



Kings Langley School
Unlocking Potential for Life



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All the books listed in this booklet are available from the KLS school library at the time of printing: **November 2025**





Art

Year 7

Topic 1: Colour Theory (Matisse)

- How Art Works by DK
- The Artist's Manual by Rob Pepper
- Artist's Painting Techniques by DK
- How Art Works by Sarah Hull
- Art: A Children's Encyclopedia by DK
- 13 Art Techniques Children Should Know by A. Wenzel

Topic 3: Introduction to Art History (Renaissance, Romanticism, Post Impressionism, Abstract, Naïve Art)

- Introduction to Art by Rosie Dickins
- 13 Art Movements Children Should Know by Brad Finger
- 13 Paintings Children Should Know by Angela Wenzel
- Art: The Definitive Visual Guide by Andrew Graham-Dixon
- 50 Artists You Should Know by Thomas Koster
- Artists: Their Lives and Works by Marek Walisiewicz
- Women in Art by Rachel Ignotofsky
- Art: a Children's Encyclopedia by DK
- Art, Annotated by DK

Topic 2: Portraiture (Clay)

- Selfie: A History of Self Portraits Through the Ages by Susie Brooks
- The Artist's Manual by Rob Pepper
- National Portrait Gallery: The Collection
- 50 Portraits You Should Know by Brad Finger
- Drawing Masterclass : 100 Creative Techniques of Great Artists by Guy Noble
- How Art Works by Sarah Hull
- Artist's Drawing Techniques by DK

Artists:

Matisse, Elizabeth Frink, Chris Ofili, Leonardo da Vinci, Franz Messerschmidt, Caspar Friedrich, Vincent Van Gogh, Wassily Kandinsky, LS Lowry

- 50 Artists You Should Know by Thomas Koster
- Artists: Their Lives and Works by Marek Walisiewicz
- Vincent by Barbara Stok



Art

Year 8

Topic 1: Hundertwasser and Pattern (Observational Drawing)

- Hundertwasser by Pierre Restany
- The Artist's Manual by Rob Pepper
- How To Draw by Jake Spicer
- Artist's Painting Techniques by DK
- Artist's Drawing Techniques by DK
- Drawing Masterclass : 100 Creative Techniques of Great Artists by Guy Noble

Topic 3: Figurative Art (Mono Printing, Clay, Mixed Media)

- The Artist's Manual by Rob Pepper
- Craft by DK Exploring Printmaking by Gill Thompson
- Linocut by Sam Marshall
- Screenprinting : The Ultimate Studio Guide from Sketchbook to Squeegee by London Print Club

Topic 2: Still Life & Human Made (Cubism)

- How Art Works by DK
- How To Draw by Jake Spicer
- How Art Works by Sarah Hull
- Artist's Drawing Techniques by DK
- Drawing Masterclass by Guy Noble

Artists:

Friedrich Hundertwasser, Abi Whitlock, David Hockney, Alebrejes, Georgio Morandi, Pablo Picasso, Georges Braque, Leonardo da Vinci, Alberto Giacometti, Henry Moore

- Hundertwasser by Pierre Restany
- 50 Artists You Should Know by Thomas Koster
- Artists: Their Lives and Works by Marek Walisiewicz



Art

Year 9

Topic 1: Pop Art

(Observational Drawing)

- 13 Art Movements Children Should Know by Brad Finger
- Art: The Definitive Visual Guide by Andrew Graham-Dixon
- Keith Haring: the Story of his Life by Paolo Parisi
- Pop Art by Flavia Frigeri
- Artist's Drawing Techniques by DK
- How To Draw by Jake Spicer

Topic 3: Pattern and Printmaking

(Lino Printing)

- The Artist's Manual by Rob Pepper
- Craft by DK
- Exploring Printmaking by Gill Thompson
- Linocut: A Creative Guide to Making Beautiful Prints by Sam Marshall
- Angie Lewin: Plants and Places
- Screenprinting : The Ultimate Studio Guide from Sketchbook to Squeegee by London Print Club

