



Recommended Reading Lists

KS3 Subject Specific Reading Lists



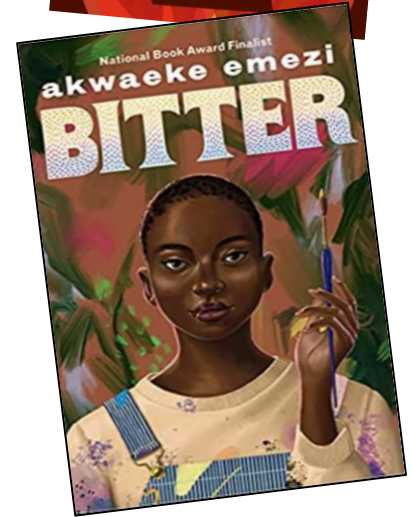
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Recommended Reading List: KS3 English Reading List



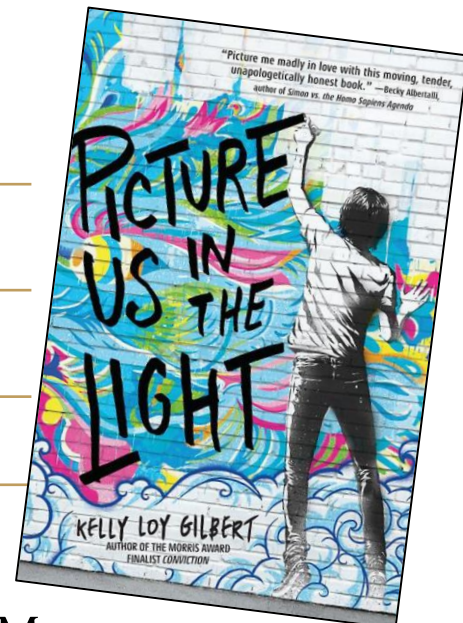
Author	Book Title
Jandy Nelson	I'll Give You the Sun
Ray Bradbury	Fahrenheit 451
Diana Renn	Tokyo Heist
Lois Lowring	Gathering Blue
L. M. Elliott	Da Vinci's Tiger
Wendy Heard	She's Too Pretty to Burn
Donna Tartt	The Goldfinch
Akwaeke Emezi	Bitter
Blue Balliett	Chasing Vermeer



Fancy a more challenging read (KS4 level)?

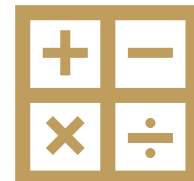
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Author	Book Title
Jessica S. Olson	A Forgery of Roses
Kelly Lou Gilbert	Picture Us in the Light
Joy McCullough	Blood, Water, Paint

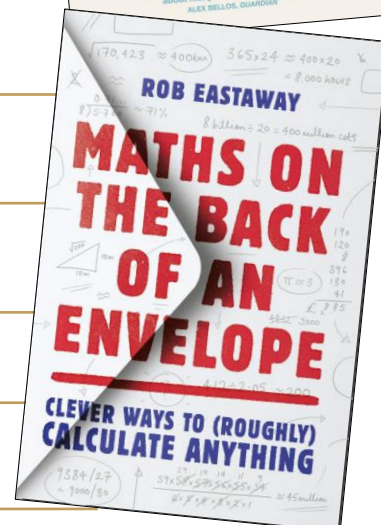
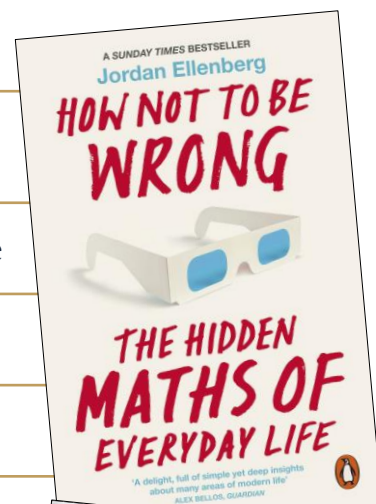




