

Citizenship Fiction and True Accounts Reading List

The following lists are designed to help with wider reading of a particular subject. All books are stocked in our school library.

Abuse

- Bullying - *My Name is Mina* by David Almond
Skellig by David Almond
The Weight of Water by Sarah Crossan
Monkey by Veronica Bennett
Nicholas Dane by Melvin Burgess
Inventing Elliot by Graham Gardner
Cookie by Jacqueline Wilson
The Trouble with Donovan Croft by Bernard Ashley
- Mental/Emotional - *Cookie* by Jacqueline Wilson
The Bunker Diary by Kevin Brooks
- Neglect - *Looking for JJ* by Anne Cassidy
My Sister Lives on the Mantelpiece by Annabel Pitcher
- Physical - *You Don't Know Me* by David Klass
Jack and Jill by Lucy Cavendish
- Sexual - *Killing God* by Kevin Brooks
Jake's Tower by Elizabeth Laird
Nicholas Dane by Melvin Burgess
Sold by Patricia McCormick

Adoption and fostering -

- Rabbit-proof Fence* by Doris Pilkington (true)
The Story of Tracy Beaker by Jacqueline Wilson
Shifty by Lynn E Hazen
The Dare Game by Jacqueline Wilson

Arranged and/or forced marriage - *Secrets of a Henna Girl* by Sufiya Ahmed

- Homeless Bird* by Gloria Whelan
Brick Lane by Monica Ali

Charity work -

- Mates, Dates and Diamond Destiny* by Cathy Hopkins

Crime

- Police Protection - *Looking for JJ* by Anne Cassidy
When I Was Joe by Keren David
Almost True by Keren David
- Drug smuggling - *People's Republic* by Robert Muchamore
- Gun Crime - *Raining Fire* by Alan Gibbons
- Rape - *Black Rabbit Summer* by Kevin Brooks

Death

- Dying - *Now is Good (Before I Die)* by Jenny Downham
One by Sarah Crossan
- Grief - *My Sister Lives on the Mantelpiece* by Annabel Pitcher
Skellig by David Almond
Walk Two Moons by Sharon Creech
River Boy by Tim Bowler
PS I Love You by Cecilia Ahern
Tiger Eyes by Judy Blume
Mockingbird by Kathryn Erskine

Organ donation - *Moon Pie by Simon Mason*
Pig Heart Boy by Malorie Blackman
Blood Money by Chris Ryan
Suicide - *Hold On by Alan Gibbons*

Disability -

Red Sky in the Morning by Elizabeth Laird
Monkey by Veronica Bennett
Freak the Mighty by Rodman Philbeck
One by Jenny Valentine

Education -

Pupil Referral Unit - *Kill All Enemies by Melvin Burgess*
My Name is Mina by David Almond

Addiction

Alcohol – *The Truth About Leo by David Yelland*
Killing God by Kevin Brooks
My Sister Lives on the Mantelpiece by Annabel Pitcher
Moon Pie by Simon Mason
Drugs - *Killing God by Kevin Brooks*
Junk by Melvin Burgess

Immigration

Asylum seekers - *Asylum by Rachel Anderson*
The Other Side of Truth by Beverley Naidoo
Web of Lies by Beverley Naidoo
Human trafficking - *The Fall by Robert Muchamore*
People's Republic by Robert Muchamore
Immigrants and migrants - *The Weight of Water by Sarah Crossan*
The Un-forgotten Coat by Frank Cottrell-Boyce
People's Republic by Robert Muchamore
Refugees - *Refugee Boy by Benjamin Zephaniah*
The Breadwinner by Deborah Ellis
Parvana's Journey by Deborah Ellis
Making It Home by Beverley Naidoo

LGBTQ

Bicurious - *This Book Is Gay by James Dawson*
How I Live Now by Meg Rosoff
Lies We Tell Ourselves by Robin Talley
Starring Kitty by Keri Stainton
Wildthorn by Jane Eagland
Bisexual - *Far From you by Tess Sharpe*
Homosexuality - *Absolute Torture! By Sue Limb*
Black Rabbit Summer by Kevin Brooks
Boys Don't Cry by Malorie Blackman
Dying to Know You by Aiden Chambers
Hate by Alan Gibbons
Maggot Moon by Sally Gardner
More Than This by Patrick Ness
Postcards From No Man's Land by Aidan Chambers
Simon vs. The Homo Sapiens Agenda by Becky Albertalli
The Perks Of Being A Wallflower by Stephen Chbosky
Two Weeks With The Queen by Morris Gleitzman
We Are All Made Of Molecules by Susin Neilson
Will Grayson, Will Grayson by John Green

