosis
One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest
To Kill a Mocking Bird
The Naked and the Dead
Wolf Hall
One Hundred Years of Solitude, Love in the Time of Cholera
Life of Pi
Angela's Ashes; 'Tis
Amsterdam; Atonement; The Child in Time; Enduring Love
If Nobody Speaks of Remarkable Things
Animal Farm; 1984
The Fountainhead; Atlas Shrugged
All Quiet on the Western Front
The God of Small Things
Midnight's Children
The Catcher in the Rye
Fermat's Last Theorem
Longitude
The Pearl; Of Mice and Men



Tolkein, J. R. R.
Tolstoy, Leo
Wells, H. G.
Wyndham, John

The Hobbit; Lord of the Rings
The Death of Ivan Ilyich
Complete Short Stories; Time Machine
Day of the Triffids; Chocky; The Chrysalids

Modern/Current Issues

Author

Selection of titles

Adams, Douglas
Almond, David
Ashley, Bernard
Blackman, Malorie
Brooks, Kevin
Burgess, Melvin
Chambers, Aidan
Cormier, Robert
Couchman, J. B.
Cross, Gillian
Dahl, Roald
Diamond, Jared
Doherty, Berlie
Elton, Ben
Gibbons, Alan
Gray, Keith
Haddon, Mark
Hiçyilmaz, Gaye
Holm, Anne
Hooper, Mary
Hornby, Nick
Howarth, Lesley
Christopher, Lucy
Newbery, Linda
Perera, Anna
Pielichaty, Helena
Pierre, D B C
Picoult, Jodi
Rai, Bali
Sachar, Louis
Swindells, Robert
Syal, Meera
Voigt, Cynthia

Last Chance to See
Skelig; Almond Eyes; Kit's Wilderness
Freedom Flight; Little Soldier
Noughts and Crosses; Tell Me No Lies; Trust Me;
Martyn Pig
Junk; Bloodtide
Postcards From No Man's Land
Chocolate War; Other Bells For Us To Ring
Vampire Heart
Tightrope
Skin; Tales of the Unexpected
Guns, Germs, Steel
Dear Nobody
Various
The Dark Beneath; The Lost Boys' Appreciation Society
From Blood; Two Brothers
The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time
Girl in Red; In Flame; Pictures from the Fire
I am David
Amy; Megan; Megan 2
About a Boy; Fever Pitch; High Fidelity
Maphead; Mister Spaceman; Paulina
Stolen
The Shell House; Sisterland
Guantanamo Boy
Jade's Story; Getting Rid of Kareena; Never Ever
Vernon God Little
Various
The Crew; Rani and Sukh; (Un)arranged marriage
Holes
Dosh; Stone Cold; Smash
Anita and Me
Homecoming

Westall, Robert
Wilson, Jacqueline
Wooding, Chris
Wyman, Matt
Zephaniah, Benjamin

Love Match; Machine Gunners;
Bad Girls; The Illustrated Mum; Falling Apart
Crashing; Endgame; Kerosene
Boy Kills Man
Face; Gangsta Rap; Refugee Boy



Author

Adams, Douglas
Barker, Clive
Brooks, Kevin
Canavan, Trudi
Baxter Stephen,
Clarke, Arthur C.
Colfer, Eoin
Crichton, Michael
[http://www.loveinlightcandles.com/Tealight_lamps_and_oil_warmers/Space Ship 38019.jpg](http://www.loveinlightcandles.com/Tealight_lamps_and_oil_warmers/Space_Ship_38019.jpg)
Curley, Marianne
Donaldson, Stephen
Dickinson, John
Duane, Diane
Eddings, David
Gaiman, Neil
Rob Grant,
Hawking, Lucy & Prof
Hearn, Lian
Hobb, Robin
Hoffman, Mary
Horowitz, Anthony
Howarth, Lesley
Jaques, Brian
Jones, Dianne Wynne
Jordan, Robert
Lawhead, Stephen
Le Guin, Ursula
Mallory, James
McCaughrean, Geraldine
McKenzie, Sophie