Topic 2: Landscapes and Architecture

(Two point perspective)

- 50 Buildings You Should Know by I. Kuhl
- 50 Architects You Should Know by I. Kuhl
- Man-Made Wonders by Clive Gifford
- Eyewitness: Building by Philip Wilkinson
- How To Draw by Jake Spicer
- Artist's Painting Techniques by DK
- Art: A Children's Encyclopedia by DK
- Drawing Masterclass by Guy Noble

Artists:

Sir Peter Blake, Richard Hamilton, David Hockney, Andy Warhol, Roy Lichtenstein, Clay Oldenberg, John Piper, Ian Murphy, Angie Lewin, Sophie Munns, Myrtle Pizzey



Computer Science

Key Stage 3

Computer Systems

- Oxford Illustrated Computing Dictionary
- The History of the Computer by Rachel Ignatofsky
- The Way Things Work by David Macaulay
- 100 Things to Know About Numbers, Computers & Coding by Alice James
- Computer Science for Curious Kids by Chris Oxlade
- Very Short Introductions for Curious Young Minds: The Expanding World of Data by Tom Jackson
- Click, Connect, Compute: Computer Science Essentials by Dharini Balasubramaniam
- Click, Connect, Compute: Data, Big and Small by Dharini Balasubramaniam
- The Brainiac's Book of the Internet by Larissa Suzuki

Microsoft Skills

- Microsoft 365 in Easy Steps by M. Price
- Microsoft Teams in Easy Steps by N. Vandome
- Microsoft Word in Easy Steps by S. Basham

Digital Citizenship

- Social Media Survival Guide by Usborne
- Staying Safe Online by Louie Stowell
- Why Your Parents Are Hung-Up on Your Phone and What To Do About It by Dean Burnett
- The Teenage Guide to Digital Wellbeing by Tanya Goodin

Coding and Python

- Coding for Beginners Using Python by Louie Stowell
- How to Code in Python by Greg Reid
- Computer Coding: Python Games for Kids by DK
- Beginner's Step-by-Step Coding Course by DK
- Bite-size Python: an introduction to Python Programming by April Speight
- Creative Coding in Python by Sheena Vaidyanathan
- Python by Example : Learning to Program in 150 Challenges by Nichola Lacey
- Python All-in-One For Dummies by Shovic & Simpson



Drama

Year 7

Topic 1: Introduction to Drama

- All About Theatre by National Theatre
- An Invitation to the Ballet Theatre by Charlotte Guillain and Helen Shoesmith
- Curtain Up! by Royal Opera House and Lauren O'Hara

Topic 3: Macbeth

- Macbeth: The Graphic Novel by Classical Comics
- Shakespeare for Everyone by Emma Roberts
- Macbeth (Penguin Reader) by William Shakespeare
- Tales from Shakespeare by Michael Morpurgo
- Shakespeare and the Theatre by Jane Shuter
- Eyewitness: Shakespeare by DK
- Shakespeare Monologues for Young Actors by Luke Dixon
- Spectacular Visual Guides: A Shakespearean Theatre by Jacqueline Morley and John James

Topic 2: Theatre History

(Greek, Medieval, Commedia, Elizabethan)

- Eyewitness: Ancient Greece by Anne Pearson
- The Greeks by Susan Peach
- Shakespeare and the Theatre by Jane Shuter
- Eyewitness: Shakespeare by DK
- Shakespeare for Everyone by Emma Roberts

Plays

- The Bone Sparrow by Z. Fraillon & S. Shakthidharan
- The Canterbury Tales by Chaucer & Mike Poulton
- Face by Benjamin Zephaniah
- Pig Heart Boy by Malorie Blackman
- Contemporary Monologues for Teenagers by T. James