Transgender -

George by Alex Gino
Jessica's Ghost by Andrew Norriss

Politics and law -

Animal Farm by George Orwell
Wild Swans by Jung Chang (true)
Lord of the Flies by William Golding
Rabbit-proof Fence by Doris Pilkington
Out of Shadows by Jason Wallace
Out of Bounds by Beverley Naidoo

Prejudice

Ageism -
Body image -

The Memory Cage by Ruth Eastham
Fat Boy Swim by Catherine Forde
Face by Benjamin Zephaniah
Wonder by RJ Palacio
The Illustrated Mum by Jacqueline Wilson
Freak the Mighty by Rodman Philbeck
Pumpkin Pie by Jean Ure
Girls Under Pressure by Jacqueline Wilson
One by Sarah Crossan

Racism -

Noughts and Crosses by Malorie Blackman
Knife-edge by Malorie Blackman
Checkmate by Malorie Blackman
Double Cross by Malorie Blackman
Everybody Jam by Ali Lewis
Zom-B by Darren Shan
To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee
Out of Shadows by Jason Wallace
Fighting Back by Helen Bird
Shylock's Daughter by Mirjam Pressler
Yankee Girl by Mary Ann Rodman
Lost for Words by Elizabeth Lutzeier
A World Away by Pauline Francis
We Can be Heroes by Catherine Bruton
Grass by CZ Nightingale
The Girl Who Fell from the Sky by Heidi Durrow
Old Dog New Tricks by Bali Rai
The Help by Kathryn Stockett
Lies We Tell Ourselves by Robin Talley
The Lie Tree by Frances Hardinge

Sexism -

Rights

Animal rights -

Pig Heart Boy by Malorie Blackman
Man vs Beast by Robert Muchamore

Children's rights -

Rabbit-proof Fence by Doris Pilkington (true)
Trash by Andy Mulligan

Human rights -

My Sister's Keeper by Jodi Picoult
Guantanamo Boy by Ana Perera
1984 by George Orwell
Black Out by Sam Mills
A World Away by Pauline Francis
Sold by Patricia McCormick
Free (short stories compilation)
Blood Money by Chris Ryan

The Fall by Robert Muchamore
The Other Side of Truth by Beverley Naidoo
Lies We Tell Ourselves by Robin Talley

Segregation

The Wall by William Sutcliffe
Breathe by Sarah Crossan
Resist by Sarah Crossan
Lies We Tell Ourselves by Robin Talley

Sexual education

Teenage pregnancy -

Blue Moon by Julia Green
Baby Blue by Julia Green
Megan by Mary Hooper
Boys Don't Cry by Malorie Blackman
Cry, Baby by Jill Atkins
Touble by Non Pratt

Virginity -

In the Deep End by Kate Cann
Rich and Mad by William Nicholson
Losing It by Keith Gray
Now is Good (Before I Die) by Jenny Downham

Travellers -

Romany Gypsies -

Danny the Champion of the World by Roald Dahl
Walking with Rainbows by Isla Dewar
Pictures from the Fire by Gaye Hicyilmaz
Girl in Red by Gaye Hicyilmaz

Violence

Domestic violence -

Gangs -

Zom-B by Darren Shan
The Edge by Alan Gibbons
The Outsiders by SE Hinton
When I Was Joe by Keren David
Almost True by Keren David
Lord of the Flies by William Golding
The Other Side of Truth by Beverley Naidoo
Web of Lies by Beverley Naidoo
Ganging Up by Alan Gibbons
Inventing Elliot by Graham Gardner
Brighton Rock by Graham Greene

Kidnap and hostages

Stolen by Lucy Christopher
Hostage Three by Nick Lake
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Guantanamo Boy by Ana Perera
My Sister Lives on the Mantelpiece by Annabel Pitcher
An Act of Love by Alan Gibbons
How I Live Now by Meg Rosoff
Caught in the Crossfire by Alan Gibbons
We can be Heroes by Catherine Bruton
Battleground by Chris Ryan
London Siege by Jim Eldridge

Pirates -

Terrorism -

The Sleepwalker by Robert Muchamore
Divine Madness by Robert Muchamore
The Recruit by Robert Muchamore
Fran's War by Sally Trench
Only a Matter of Time by Stewart Ross

Ethnic cleansing -

Torture -

Guantanamo Boy by Ana Perera
The White Rabbit by Bruce Marshall
The Bunker Diary by Kevin Brooks