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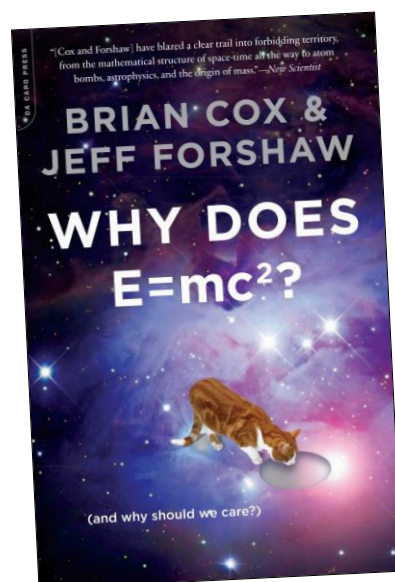
Author	Book Title
Jordan Ellenberg	How Not To Be Wrong (The Hidden Maths of Everyday Life)
Rob Eastaway	Maths on the Back of an Envelope
William Hartston	Numb and Number
Robert Kanigel	The Man Who Knew Infinity
Rob Eastaway	How Many Socks Make a Pair
Sally Harris	Double Felix
Steve Mills	A Maths Journey Around the Wonders of the World
John Townsend	Never Odd or Even (Poems)
Sally Harris	Grace Hopper: The Woman Behind Computer Programming



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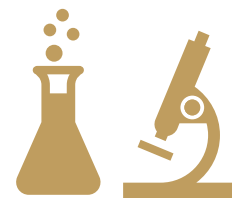
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Brian Cox and Jeff Forshaw	Why Does E=mc Squared?
Simon Singh	The Simpsons and their Mathematical Secrets
Matt Parker	Humble Pi

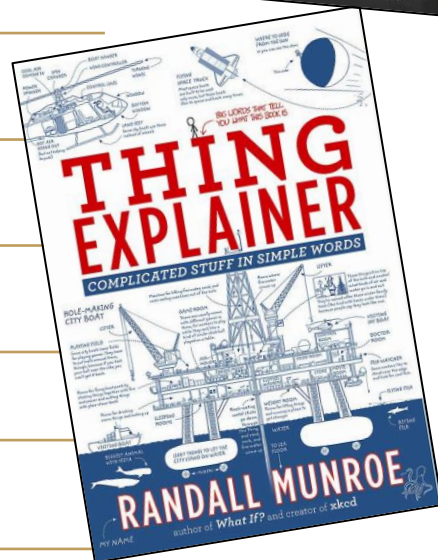
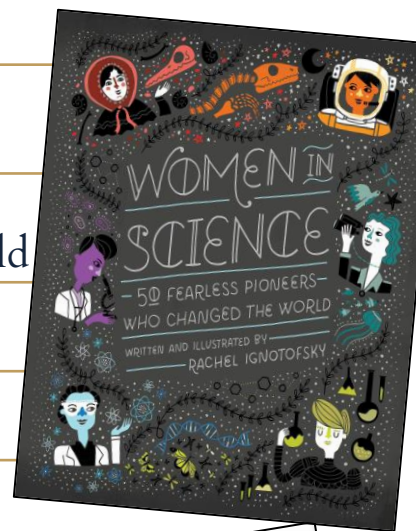




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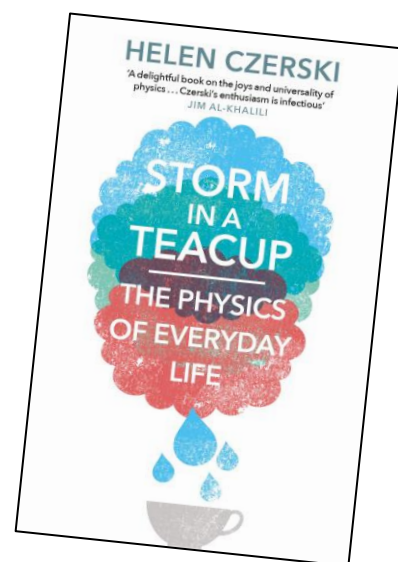
Author	Book Title
William Kamkwamba	The Boy who Harnessed the Wind
Rachel Ignatofsky	Women in Science: 50 Fearless Pioneers who changed the world
Sam Kean	The Disappearing Spoon
Various	Horrible Science Series
David Attenborough	A Life on Our Planet
Harriet Rohmer	Heroes of the Environment
Randall Munroe	Thing Explainer
Richard Feynman	Six Easy Pieces
Carla Mooney	The Chemistry of Food
Stephen and Lucy Hawking	Unlocking the Universe



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Bill Bryson	Short History of Everything
Isaac Asimov	Foundation Series
Helen Czerski	Storm in a teacup