Fiction

- Drama by Raina Telgemeier
- Ballet Shoes by Noel Streatfeild
- The Amazing Edie Eckhart by Rosie Jones
- Bah! Humbug! By Michael Rosen & Tony Ross
- Click by Kayla Miller
- Jelly by Jo Cotterill
- Melissa by Alex Gino



Drama

Year 8

Topic 1: Theatre History (Restoration, Melodrama, Naturalism)

- A Beginner's Guide to Acting Methods by K. Shire
- The Story of Costume by John Peacock
- The Time Traveller's Guide to British Theatre: The
- First Four Hundred Years by Lia Ghilardi and Aleks Sierz
- The Oxford Illustrated History of Theatre by John Russell Brown
- The V&A's Theatre and Performance collection

Topic 3: Technical Theatre

- All About Theatre by National Theatre
- Learning Your Lines: The Compact Guide by Mark Channon
- Curtain Up! by Royal Opera House and Lauren O'Hara
- Costumes for the Stage by Sheila Jackson
- The Story of Costume by John Peacock
- Welcome to the Arts: Dance by Sir Alistair Spalding

Plays

- The Bone Sparrow by Fraillon & Shakthidharan
- Noughts and Crosses by Malorie Blackman
- The Miracle by Lin Coughlan
- Wonder Boy by Ross Willis

Topic 2: Naturalism/Non-Naturalism (Stanislavski)

- A Beginner's Guide to Acting Methods by K. Shire
- An Actor Prepares, Creating a Role, and Building a Character by Constantin Stanislavski

Topic 4: Physical Theatre (including Stage Combat)

- Unarmed Stage Combat by P. d'Orleans
- Stage Combat: Unarmed by R. Bartlett

Fiction

- Dramarama by E. Lockhart
- Drama by Raina Telgemeier
- Ballet Shoes by Noel Streatfeild



Drama

Year 9

Topic 1: Duologues

- Monologues, Duologues, and Scenes for Young Performers : 30+ Original Pieces
- A Beginner's Guide to Acting Methods by K. Shire
- Acting : A Backstage Guide by Lucian Msamati

Topic 3: Play Study

- The Government Inspector by Nikolai Gogol
- The Government Inspector adapted by D. Harrower
- Learning Your Lines: The Compact Guide by Mark Channon

Plays and Fiction

- Coram Boy by Jamila Gavin & Helen Edmundson
- The Backstagers by James Tynion & Rian Sygh
- Hagwitch by Marie-Louise Fitzpatrick
- Hockey Girl Loves Drama Boy by Faith Erin Hicks
- Journey's End by RC Sheriff
- How to Die Famous by Benjamin Dean
- The Miracle by Lin Coughlan
- What Fatima Did by Atiha Sen Gupta
- Noughts and Crosses by Malorie Blackman
- Our Town Needs a Nando's by Samantha O'Rourke
- Contemporary Monologues for Teenagers by T. James

Topic 2: Documentary and Verbatim

- Telling the Truth: How to Make Verbatim Theatre by Robin Belfield
- A Beginner's Guide to Devising Theatre by Jess Thorpe and Tashi Gore

Topic 4: Technical Theatre & Backstage

- A Beginner's Guide to Directing Theatre by Robert Marsden
- Wigs, Hair and Make-Up : A Backstage Guide by Helen Casey
- Auditioning : A Backstage Guide by Sam Stevenson
- Acting : A Backstage Guide by Lucian Msamati
- Basics - A Beginner's Guide to Stage Lighting by Peter Coleman
- Costumes for the Stage by Sheila Jackson
- The Story of Costume by John Peacock
- Welcome to the Arts: Dance by Sir Alistair Spalding
- Making Scale Models by Mark Friend
- The Handbook of Model-Making for Set Designers by Colin Winslow



Geography

Year 7

Topic 1: Geography Skills (map skills, GIS)

