

Year 8 Reading List

Adventure/Crime/Thriller

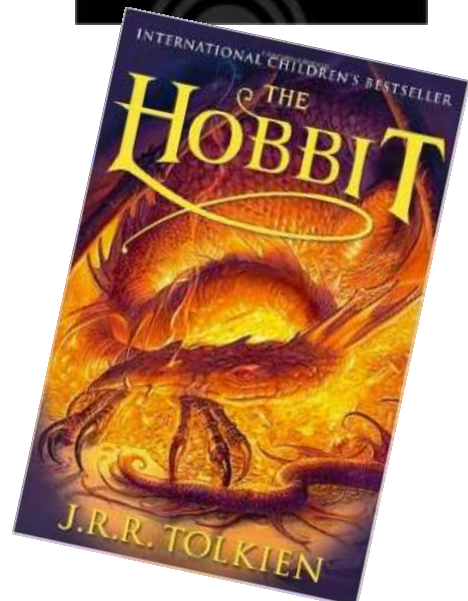
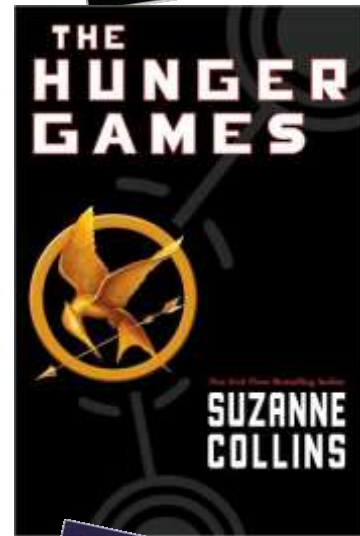
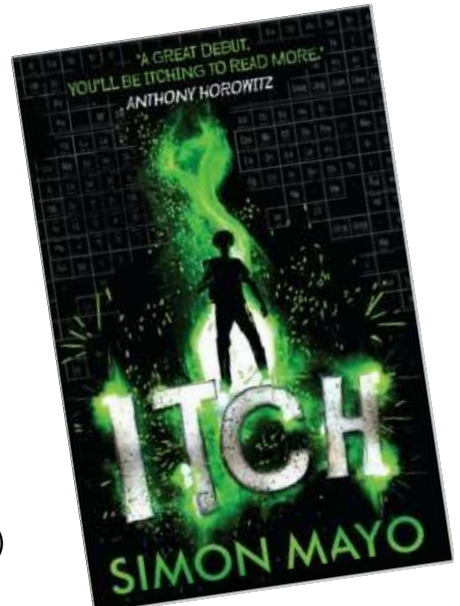
Itch series by Simon Mayo
The Ruby in the Smoke (Sally Lockhart series) by P Pullman
Montmorency by E Updale
Revolver by M Sedgwick
Airman by E Colfer
Chaos Unleashed by J Highfield
Bunker 10 by J A Henderson
The Bone Room by A Cassidy
Flip by Martyn Bedford

Fantasy/Horror

My Love Lies Bleeding by Alyxandra Harvey
Hunger Games series by Suzanne Collins
Savage Kingdom by Simon Eden
More than This by Patrick Ness (Ashcroft Winner of Carnegie Award 2015)
The Fury by Alexander Gordon Smith
His Dark Materials Trilogy by Philip Pullman
The Hobbit by JRR Tolkien
The Earthsea Quartet by Ursula Le Guin
The Ghost of Thomas Kempe by P Lively
Discworld Series by T Pratchett
Eragon by C Paolini
Eldest by C Paolini
Lord of the Rings Trilogy by JRR Tolkien
The Invisible Friends Series by L Arnold
Tanglewreck by J Winterson
Marianne Dreams by M Storr
The Mirror Image Ghost by M Storr
The Worlds of Chrestomanci series by D WynnebyJones
The Homeward Bounders by D WynnebyJones
Cirque du Freak by D Shan
My Swordhand is Swinging by M Sedgwick
Kiss of Death by M Sedgwick
Blood Red Snow White by M Sedgwick
Mortal Engines Series by P Reeve
Furnace Series by A G Smith
The Medusa Project by S McKenzie
Society of S by S Hubbard
Lizzie Dripping Series by H Cresswell
The Haunting by M Mahy
Mirror Dreams/Mirror Wakes by C Webb
Seeker by C Tiernan
Pendragon Series by D J MacHale
Maximum Ride by J Patterson
A Monster Calls by Patrick Ness

Biography/Autobiography

It's Not About the Bike by L Armstrong
Diary of an Unteenager by P Johnson
Gervelie's Journey: A Refugee Diary by A Robinson & A Young



Science Fiction

Carbon Diaries 2015 by S Lloyd
The Time Machine by H G Wells
The War of the Worlds by H G Wells
Gone series by M Grant
Chaos Walking Trilogy by P Ness
Flip by M Bedford
Flood Child by E Diamand
Uglies quartet by S Westerfield
Journey to the Centre of the Earth by J Verne
Time of the Reaper Trilogy by A Butcher

