WSP Reading Lists



The following lists will give you some fantastic ideas about what to read next

At KS3:

Y7: Year 7 Reading List Y8: Year 8 Reading List Y9: Year 9 Reading List

At KS4:

Y10: Year 10 Reading List Y11: Year 11 Reading List

At KS5:

Y12/Y13: Year 12/13 Reading List

In addition, for those students who are looking to stretch themselves by tackling more challenging texts, we recommend the following:

Classics

Louisa May Alcott-Little Women

Jane Austen- Pride and Prejudice

Charlotte Bronte- Jane Eyre

Emily Bronte- Wuthering Heights

Charles Dickens- A Tale of Two Cities

Graham Greene- The Quiet American and The Third Man and Our Man in Havana

Laurie Lee- Cider with Rosie

Daphne Du Maurier-Rebecca

F Scott Fitzgerald- The Great Gatsby

Harper Lee- To Kill A Mocking Bird

George Orwell- Nineteen Eighty-Four

Arthur Ransome- Swallows and Amazons

J D Salinger- The Catcher in the Rye

Autobiography

Maya Angelou- I Know Why The Caged Bird Sings

Vera Brittain- Testament of Youth

Frank McCourt- Angela's Ashes

Lorna Sage- Bad Blood

James D Watson- The Double Helix

Modern Fiction

Douglas Adams- Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy

Cecilia Aherne- If You Could See Me Now

Kate Atkinson- Behind the Scenes at the Museum

Pat Barker- Regeneration

Bernard Beckett – Genesis

Malorie Blackman- The Stuff of Nightmares

Ann Brashares- I Am Memory

Melvin Burgess- Junk

Albert Camus- The Outsider

Raymond Chandler- The Big Sleep

Stephen Chbosky- The Perks of Being a Wallflower

Tom Clancy- Command Authority

Joseph Conrad- Heart of Darkness Robert Cormier- After the First Death

Emma Donoghue- Stirfry

Fyodor Dostoevsky- Notes from Underground

Roddy Doyle- Paddy Clarke Ha Ha Ha!

Sebastian Faulks-Birdsong

Ian Fleming- From Russia With Love

Alan Garner- Owl Service

Philippa Gregory- The Other Boleyn Girl

Paula Hawkins- The Girl on the Train

Ernest Hemmingway- The Old Man and the Sea

Robin Horsfall- Fighting Scared

Nick Hornby- About A Boy and Fever Pitch

Khalid Hosseini- A Thousand Splendid Suns

Richard Hughes- A High Wind in Jamaica

Kasuo Ishiguro- Never Let Me Go

M.R James- Collected Ghost Stories

Robert Ludlum- The Bourne Identity

Yann Martel- The Life of Pi

Andy McNab- Recoil

David Nicholls- One Day

Jean Rhys- Wide Sargasso Sea

Chris Ryan- Bravo Two Zero

Bernhard Schlink- The Reader

John Steinbeck- The Moon is Down

Katherine Stockett- The Help

Sue Townsend- The Queen and I

Sarah Waters- The Little Stranger

Evelyn Waugh- Decline and Fall

Tim Winton- Cloud Street

Marcus Zusack- The Book Thief and I am Messenger

Graphic novels

Neil Gaiman- The Sandman

Alan Moore- From Hell and V is for Vendetta

Art Spigelman- Maus

Poetry

Carol Ann Duffy- The Bees and Meantime

T.S. Eliot: Selected Poems.

Frank O'Hara: Selected Poems

Sylvia Plath: Selected Poems

Rosemary Tonks: Selected Poems