- Prisoners of Geography: Our World Explained in 12 Simple Maps by Tim Marshall
- Geography for Beginners by Usborne
- What's Where in the World by DK
- Great Maps by Jerry Brotton
- A Map of the World According to Illustrators and Storytellers by Antoniou
- Collins School World Atlas
- A History of the World in 25 Cities by British Museum

Topic 3: Continents

(tourism, development, manufacturing, coral reefs, extreme climate, tropical storms, Antarctica)

- Amazing Asia by Rashmi Sirdeshpande
- Spain & France Unpacked by Brooks and Gifford
- Journey through Spain & France by Ganeri & Gifford
- China: the Land and the People by Hachette
- Ocean by DK
- Ecology for Beginners by Tony Juniper
- Super Storms: Planet in Peril by Cath Senker
- Eyewitness: Arctic and Antarctica by DK
- Antarctica : The Melting Continent by Young & Hsieh
- Incredible Ecosystems of Planet Earth by Ignatofsky

Topic 5: Population

(population change, China and Japan's population)

- Geographics: Population and Settlement by I. Howell
- Prisoners of Geography by Tim Marshall
- Migrations by DK
- Population: Are There Too Many of Us? by P. Steele
- Coping with Population Growth by Ward and Barber
- The Ecology Book by Tony Juniper
- If the World Were 100 People by McCann & Cushley
- Map Your Planet: Population & Settlement by Minay

Topic 2: The UK (climate, geology, glaciers)

- Are Glaciers the Key to Climate Change? by Olivia Watson
- AA National Parks of Britain Rocks and Minerals by Chris Oxlade
- Eyewitness: Rock and Mineral by DK
- Exploratorium of Science by DK
- UK in Maps by Stephen Scoffham

Topic 4: Climate Zones

(tropical rainforests, deserts, temperate, polar)

- Geography for Beginners by Usborne
- Incredible Ecosystems of Planet Earth by R. Ignatofsky
- Habitats : Discover Earth's Precious Wild Places by Chris Packham
- The Earth's Essential Rainforests by Isabel Thomas
- Rainforest Warrior by Anita Ganeri
- Amazing Asia by Rashmi Sirdeshpande
- Journey to the River Sea by Eva Ibbotson
- World Burn Down by Steve Cole
- Expedition to the Arctic by Alex Woolf
- Earth's Incredible Places: Sahara by Christina Webb

Topic 6: Microclimates (measuring the weather)

- Can Predicting the Weather Save Lives? by E. Jeffrey
- Eyewitness: Weather by DK
- Science-ology: Meteorology by Anna Claybourne
- Nature Handbook by Chris Packham
- Exploratorium of Science by DK
- Knowledge Encyclopaedia by DK
- Geography for Beginners by Usborne



Geography

Year 8

Topic 1: Development

(development gap, Ghana)

- Geography for Beginners by Usborne Timelines from Black History by DK
- Welcome to Trash Land by Steve Cole
- Africa, Amazing Africa: Country by Country by Atinuke
- Africana by Kim Chakanetsa
- Cities of the World: Africa by Liz Gogerly
- It's a Continent : Unravelling Africa's History One
- Country at a Time by A. Madimba and C. Ukata

Topic 3: Resource Management

- Population: Are There Too Many of Us? by P.Steele
- Coping with Population Growth by G. Ward and N. Barber
- Sustaining Our Natural Resources by Jen Green
- Avoiding Hunger and Finding Water by Andrew Langley
- Bridging the Energy Gap by Andrew Langley
- Geographics: Earth's Resources by Izzi Howell
- 30 Easy Ways to Join the Food Revolution by Ollie Hunter

Topic 5: The Middle East

- Divided:Why We're Living in an Age of Walls by Tim Marshall
- Drawn Across Borders by George Butler
- Migrations by DK
- Palestine by Joe Sacco
- Persepolis by Marjane Satrapi
- No Ballet Shoes in Syria by Catherine Bruton
- Hakim's Odyssey by Fabien Toulmé