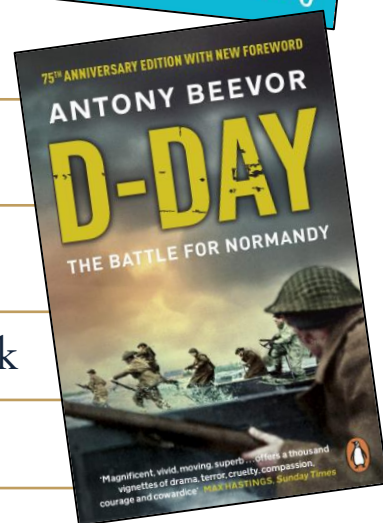
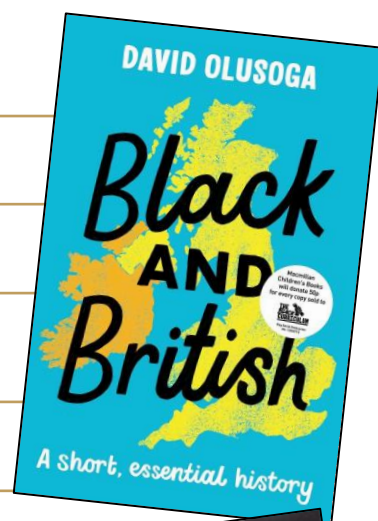




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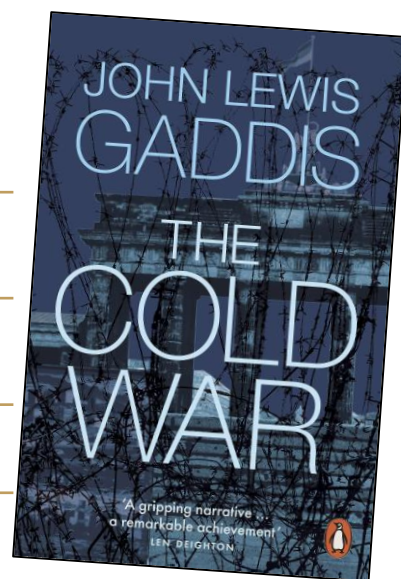
Author	Book Title
Rosemary Sutcliff	Knight's Fee
Tony Bradman	Anglo Saxon Boy
Ian Mortimer	Time Travellers Guide to Medieval England
Emma Griffin	Liberty's Dawn
David Olusoga	Black and British
Fern Riddell	Death in Ten Minutes
Helen Pankhurst	Deeds Not Words
Sinclair McKay	The Secret Life of Bletchley Park
Anthony Beevor	D-Day



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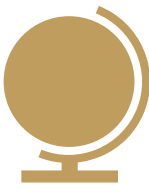
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Marc Morris	The Norman Conquest
John Lewis Gaddis	The Cold War
Mark Galeotti	A Short History of Russia

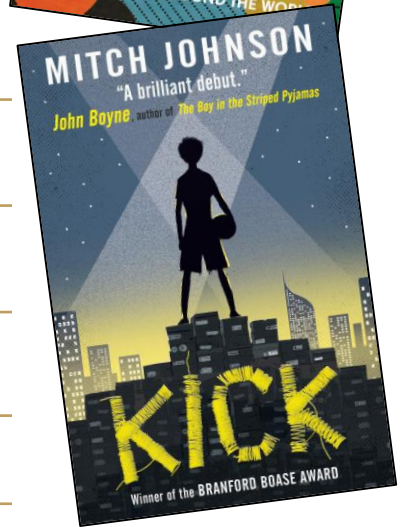
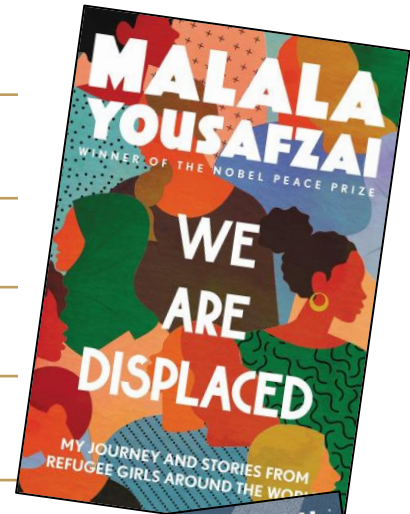




