

The Greenshaw Canon



What follows is a list of books that we have created to enrich you, inspire you, challenge you and broaden your experiences of the world. Challenge yourself to read some books from this list. It will also contribute to your Character Education (Determination: Literacy). For reading 10 books, you will receive the Bronze award, for 25 you will receive the Silver and for 50 you get the Gold.

| Title | Author |
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| A Short History of Nearly Everything | Bill Bryson |
| Adventures of a young naturalist: Sir David Attenborough's Zoo Quest Expeditions | Sir David Attenborough |
| All Quiet on the Western Front | Maria Remarque |
| Are you there God? It's me, Margaret. | Judy Blume |
| Beyond the Bright sea | Lauren Wolk |
| Black Beauty | Anna Sewell |
| Blitzcat | Robert Westall |
| Bridge to Terabithia | Katherine Paterson |
| Cat Among the Pigeons | Agatha Christie |
| Cider with Rosie | Laurie Lee |
| Cold Comfort Farm | Stella Gibbons |
| Coram Boy | Jamila Gavin |
| Cosmos | Carl Sagan |
| David Copperfield | Charles Dickens |
| Don Quixote | Miguel Cervantes |
| Fever Pitch | Nick Hornby |
| Frankenstein | Mary Shelley |
| Journey to the centre of the Earth | Jules Verne |
| Long Walk to Freedom | Nelson Mandela |
| Grimm's complete fairy tales | Jacob Grimm |
| Gulliver's Travels | Jonathan Swift |
| Moby Dick | Herman Melville |
| Robinson Crusoe | Daniel Defoe |
| I am David | Anne Holm |
| Running girl | Simon Mason |
| Spud | John Van De Ruit |
| Indigo Donut | Patrice Lawrence |
| The Bone Sparrow | Zana Faillon |
| The Call of the Wild | Jack London |
| Little Women | Louisa May Alcott |
| The Colour of Magic (Discworld) | Terry Pratchett |
| Looking for JJ | Anne Cassidy |
| Northern Lights | Philip Pullman |
| On the Road | Jack Kerouac |

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| Once | Morris Gleitzman |
| Goblin Market | Christina Rossetti |
| Silas Marner | George Eliot |
| How they croaked | Georgia Bragg |
| Swallows and amazons | Arthur Ransome |
| The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn | Mark Twain |
| I'm the king of the castle | Susan Hill |
| The Call | Peadar O'Guilin |
| The Day of the Triffids | John Wyndham |
| The Help | Kathryn Stockett |
| The Hobbit | J.R.R. Tolkien |
| The Hound of the Baskervilles | Sir Arthur Conan Doyle |
| The Humans | Matt Haig |
| The Hundred-Year-Old Man Who Climbed Out Of The Window And Disappeared | Jonas Jonasson |
| The Lord of the Rings | J.R.R. Tolkien |
| The Magic Toyshop | Angela Carter |
| The Magician's Nephew (Book 1 of Narnia) | C.S. Lewis |
| The Nazi Hunters | Neal Bascomb |
| The No. 1 Ladies Detective Agency | Alexander McCall Smith |
| The Odyssey | Homer |
| The Outsiders | S.E. Hinton |
| The Rime of the Ancient Mariner | Samuel Taylor Coleridge |
| The Secret Garden | Frances Hodgson Burnett |
| The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde | Robert Louis Stevenson |
| The Sword in the Stone | T.H. White |
| The Thirty-Nine Steps | John Buchan |
| The Three Musketeers | Alexandre Dumas |
| The Vanishing of Katharina Linden | Helen Grant |
| Tin | Padraig Kenny |
| Ulysses | James Joyce |
| Welcome to Nowhere | Elizabeth Laird |
| What is the what | Dave Eggers |