Topic 2: Tectonic Hazards

- Bang:Wild Wonders of Earth's Phenomena by Smith
- Geographics: Earthquakes by G. Amson-Bradshaw
- Geographics: Volcanoes by Izzy Howell
- Earth: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- Nature Unleashed: Earthquakes and Volcanoes by Louise and Richard Spilsbury
- Tsunami Girl by Julia Sedgwick and Chie Kutsuwada
- Timelines of Science by DK
- Eyewitness: Natural Disasters by DK

Topic 4: Climate Change

- The Climate Book by Greta Thunberg
- A Bigger Picture by Vanessa Nakate
- How We're F***ing up the Planet by Tony Juniper
- Geography for Beginners by Usborne
- Earth: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- Eyewitness: Climate Change by DK
- 100 Things to Know about Saving the Planet by Usborne
- Timelines of Science by DK
- Saving Celeste by Timothée de Fombelle
- Burning Sunlight by Anthea Simmons
- Are Glaciers the Key to Climate Change? By Olivia Watson

Topic 6: Rivers

- Rivers: an Incredible Journey from Source to Sea by Simon Chapman and Qu Lan
- Earth's Incredible Places: Amazon River by S. Francis
- Map Your Planet: Rivers and Coasts by A. Chapman
- Earth: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- Geography for Beginners by Usborne
- What's Where in the World by DK
- River Adventures by Paul Manning
- Song of the River by Gill Lewis



Geography

Year 9

Topic 1: Urbanisation

- Geography for Beginners by Usborne
- 99% Invisible City by Roman Mars
- Eco-cities by Nancy Dickmann
- The Ecology Book by Tony Juniper
- Cities of the World: Africa by Liz Gogerly
- A History of the World in 25 Cities by British Museum
- Map Your Planet: Population & Settlement by Minay

Topic 3: Extreme Weather

- Super Storms and Fierce Floods by Cath Senker
- Nature Unleashed: Earthquakes and Volcanoes by Louise and Richard Spilsbury
- Can Predicting the Weather Save Lives? by E. Jeffrey
- Bang: The Wild Wonders of Earth's Phenomena by Jennifer Smith
- Eyewitness: Weather by DK
- Eyewitness: Natural Disasters by DK
- Timelines of Science by DK
- The Big Ones by Dr Lucy Jones
- When the Rivers Run Dry: The Global Water Crisis and How to Solve It by Fred Pearce
- Fire Weather by John Vaillant

Topic 5: Globalisation and Superpowers

- Politics for Beginners by Kellan Stover
- Geography for Beginners by Usborne
- Prisoners of Geography by Tim Marshall
- The Land and the People: Russia by Cath Senker
- The Land and the People: India by Susie Brooks
- How to Build Your Own Country by Valerie Wyatt
- If I Ran The Country by Rich Knight

Topic 2: Coasts

- Geology of the Jurassic Coast by Paul Ensom
- Earth: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- Ocean: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- Wow! Earth by DK
- Lightning Mary by Anthea Simmons
- Map Your Planet: Rivers & Coasts by A. Chapman
- Geology Rocks: Weathering & Erosion by C. Martin
- Nature Handbook by Chris Packham

Topic 4: Ecosystems

- Incredible Ecosystems of Planet Earth by Ignatofsky
- Habitats : Discover Earth's Precious Wild Places by Chris Packham
- How Biology Works by DK
- Ecology for Beginners by Tony Juniper
- SuperSimple Biology by DK
- The Ecology Book by Tony Juniper
- Natural Habitats by Philip Steele
- Saving British Wildlife by Claire Throp
- Nature Handbook by Chris Packham