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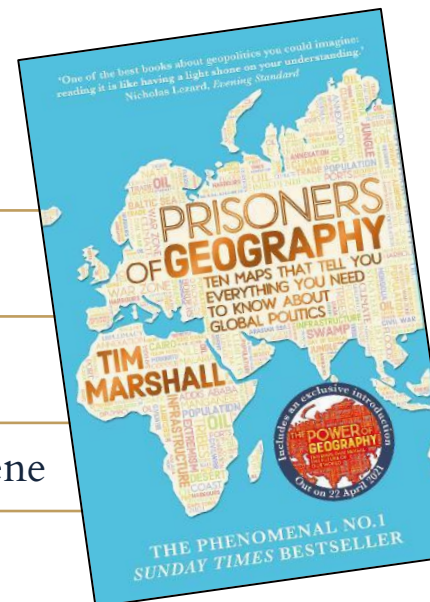
Author	Book Title
Alastair Humphreys	The Boy Who Cycled the World
Malala Yousafza	We Are Displaced
King Charles III	Climate Change
Benjamin Zephaniah	Refugee Boy
Mitch Johnson	Kick
Bear Grylls	Bear Grylls Adventures
Katherine Rundell	Wolf Wilder
Mike Berners-Lee	How Bad Are Bananas?
Mike Gould	Race to the Pole



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Dharshini David	The Almighty Dollar
Tim Marshall	Prisoners of Geography
Gaia Vince	Adventures in the Anthropocene

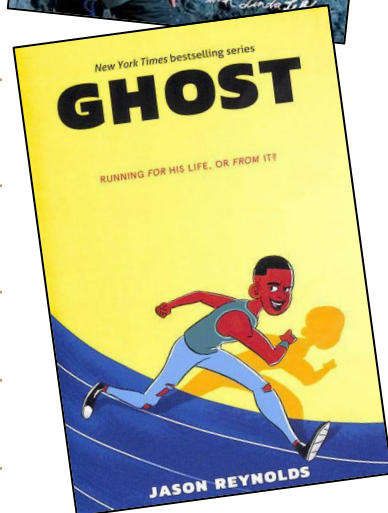




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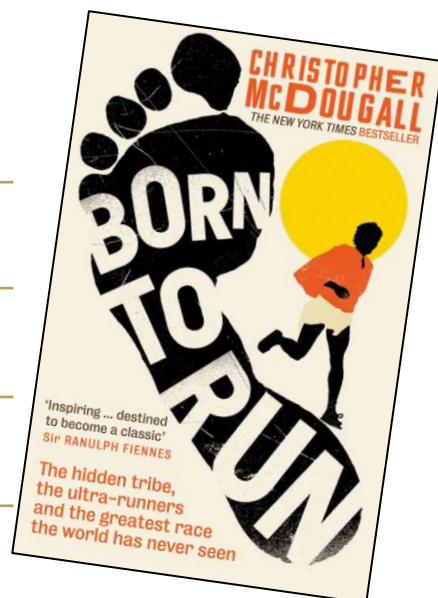
Author	Book Title
Gregory Zuckerman	Rising Above
Joan Bauer	Soar
Jordan Romeo	No Summit out of Sight
Nick Hornby	Fever Pitch
Narinder Dhani	Bend it like Beckham
Harry Coninx	Tales from the Pitch
Jason Reynolds	TRACK Series: Ghost, Sunny, Lu, Patina.
Marcus Rashford	You Can Do It
Dan Freedman	Unstoppable



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George Kimball	Four Kings
Christopher McDougall	Born to Run
Daniel James Brown	The Boys in the Boat