Science Fiction/Fantasy

Selection of titles

Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy
Abarat
Being
The Magician's Apprentice series
Flux
2001: a Space Odyssey; 2061: Odyssey Three
Artemis Fowl series; The Wish List
Jurassic Park; Lost World; Prey; Next
Guardians of Time
Lord Foul's Bane; The Illearth War
The Cup of the World
Young Wizards Trilogy
Belgarath the Sorcerer; Polgara the Sorceress
Neverwhere
Backwards; Colony
George's Secret key to the Universe
Across the Nightingale Floor; Grass for his Pillow
Assassin's Apprentice; Royal Assassin
Stravaganza series
Power of 5 series
Carwash; Maphead; Paulina; The Pits
Redwall series
Crown of Danemark; Hexwood
From the Two Rivers; To the Blight
Dragon King Saga
The Earthsea quartet
Merlin
Kite Rider; The Stones are Hatching
Blood Ties



Meyer, Stephenie
Naylor, Grant
Ness, Patrick
Nicholson, William
Nix, Garth
Paolini, Christopher
Pascal, Francine
Patterson, James
Paver, Michelle
Pratchett, Terry
Pullman, Philip
Rees, Celia
Philip Reeve
Rowling, J. K
Robinson, Kim Stanley
Sedgwick, Marcus
Stroud, Jonathan
Thompson, Kate
Tilley, Patrick
Welford, Sue
Wells, H. G.

Twilight Series; The Host
 Backwards; Last Human; Red Dwarf
 The Knife of Never Letting Go
 Wind on Fire series
 Mister Monday series; Sabriel, Lirael
 Eragon Trilogy
 Fearless series
 Maximum Ride series; Daniel X; Witch & Wizard
 Chronicles of Ancient Darkness
 Jingo; Mort; Sourcery; Small Gods; Johnny and the Bomb
 Broken Bridge; Northern Lights trilogy; Clockwork
 The Bailey Game; Sorceress; Neues from the Dead
 Mortal Engines, etc
 Harry Potter series
 Red Mars; Blue Mars; Green Mars
 The Dark Horse
 Bartimaeus Trilogy
 The Switchers trilogy; Origins series
 Amtrak Wars Series
 Nowhere to Run; Out of the Blue; Secrets
 Time Machine



Humour

Author

Abdel-Fattah, Randa
Asquith, Ros
Griffiths, Andy
Gleitzman, Morris
Cabot, Meg
Davidson, Gina
Fielding, Helen
Gleitzman, Morris
Gray, Keith
Green, Julia
Jennings, Paul
MacFarlane, Aidan
McPherson, Ann
Parker, Mark F.
Rennison, Louise



Selection of Titles

Does My Head Look Big In This?
 I Was a Teenage Worrier
 Zombie Bums from Uranus
 Blabber Mouth
 Princess Diaries series
 What Treasure Did Next
 Bridget Jones Diary
 Two Weeks With the Queen
 Malarkey
 Blue Moon
 Uncanny!; Unseen!
 A New Diary of a Teenage Health Freak
 I'm a Health Freak Too
 X-Calibre
 Angus; Thongs and Full-Frontal Snogging; It's OK; I'm
 Wearing Really Big Knickers



Rushton, Rosie

Shipton, Paul

Townsend, Sue

Whytock, Cherry



How Could You Do this To Me Mum? Just Don't Make a Scene Mum; Best Friends Getting Sorted; Jessica Bug Muldoon and the Killer in the Rain
Adrian Mole series
Angel: Haggis Horrors and Heavenly Bodies

Horror



Author

Cole, Stephen

Herbert, James

King, Stephen

Pike, Christopher

Sedgewick, Marcus

Shan, Darren

Shelley, Mary

Westall, Robert

Shearer, Alex

Stine, R L



Selection of titles

The Wereling: Wounded; The Wereling: Prey; The Wereling: Retribution
Ghosts of Sleath; '48
Bag of Bones; Christine; Dolores Claiborne; Rose Madder
Last Vampire series
My Swordhand is singing
Saga of Darren Shan: Vampire series
Frankenstein
Shades of Darkness
The Hunted; The Lost
Goosebumps series

Languages Fiction

Author

Pagnol

Verne, Jules

Nemirovsky, Irene

Allende, Isabel

Marques, Gabriel Garcia

Frank, Anne

Translations of various popular fiction into French and German

Selection of Titles

Jean de Florette, Manon des Sources
Vingt Mille Lieues sous les Mers
Suite Francaise
The House of Spirits
Love in the Time of Cholera; One Hundred Years of Solitude
The Diary of Anne Frank/Anne Frank Tagebuch



