

## Five Acres Canon

### Classic

Title	Author	Key Stage recommendation
Roll of Thunder Hear my Cry	Mildred D. Taylor	KS3 & KS4
Jane Eyre	Charlotte Bronte or Patrice Lawrence	KS3 & 4 - Full KS3 - Modern Read
The Secret Garden	Francis Hodgson Burnett	KS3 & 4
A Christmas Carol	Charles Dickens	KS3 & 4
Little Women	Louisa May Alcott	KS3 & 4
Treasure Island	Robert Louis Stevenson	KS3
Frankenstein	Mary Shelley	KS4
Rebecca	Daphne du Maurier	KS4
George Orwell	1984	KS4
The Great Gatsby	F. Scott Fitzgerald	KS4

### Historical Fiction

Title	Author	Key Stage recommendation
When the Sky Falls	Phil Earle	KS3
Coram Boy	Jamila Gavin	KS3 & 4
Salt to the Sea	Ruta Sepetys	KS3 & 4
All the Light We Cannot See	Anthony Doerr	KS3 & 4
The Book Thief	Marcus Zusak	KS3 & 4
To Kill A Mockingbird	Harper Lee	KS3 & 4
Hamnet	Maggie O'Farrell	KS3 & 4
Weyward	Emilia Hart	KS4
Of Mice and Men	John Steinbeck	KS4
The Last Kingdom	Bernard Cornwell	KS4

## Non Fiction

Title	Author	Key Stage recommendation
The Diary of a Young Girl	Anne Frank	KS3
I am Malala	Malala Yousafzai	KS3 & 4
Atomic Habits	James Clear	KS3 & 4
Prisoners of Geography	Tim Marshall	KS3 & 4
A History of Britain in 21 Women	Jenni Murray	KS3 & 4
Legacy	James Kear	KS3 & 4
Notes from a Small Island	Bill Bryson	KS4
The Choice	Edith Eger	KS4
Can't we just print more money?	Rupal Patel & Jack Meaning	KS4
Hidden Figures	Margot Lee Shetterly	KS4

## Poetry Narratives

Title	Author	Key Stage recommendation
Brown Girl Dreaming	Jacqueline Woodson	KS3
Inside Out and Back Again	Thanhha Lai	KS3
Moonrise	Sarah Crossan	KS3 & 4
Run Rebel	Manjeet Mann	KS3 & 4
The Poet X	Elizabeth Acevedo	KS4
Rebound	Kwame Alexander	KS3 & 4
Long Way Down	Jason Reynolds	KS4
The Black Flamingo	Dean Atta	KS3 & 4
Punching the Air	Ibi Zoboi and Yusef Salaam	KS4
TBC		

## Modern Issues

Title	Author	Key Stage recommendation
Wonder	R. J. Palacio	KS3
Can You See Me?	Libby Scott & Rebecca Westcott	KS3
Tuesdays with Morrie	Mitch Albom	KS3 & 4
All the Bright Places	Jenifer Niven	KS4
Boys Don't Cry	Malorie Blackman	KS3 & 4
The Fault in our Stars	John Green	KS4
Small Great Things	Jodi Picoult	KS4
The Midnight Library	Matt Haig	KS3 & 4
Eleanor Oliphant is completely Fine	Gail Honeyman	KS4
Never	Ken Follet	KS4

## World

Title	Author	Key Stage recommendation
Boy 87	Ele Fountain	KS3
Bone Talk	Candy Gourlay	KS3
Tsunami Girl	Chie Kutsuwada	KS3 & 4
The Rent Collector	Cameron Wright	KS3 & 4
Chinese Cinderella	Yen Mah	KS3 & 4
As long as the lemon trees grow	Zoulfa Katouh	KS3 & 4
Kite Runner	Khaled Hosseini	KS4
The Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane	Lisa Sea	KS4
Out of the Shadows	Jason Wallace	KS4
The Girl with the Louding Voice	Abi Dare`	KS4