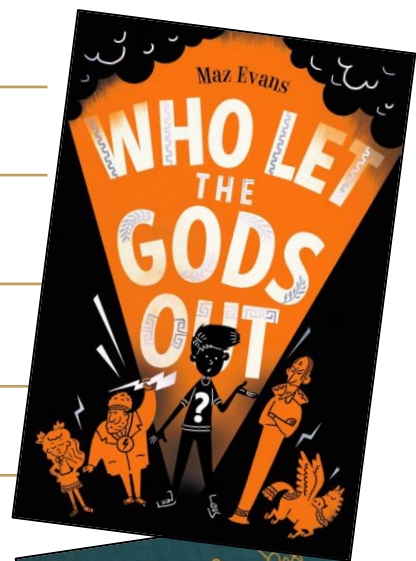




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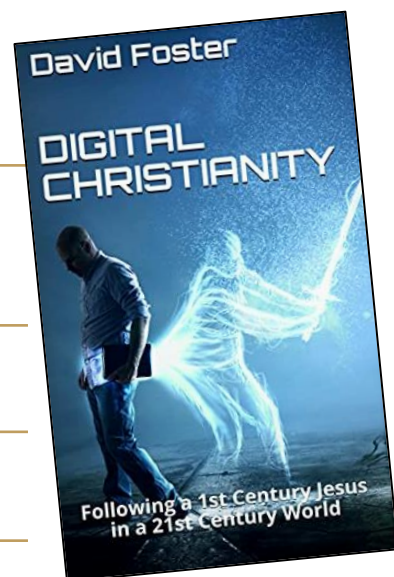
Author	Book Title
Maz Evans	Who let the Gods out?
Alain De Botton, Anna Doherty	Big Ideas for Curious minds: An Introduction to Philosophy
R.N. Jackson	Mr Pig and Mr Rat discuss this and that
C.S. Lewis	The Magician's Nephew
C.S. Lewis	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe
His Holiness the Dalai Lama	The Art of Happiness
Philip West	Just Think: Philosophy Puzzles for Children Aged 9 to 90
Tom Hoyle	Thirteen
Louie Stowell	Loki: A Bad God's Guide to Being Good



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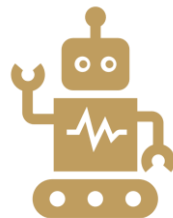
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David Foster	Digital Christianity: Following a 1st century Jesus in a 21st century world
Karen Armstrong	Islam: A Short History
S. Hawking and L. Mlodinow	The Grand Design

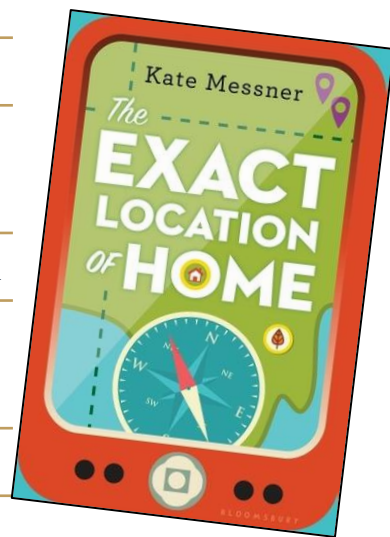




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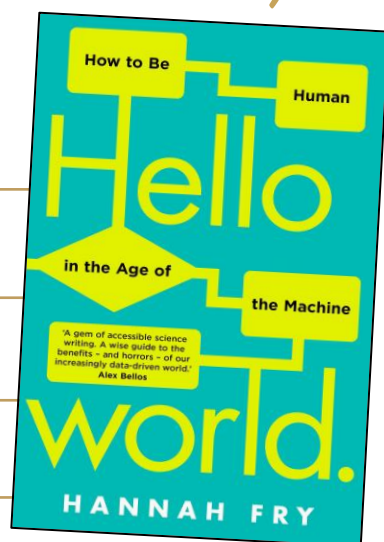
Author	Book Title
Shari Eskenas	A Day in Code: Python
Michael Lee Richardson	The Extraordinary Life of Alan Turing
William Lau	Computer Science Colouring Book
Max Wainewright	Design, Animate, and Create with Computer Graphics
Trent Reedy	Gamer Army
Lisa Bunker	Zenobia July
Kate Messner	The Exact Location of Home
Max Wainewright	How to Code: A Step-By-Step Guide to Computer Programming
Meg Ray	Code This Game!
Carrie Anne Philbin	Adventures in Raspberry Pi
Chris Roffey	Coding Club Python Basics
Carol Vorderman	Computer Coding Games For Kids



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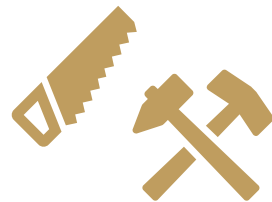
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Ernest Cline	Ready Player One
E.C. Myers	Silence of Six
Hannah Fry	Hello World: How to be a Human in the Age of the Machine