History/Current Affairs

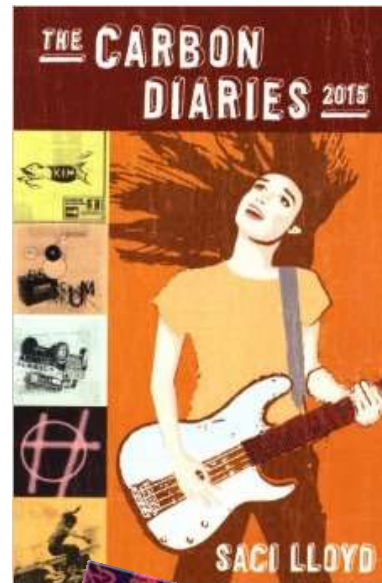
Red Leaves by Sita Brahmachari
Poppy by Mary Hooper
I am the Great Horse by K Roberts
Kiss the Dust by E Laird
A Little Piece of Ground by E Laird
Here Lies Arthur by P Reeve
Tiger, Tiger by L Reid Banks
Pompeii by R Harris
'My Story' series
Petals in the Ashes by M Hooper
No Shame, No Fear by A Turnbull
Coram Boy by J Gavin
The Memory Cage by R Eastman
Once by M Gleitzman
Revolution is Not a Dinner Party by Y C Compestine
Prisoner of the Inquisition by T Breslin
The Bride's Farewell by M Rosoff
Wonder by RJ Palacio
Saving Daisy by Phil Earle
Quarry by Ally Kennen
Auslander by Paul Dowswell
Annexed by Sharon Dogar
Between Shades of Grey by Ruta Sepetys

Different Cultures

Chinese Cinderella by A Yen Mah
Rice Without Rain by M Ho
Chains by L H Anderson
Lost Riders by E Laird
The Kite Rider by G McCaughrean
Shadow by Michael Morpurgo
Everybody Jam by Ali Lewis
Trash by Andy Mulligan

General

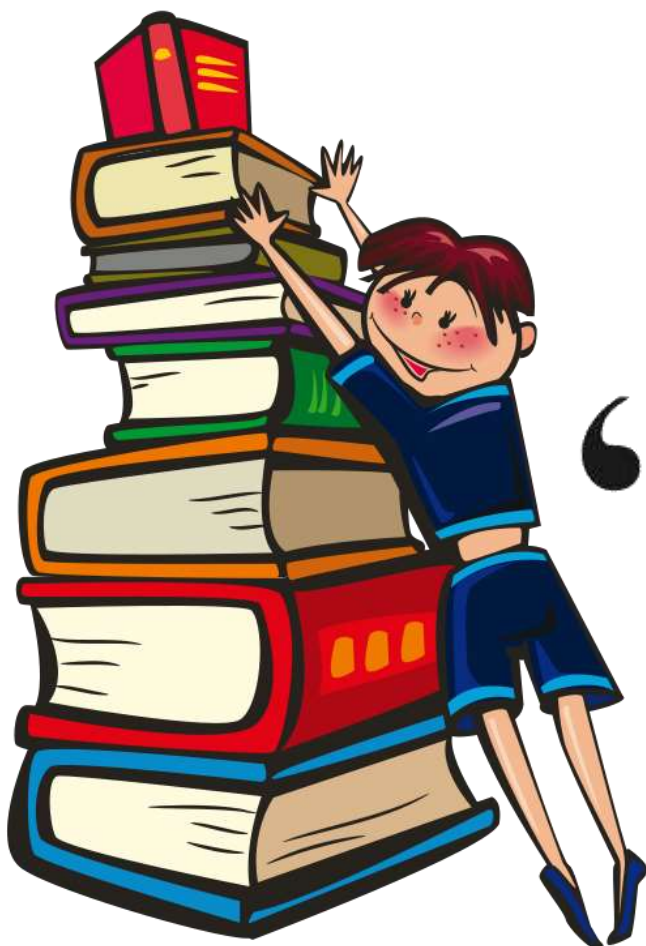
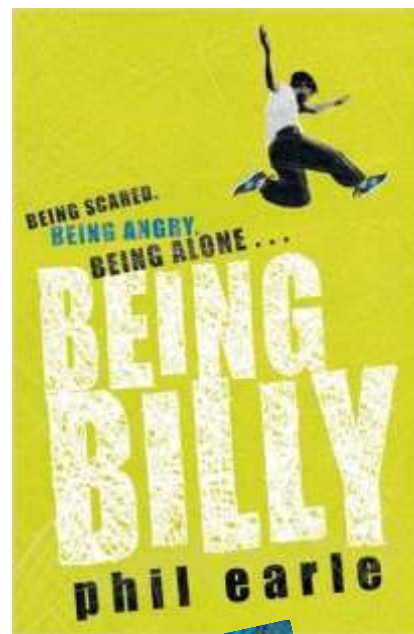
The Year of the Rat by Clare Furniss
Sweet Honey by Cathy Cassidy
Geek Girl series by Holly Smale (FAB Award Shortlist 2015)
Don't Even Think About It by Sarah Mlynowski (FAB Award Shortlist 2015)
Feather Boy by N Singer
White Crow by M Sedgwick
Grace by M Gleitzman



Being Billy by P Earle
Jackdaw Summer by D Almond
The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole by S Townsend
I, Coriander by S Gardner
The Mouse and His Boy by R Hoban
Kiss the Dust by E Laird
My Family and Other Animals by G Durrell
Predator's Gold by Philip Reeve
The Illustrated Mum by J Wilson
Rowan the Strange by J Hearn
Walkabout by J. Vance Marshall
Breathing Underwater by J Green
Framed by F Cottrell-Boyce
Beautiful Dead Series by E Maguire
The Stone Book Diaries by A Garner
Life Interrupted by D Kelleher

Classics

Gulliver's Travels by J Swift
Treasure Island by R L Stevenson
A Christmas Carol by C Dickens
Swiss Family Robinson by J D Weis
The Hound of the Baskervilles by A C Doyle
Little Women by Louisa May Alcott



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The book to read is not the one that thinks for you but the one which makes you think.

Harper Lee

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