CRIME/THRILLER/WAR/ADVENTURE

Author

Christie, Agatha
Clancy, Tom
Clark, Mary Higgins
Cornwell, Bernard
Cussler, Clive
Dexter, Colin
Doyle, Arthur Conan
Francis, Dick
Gilman, David
Grisham, John
Guterson, David
Harris, Robert
Harris, Thomas
Higson, Charlie
Horowitz, Anthony
James, P. D.
Nix, Garth
Rankin, Ian
Rendell, Ruth
Rose, Malcolm
Ryan, Chris
Seymour, Gerald
Shearer, Alex
Walters, Minette
Yorke, Margaret
Pullman, Philip

Selection of titles

various
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Remember Me; We'll Meet Again
Sharpe series
Flood Tide; Iceberg; Inca Gold; Raise the Titanic
Daughters of Cain; The Dead of Jericho; Last Seen Wearing
The Mystery of Cloomber
Banker; Bolt; Come to Grief; Field of 113; High Stakes
Ice Claw
The Brethren; The Chamber; Rainmaker; Time to Kill
Snow Falling on Cedars
Enigma; Fatherland
Hannibal; Red Dragon; Silence of the Lambs
Young Bond series; The Enemy
Alex Rider series; Diamond Brother series
Death in Holy Orders; Devices and Desires
Cherub series
Black and Blue; The Falls; Knots and Crosses
Going Wrong; Heartstones
Concrete Evidence; Breathing Fear; Lawless and Tilley
Alpha-Force; the Hit List
Traitor's Kiss; Rat run
Bootleg
The Breaker; the Dark Room; the Sculptress
Admit to Murder; Hand of Death
various



Romance

Author

Dunbar, Fiona
Esquivel, Laura
Rennison, Louise
Freer, Echo
Kinsella, Sophie
Rayban, Chloë
Rix, Jamie

Shepard, Sara
Ure, Jean
Whitcomb, Laura



Selection of Titles

The Truth Cookie
Like Water for Chocolate
Georgia Nicholson series
Blaggers
Shopaholic series
Terminal Chic
Johnny Casanova: the Unstoppable Sex Machine;
The Changing Face of Johnny Casanova
Pretty little Liars
Just Sixteen; Love is Forever
A Certain Slant of Light



Autobiography

Author

Roald Dahl
Gerald Durrell
Anne Frank
Kelly Holmes
Amir Khan
Laurie Lee
Nelson Mandela
Frank McCourt
Monty Panesar
Dave Pelzer
Robbie Williams
Frank Lampard
Billie Piper
Steven Gerrard
Peter Kay



Selection of titles

Boy: Tales of Childhood
My Family and Other Animals
Diary of Anne Frank
Black, White & Gold
A Boy from Bolton
Cider with Rosie
Long Walk to Freedom
Angela's Ashes; 'Tis
Monty's Turn
A Child Called 'it'; Lost Boy; Man Named Dave
Feel
Totally Frank
Growing Pains
Gerrard My Autobiography
The Sound of Laughter



Travel



Author

Selection of titles

Bill Bryson

Lost Continent; Neither Here Nor There; Notes From a Small Island

Tony Hawks

One Hit Wonderland; Playing the Moldovans at Tennis; Round Ireland With a Fridge

Jools Holland

Beat Route

Michael Palin

Pole to Pole; Full Circle

Janet Street-Porter

Coast to Coast



Sports Fiction

Author

Selection of Titles

Dominic Barker

Sharp Shot

Ben Bo

Burn Out; The Edge; Skullcrack

Tim Bowler

Shadows

Narinder Dhami

Bend it like Beckham

Helen Flint

Not Just Dancing

Catherine Forde

Fat Boy Swim

Alan Gibbons

Divided We Fall

Michael Hardcastle

Mascot; Hooked; Racing to Win; Free Kick

David Hill

Kick Back

Nick Hornby

Fever Pitch

Takeshi Maekawa

Kung Fu Boy

Bette Paul

Becca's Race

Mal Peet

Keeper

Diane Redmond

United!

James Riordan

Young Oxford Book of Football Stories

Rosie Rushton

Break Point

Cynthia Voigt

The Runner

Nicholas Walker

Crackling Ice; Skating on the Edge

