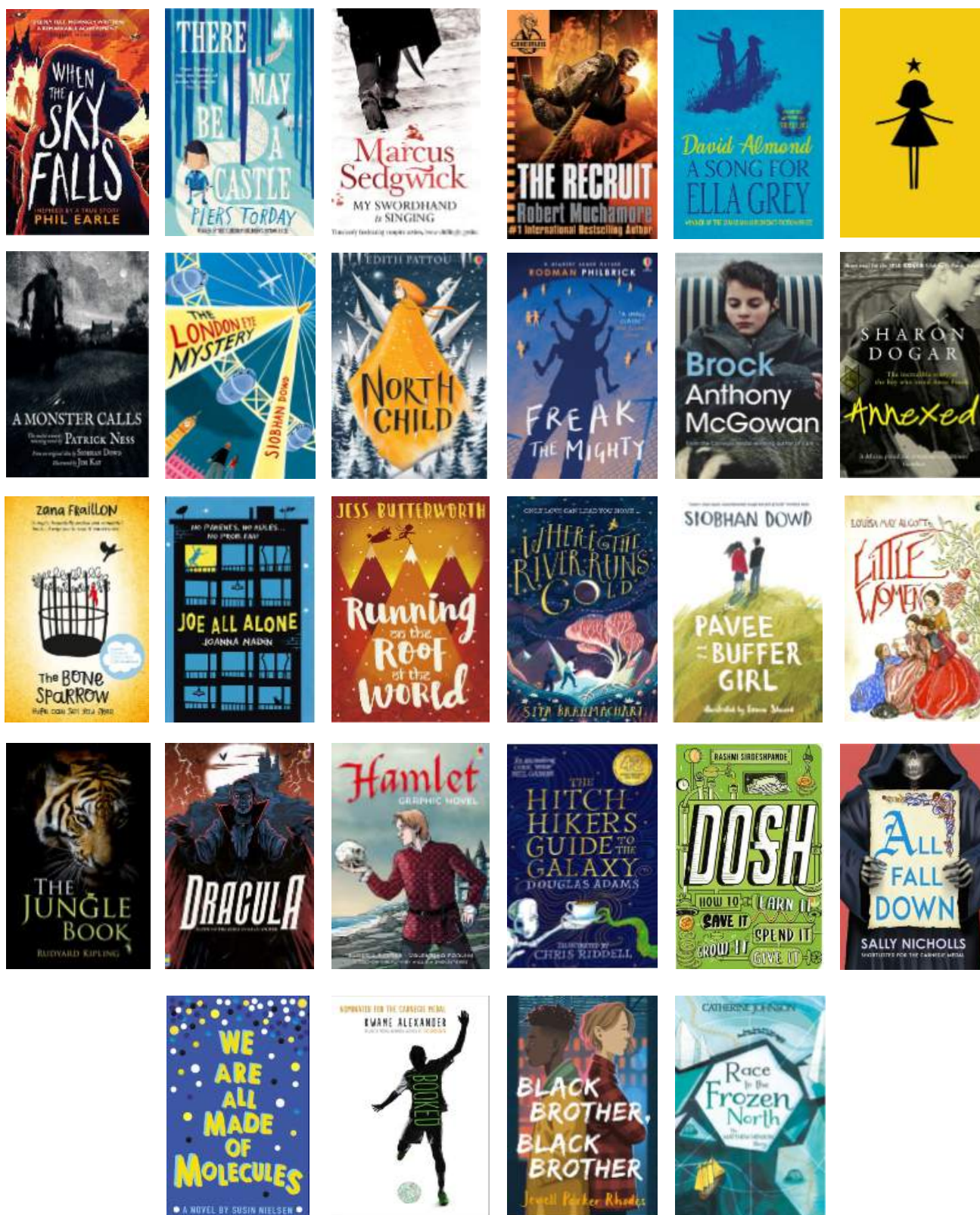


Year 8 Reading Canon

These are books that are recommended reads for students in Year 8.



