

The Honours Programme

Reading List 2024-2025

Year 7

English	'Watership Down' by Richard Adams 'Private Peaceful' by Michael Morpurgo 'The Railway Children' by E Nesbit
Maths	'Sideways Arithmetic from Wayside School' by Louis Sachar '50 Mathematical Ideas You Really Need to Know' by Tony Crilly 'Can you Solve my Problems?' by Alex B 'The Ultimate Mathematical Challenge' by The UK Mathematics Trust (Nov. 2018)
Science	'Genetics (The Ladybird Expert Series)' by Adam Rutherford 'Evolution (The Ladybird Expert Series)' by Steve Jones 'Quantum Mechanics (The Ladybird Expert Series)' by Jim Al-Khalili 'Will we ever Speak Dolphin?' by New Scientist
RE	'If I Could Ask God Anything' - K Slattery 'Who was Martin Luther King Jr?' - B Bader 'The Boy in Striped Pyjamas' - J Boyde 'You Were Made to Make a Difference' - M Lucado 'What is Humanism?' - M Rosen and A Young 'Me Before You' - J Moyes 'Big Questions' - G Harris 'If the World Were a Village' - D Smith 'The Magic of Reality' - R Dawkins
Geography	'Under the Weather: Stories About Climate Change' by Tony Bradman 'The Boy who harnessed the wind' by William Kamkwamba 'Dante's Peak' by Dewey Gram 'Stormy Weather' by Horrible Geography 'Cracking Coasts' by Horrible Geography 'Raging Rivers' by Horrible Geography 'Wild Weather' by Horrible Geography
History	'The Last English King' Julian Rathbone (Norman Conquest) 'Smashing Saxons' Horrible Histories 'Measly Middle Ages' Horrible Histories 'The Black Tudors' Miranda Kaufmann 'Invasion, Plague and Murder: 1066-1558' Aaron Wilkes
MFL	"J'aime lire" series of readers by Bayard Jeunesse
Technology	'How to Be a Fashion Designer' By Lesley Ware, Published by DK Children 'Food Like Mine' Published by DK Children ISBN: 9780241230978 'The Way Things Work Now' By David Macaulay & Neil Ardley, Published by DK Children ISBN: 9780241227930 Cool Architecture: 50 fantastic facts for kids of all ages.by Simon Armstrong Cooking recipes on the BBC food website Kids' cooking recipes BBC Good Food

ICT & Computing	The Hut 6 Secrets: Gordon Welchman
Music	Fiction: Stargirl - Jenny Spinelli The Bear Comes Home - Rafi Zabor Non-Fiction The AB Guide to Music Theory - Eric Taylor The Collins Musical Instrument Handbook - Rebecca Berkley Lucien
Performance	Children's Book of Sport. Author: DK You are a Champion: How to be the best that you can be. Author: Marcus Rashford. <i>Friday Night Lights: A Town, a Team, and a Dream</i> Author: Buzz Bissinger.
Art	'Frida Kahlo and her Animalitos' Written by Monica Brown, illustrated by John Parra 'My Museum' Illustrated by Joanne Liu 'The Dot' Written and illustrated by Peter H. Reynolds The Tate Children's Website: http://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/whos-who There are some interesting activities and videos available for students to access, including a 'Who's Who' artist page including artists such as Picasso, Andy Warhol and Roy Lichtenstein who your child will study throughout the KS3 and KS4 Art Curriculum. 'The Realism Challenge' Mark Crilley 'How To Draw with Photorealism' Jasmina Susak. She also has a You Tube Channel and website. 'Pinhole Cameras' Chris Keeney 'Smart Phone, Smart Photography' Jo Bradford 'Creative Digital Photography' Chris Gatcum 'Cyanotype' Christina Z. Anderson There is an Art Library available in the Art Department – please speak to Mrs Jones to borrow books.