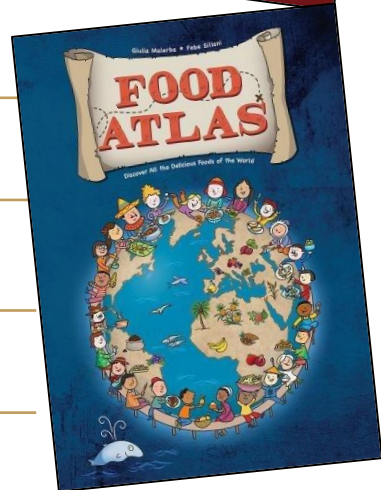
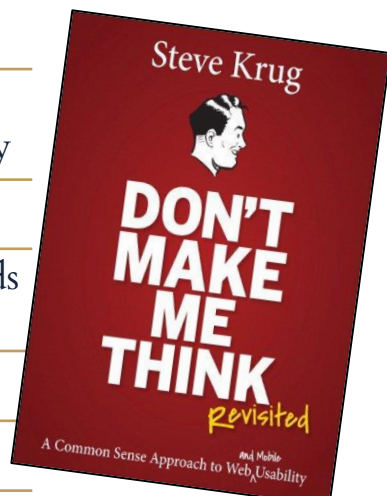




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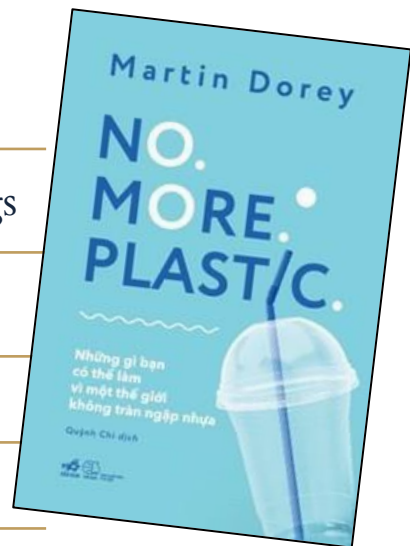
Author	Book Title
Steve Krug	Don't Make Me Think, Revisited: A Common Sense Approach to Web Usability
Donald Norman	The Design of Everyday Things
Giulia Malerba	Food Atlas: Discover All the Delicious Foods of the World
Robert Sabuda	Cookie Count: A Tasty Pop-up
Senongo Akpem	Cross-Cultural Design
Leander Kahney	Jony Ive: The Genius Behind Apple's Greatest Products
Catherine McDermott	Design Museum: Contemporary Design: Classics of Modern Design
Laura Gladwin	Feast Your Eyes on Food: A Food Encyclopedia
DK	The Vegetarian Cookbook: More than 50 Recipes for Young Cooks
Winsome Bingham	Soul Food Sunday



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Don Norman	The Design of Everyday Things
Martin Dorey	No More Plastic
Mark Miodownik	Stuff Matters
Seetal Solanki	Why Materials Matter

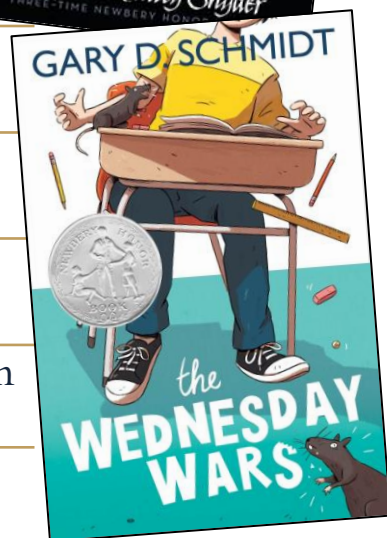
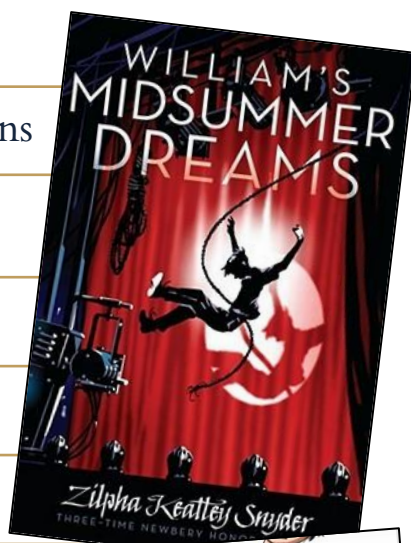