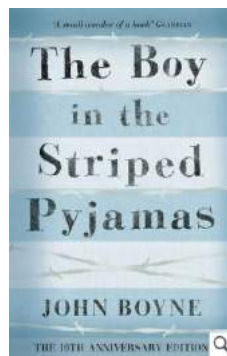
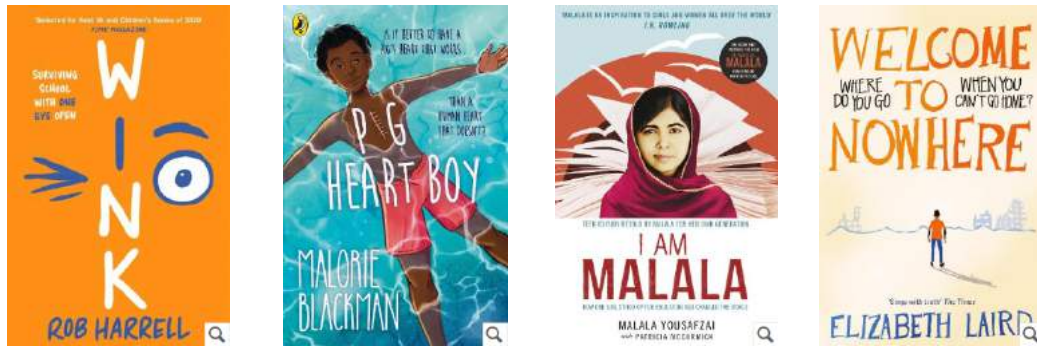
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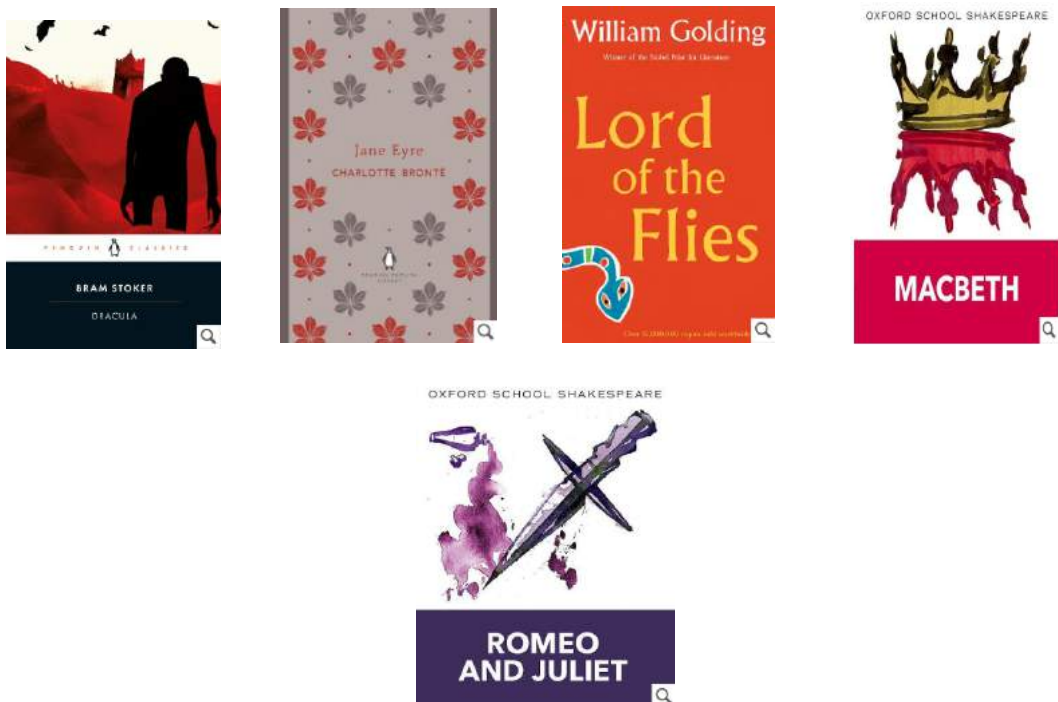
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These are Tutor Reader Books that are read in form time with your child's form tutor. Once a book is finished, each form will cycle through the different texts and read as many as possible throughout the school year.



These are the texts that students study in Year 8 within their English lessons.





Book List

- When the Sky Falls by Phil Earle
- There May Be A Castle by Piers Torday
- My Swordhand is Singing by Marcus Sedgwick
- The Recruit by Robert Muchamore
- A Song for Ella Grey by David Almond
- Stargirl by Jerry Spinelli
- A Monster Calls by Patrick Ness
- The London Eye Mystery by Siobhan Dowd
- North Child by Edith Patou
- Freak the Mighty by Rodman Philbrick
- Brock by Anthony McGowan
- Annexed by Sharon Dogar
- The Bone Sparrow by Zana Fraillon
- Joe All Alone by Joanna Nadin
- Running on the Roof of the World by Jess Butterworth
- Where the River Runs Gold by Sita Brahmachari
- The Pavee and the Buffer Girl by Steve Cole
- Little Women by Louisa May Alcott
- The Jungle Book by Rudyard Kipling
- Dracula by Bram Stoker
- Hamlet by William Shakespeare
- The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy by Douglas Adams
- Dosh/Cash by Rashmi Sirdeshpande
- All Fall Down by Sally Nicholls
- We Are All Made of Molecules by Susin Nielsen
- Booked by Kwame Alexander
- Black Brother, Black Brother by Jewell Parker Rhodes
- Race to the Frozen North by Catherine Johnson
- Wink by Rob Harrell
- Pig Heart Boy by Malorie Blackman
- I Am Malala by Malala Yousafzai
- Welcome to Nowhere by Elizabeth Laird
- Boy in the Striped Pyjamas by John Boyne
- Dracula by Bram Stoker
- Jane Eyre by Charlotte Bronte
- Lord of the Flies by William Golding
- Macbeth by William Shakespeare
- Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare