

Gothic / Mystery & Suspense/ Thriller



- The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde and Other Tales of Terror – Robert Louis Stevenson
- Dracula – Bram Stoker
- The Turn of the Screw – Henry James
- Footsteps in the Dark – Georgette Heyer (or any mysteries)
- In the Teeth of Evidence – Dorothy L. Sayers (Lord Peter Wimsey novels)
- Rebecca – Daphne du Maurier
- Something Wicked This Way Comes – Ray Bradbury
- The Woman in Black – Susan Hill
- In the Middle of the Night – Robert Cormier
- What I Saw and How I Lied – Judy Blundell
- White Crow – Marcus Sedgwick
- My Swordhand is Singing – Marcus Sedgwick
- The Kiss of Death – Marcus Sedgwick

Short Story Collections

- Tales of Mystery and Imagination (inc. 'The Tell Tale Heart' and 'Murders in the Rue Morgue') – Edgar Allan Poe
- The Short Stories of F. Scott Fitzgerald (inc. 'The Curious Case of Benjamin Button')
- The Lottery and Other Stories – Shirley Jackson
- The Complete Stories of Truman Capote (inc. 'Breakfast at Tiffany's' and 'A Christmas Memory')
- Skin and Other Stories – Roald Dahl
- Stories from Around the World – Edited by Hilary Pate

Paste this Reading List into your Reading Log. Place a tick in the small box next to each of the titles that you have read. You should aim to read **at least two books** from every section.

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Suggested Reading



Classics – Pre 1914

- Sense and Sensibility – Jane Austen
- Pride and Prejudice – Jane Austen
- Emma – Jane Austen
- Jane Eyre – Charlotte Brontë
- Wuthering Heights – Emily Brontë
- A Tale of Two Cities – Charles Dickens
- Oliver Twist – Charles Dickens
- A Christmas Carol – Charles Dickens
- The Picture of Dorian Gray – Oscar Wilde
- Where Angels Fear to Tread – EM Forster



Modern Classics – Post 1914

- The Grapes of Wrath – John Steinbeck
- I Capture the Castle – Dodie Smith
- Nineteen Eighty-Four – George Orwell
- The Lord of the Flies – William Golding
- Wide Sargasso Sea – Jean Rhys
- The Catcher in the Rye – J.D. Salinger
- Fahrenheit 451 – Ray Bradbury
- The Bell Jar – Sylvia Plath
- Roll of Thunder Hear My Cry – Mildred Taylor
- The Giver – Lois Lowry
- The Alchemist – Paulo Coelho
- The Life of Pi – Yann Martel
- The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-time – Mark Haddon
- The Book Thief – Marcus Zusak



Love, Family and Teen Issues

- The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole aged 13 ¾ - Sue Townsend
- The Tillerman Saga: Homecoming, Dicey's Song, etc. – Cynthia Voigt
- Flightsend – Linda Newberry
- Stargirl – Jerry Spinelli
- Summers of the Sisterhood – Ann Brashares
- Ruby Red – Linzi Glass
- Nobody's Girl – Sarah Manning
- Along for the Ride – Sarah Dessen
- Jane Austen in the 21st century: Love, Lies, & Lizzie, Secrets Schemes and Daring Dreams, etc. – Rosie Ruston
- If I Stay – Gayle Forman
- You Against Me – Jenny Downham



Science Fiction / Fantasy

- Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea – Jules Verne
- The Hobbit – J.R.R. Tolkien
- War of the Worlds – H.G. Wells
- The Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy – Douglas Adams
- Z for Zachariah – Robert C. O'Brien
- The Dream Merchant – Isabel Hoving
- Eragon (Trilogy) – Christopher Paolini
- Beastly – Alix Flinn
- Exodus & Zenith – Julie Bertagna (Global Warming theme)
- A Great and Terrible Beauty – Libba Bray
- Linger (Trilogy) – Maggie Stiefvater
- The Hunger Games (Trilogy) – Suzanne Collins
- The Uglies (Quartet) – Scott Westerfeld

Carnegie Award Books

(Winners & Nominees)

- Bog Child – Shiobhan Dowd
2009 Winner
 - Just in Case - Meg Rosoff
2007 Winner
 - Tamar – Mal Peet
2005 Winner
 - A Gathering Light – Jennifer Donnelly
2003 Winner
 - The Other Side of Truth – Beverly Naidoo
2000 Winner
 - Postcards from No Man's Land – Aidan Chambers
1999 Winner
 - The Ask and the Answer *– Patrick Ness
(Chaos Walking Trilogy)
2010 Nominee
 - The Vanishing of Katharina Linden – Helen Grant
2010 Nominee
- * The Ask and the Answer won the Costa Children's Book of the Year Award, 2009



The CILIP Carnegie & Kate Greenaway Children's Book Awards



Other Award Winning Books

- Out of Shadows – Jason Wallace
The Costa Children's Book of the Year, 2010
- Unhooking the Moon – Gregory Hughes
The Booktrust Teenage Prize, 2010
- When You Reach Me – Rebecca Stead
Newberry Award, 2010
- The Knife of Never Letting Go – Patrick Ness
(Chaos Walking Trilogy)
The Guardian Children's Award, 2008
- How I Live Now – Meg Rosoff
Guardian Children's Award, 2004
- Looking for JJ – Anne Cassidy
The Booktrust Teenage Prize, 2004



COSTA BOOK AWARDS



Past Times

- Halo – Zizou Corder
(Ancient Greece)
- Troy – Adèle Geras
(Ancient Greece)
- Falco Roman Mysteries – Lindsey Davis
(Ancient Rome)
- The Fool's Girl – Celia Rees
(Shakespearean England)
- Witch Child – trilogy – Celia Rees
(England and America 17th century)
- Slave Boy – Laurie Sheehan
(17th / 18th century Slave Trade)
- Chains – Laurie Halse Andersen
(American Revolution—Slavery)
- Slave Girl – Patricia C. McKissack
(19th century America)
- The Diamond of Drury Lane – Julia Golding
(18th / 19th century London)
- Blood Red, Snow White – Marcus Sedgwick
(Russian Revolution)
- The Secret Countess – Eva Ibbotson
(Russian Revolution)
- All Quiet on the Western Front – Erich Maria Remarque
(First World War)
- Remembrance – Teresa Breslin
(First World War)
- Generals Die in Bed – Charles Yale Harrison
(First World War)
- A Song for Summer – Eva Ibbotson
(Second World War)
- The Morning Gift – Eva Ibbotson
(Second World War)
- Milkweed – Jerry Spinelli
(Second World War)