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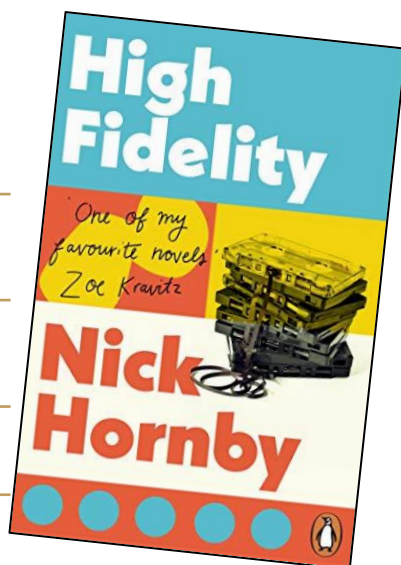
Author	Book Title
Laurie Allen	Thirty short comedy plays for teens
Zilpha Keatley Snyder	William's Midsomer Dreams
Sharon Creech	Replay
Gary D. Schmidt	The Wednesday Wars
Michelle Magorian	Impossible!
Tony Bradman	Mater Will and the Spanish Spy
Todd Muffatti	Creative and Successful Set Designs
Dierdre Clancy	Designing Costume for Stage and Screen
Kate Dorney and Frances Gray	Played in Britain: Modern Theatre in 100 Plays
Deborah Underwood	Staging a Play



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Author	Book Title
Adam Abraham	Attack of the Monster Musical
JB Priestley	The Good Companions
Nick Hornby	High Fidelity

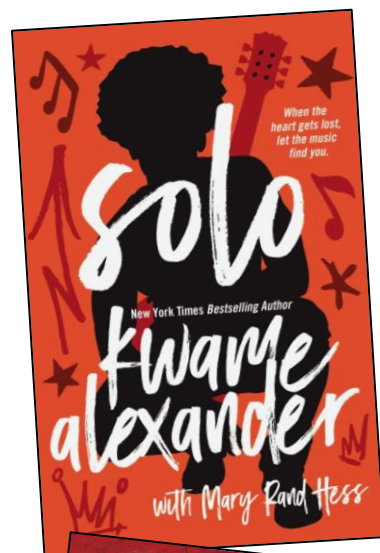




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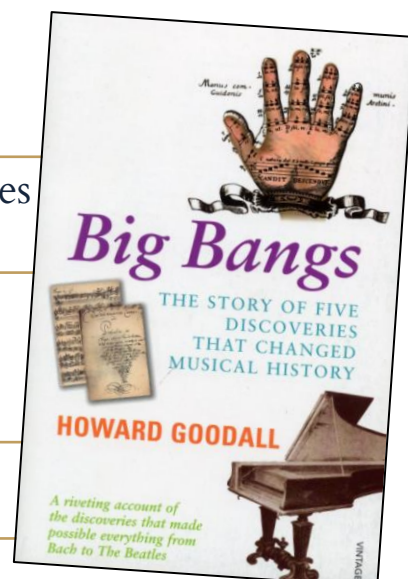
Author	Book Title
Kwame Alexander	Solo
Maria Farrer	Broken Strings
Siobham Curham	Don't Stop Thinking About Tomorrow
Robert Muchamore	Rock War
Angie Thomas	On the Come Up
Rob Baker	50 Things You Should Know About Music
Joe Fullman	The Ultimate Guide to Music
Matt Aniss	The Music Scene Series
Debbie Foy	Black History Makers: Musicians



Fancy a more challenging read (KS4 level)?

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Author	Book Title
Howard Goodall	Big Bangs: The Story of Five Discoveries That Changed Musical History
Henley and Jackson	Everything You Wanted to Know About Classical Music but Were Too Afraid to Ask
Vikram Seth	An Equal Music

