

Year 7 Reading List

Adventure/Crime/Thriller

Alex Ryder Series – Anthony Horowitz
Lion Boy – Zouzou Corder
The Thief Lord – Cornelia Funke
Alpha Force Series – Chris Ryan
Emil and the Detectives – E Kastner
The London Eye Mystery – S Dowd
The Young Bond series – C Higgins
The Baker Street Mysteries – T Piggott-Smith
The Ice Cream Con – Jimmy Docherty
♥ Skateboard Power – Jonny Zucker
Dead Man Talking – Carol Hedges
♥ Watcher – Lee Weatherly
Meltdown – Andy McNab
Invisible City – M G Harris
♥ Gun Dog – Peter Lancett

Fantasy/Horror

The Wolves of Willoughby Chase – Joan Aiken
Stravaganza: City of Masks – Mary Hoffman
Ink Heart Trilogy – Cornelia Funke
Artemis Fowl – Eoin Colfer
A Series of Unfortunate Events – Lemony Snicket
The Spiderwick Chronicles – Tony di Terlizzi & Holly Black
The Wind of Fire Trilogy – William Nicholson
Harry Potter Series – J K Rowling
Narnia Series – C S Lewis
The Edge Chronicles – Stewart & Riddell
The Doomspell Trilogy – C McNish
The Secret of Platform 13 – E Ibbotson
Monster Mission – E Ibbotson
Bridge to Terabithia – K Paterson
A Wrinkle in Time – M L'Engle
The Indian in the Cupboard – L Reid Banks
Mrs Frisby and the Rats of Nimh - R C O'Brien
Matilda – R Dahl
The Phantom Tollbooth – N Juster
Percy Jackson series – Rick Riordan
Werewolf versus Dragon – The Beastly Boys

Biography/Autobiography

Diary of Anne Frank
When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit – Judith Kerr
Boy – R Dahl

Science Fiction

Ship Between the Worlds – J Golding
George's Secret Key to the Universe – Lucy Hawking and Stephen Hawking
The Roar – Emma Clayton
I am Number Four – Pittacus Love

History/Current Affairs

Goodnight Mr Tom – Michelle Magorian

Roman Mysteries – Caroline Lawrence
Carrie's War – Nina Bawden
Jupiter Williams – SI Martin
The Boy in Striped Pyjamas – J Boyne
Remembrance – T Breslin
Kensuke's Kingdom – Michael Morpurgo
I am David – A Holm
The Silver Sword – I Serrailier
The Amazing Story of Adolphus Tips – M Morpurgo
Oranges in No Man's Land – E Laird

Different Cultures

The Garbage King – Elizabeth Laird
Ties that Bind, Ties that Break – L Namioka
Journey to the River Sea – Eva Ibbotson
Haroun and the Sea of Stories – S Rushdie

General

I was a Rat – P Pullman
The Dragonfly Pool – E Ibbotson
The Princess Diaries – M Cabot
Ready or Not – M Cabot
Jinx – M Cabot
Noughts & Crosses – M Blackman
Pig Heart Boy – M Blackman
Thief – M Blackman
Madame Doubtfire – A Fine
Mates, Dates and Sole Survivors – C Hopkins
Saffy's Angels – H Mckay
Caddy Ever After – H Mckay
Vicky Angel – J Wilson
The Story of Tracey Beaker – J Wilson
Little Darlings – J Wilson
Stig of the Dump – C King
Lost Riders – E Laird
Sundae Girl – Cathy Cassidy
Big Numbers – M Morrison (*non-fiction*)
Big Questions – M Morrison (*non-fiction*)
Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing – J Blume
The Truth about Leo – D Yelland
Charlotte's Web – E B White
Sideways Stories from Wayside School – L Sachar

Classics

The Railway Children – E Nesbit
The Phoenix and the Carpet – E Nesbit
The Midnight Folk – J Masefield
The Wizard of Oz – F L Baum
Jungle Book – R Kipling