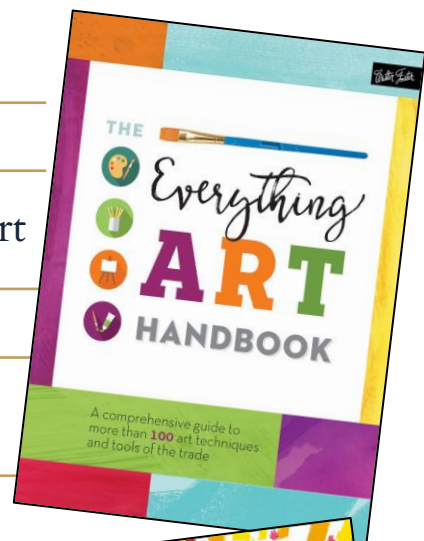




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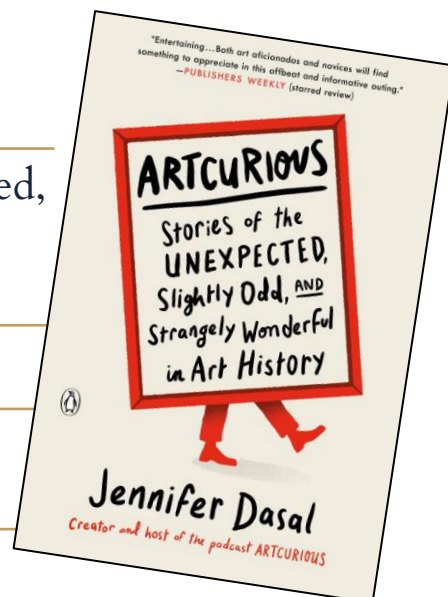
Author	Book Title
Walter Foster	The Everything Art Handbook
Claudia Stauble & Julie Kiefer	Paintings That Revolutionized Art
Cathy Brett	Graphic
Anthony Horowitz	Killer Camera
Frank Cottrell Boyce	Framed
Jenny Valentine	Fire Colour One
Lucia Vinti	The Looking Book: Get inspired - see the world like an artist!
Catherine Baker	Look up! Look down! Look around you!
Kenneth Oppe	Inkling
Steve Cole	Magic Ink



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Author	Book Title
Jennifer Dasal	Artcurious: Stories of the Unexpected, Slightly Odd, and Strangely Wonderful in Art History
DK	The Illustrated Story of Art
Tracey Chevalier	Girl with a Pearl Earring

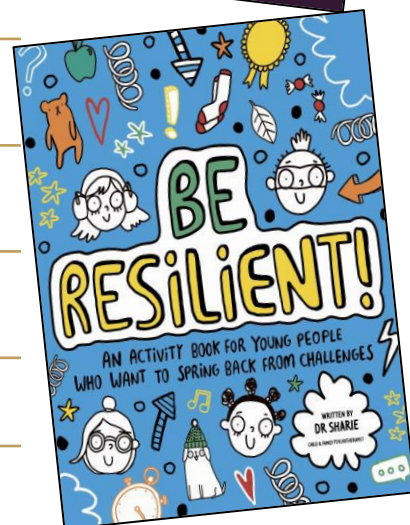
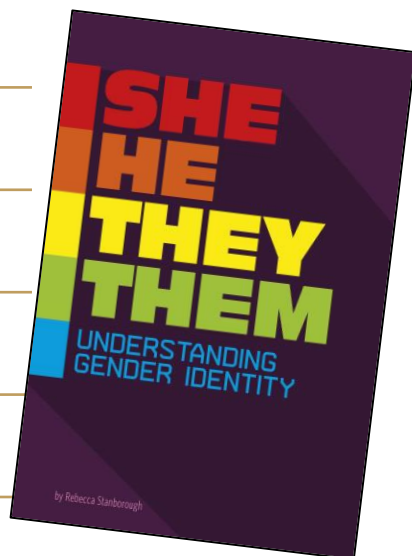




Recommended Reading List: KS3 PSHE Reading List



Author	Book Title
Rebecca Stanborough	She He They Them Understanding Gender Identity
Dr Sharie Coombes & Katie Abey	Be Resilient!
Holmes, Margaret and Pillo, Cary	A Terrible Thing Happened
Christine Winn	Clover's Secret: Helping Kids Cope with Domestic Abuse
Eric Carle	The Bad-tempered Ladybird
Kerry Lee	Moody Cow Meditates
Robert Skutch	Who's in a Family?
Bre Indigo and Rey Terceiro	Meg, Jo, Beth, and Amy
Gengoroh Tagame	My Brother's Husband
Ryan Douglass	The Taking of Jake Livingston



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Holly Bourne	The Places I've Cried in Public
Robin DiAngelo	White Fragility: Why It's So Hard for White People to Talk About Racism
Kelly Jensen	[Don't] Call Me Crazy