Topic 6: Nigeria

- Africa, Amazing Africa by Atinuke
- Africana by Kim Chakanetsa
- It's a Continent: Unravelling Africa's History One Country at a Time by A. Madimba and C. Ukata
- Jummy at the River School by Sabin Adeyinka
- The Black History Book by DK
- Africa is Not a Country by Dipo Faloyon
- Web of Lies by Beverley Naidoo
- Things Fall Apart by Chinua Achebe



History

Year 7

Topic 1: The Norman Conquest

- Anglo-Saxons & Vikings by Usborne
- You Wouldn't Want to be an Anglo-Saxon Peasant by Jacqueline Morley
- Stormin' Normans by Terry Deary
- Early Britain 500,000 BC to AD 1154 by D. Haycock
- The UK in Maps by Stephen Scoffham
- Anglo-Saxon Boy by Tony Bradman
- The Short Knife by Elen Caldecott
- KS3 Knowing History: Medieval British and World History 410-1509 by Collins
- Changing Histories for KS3 by Christine Counsell

Topic 3: Medieval Conflict

(The Anarchy, Becket, The Crusades, Parliament)

- History of Britain and Ireland by DK
- War: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- Battles that Changed History by DK
- The Middle Ages 1154 to 1485 by David Haycock
- Medieval Realms: Warfare by Peter Chrisp KS3
- Knowing History: Medieval British and World History 410-1509 by Collins
- My Enemy, My Friend by Elizabeth Laird
- Eyewitness: Knight by DK
- Castles: A Very Peculiar History by J. Morley

Topic 5: Dynasties 1445—1603 (Tudors)

- History of Britain and Ireland by DK
- Diver's Daughter by Patrice Lawrence
- Eyewitness: Tudor by DK
- Tudors and Stuarts 1485 to 1714 by David Haycock
- Elizabeth I by Simon Adams
- Six Queens by Lydia Monks
- Treason by Berlie Doherty
- Eliza Rose & Lady Mary by Lucy Worsley
- A Tudor Turk by Rehan Khan
- The Six Wives of Henry VIII by Dominic Sandbrook
- Tudors : A Very Peculiar History by Jim Pipe

Topic 2: Medieval Societies

(Village and Town Life, Islamic Golden Age, Kingdoms of West Africa)

- Arthur: The Seeing Stone by K Crossley-Holland
- Medieval Realms: Daily Life by Peter Chrisp
- The Knight's Kiss by Sally Nicholls
- Weird Medieval Guys by Olivia Swarthout
- Adventures of Robin Hood by R. Lancelyn Green
- The Islamic Empires by L & R Spilsbury
- Timelines From Black History by DK
- Catherine, Called Birdy by Karen Cushman
- The Silk Roads by Peter Frankopan
- KS3 Knowing History: Medieval British and World History 410-1509 by Collins
- Changing Histories for KS3 by Christine Counsell
- A History of Africa by Robin Walker
- Children of the Benin Kingdom by Dinah Orji

Topic 4: Changes in Medieval Britain

(Edward I, Black Death, Peasants' Revolt)

- Children of Winter by Berlie Doherty
- All Fall Down by Sally Nicholls
- Ring of Roses by Mary Hooper
- My Story: The Great Plague by Pamela Oldfield
- The Prince and the Pauper by Mark Twain
- The Great Revolt by Paul Dowswell
- Understanding History: KS3 by Hodder Learning

Topic 6: Migration

(Romans, Vikings, Moors, Huguenots)

- Migrations by DK
- Understanding History: KS3 by Hodder Learning
- Black and British by David Olusoga
- Empire's End: a Roman Story by Leila Rasheed
- Who Were the Vikings? by Usborne
- The UK in Maps by Stephen Scoffham
- Kata and Tor by Kevin Crossley-Holland
- Eyewitness: Viking by DK
- Erik the Viking by Terry Jones & Michael Foreman
- The Silk Roads by Peter Frankopan



History

Year 8

Topic 1: Regicide to Republic 1603—1660 (English Civil War)

- War: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- History of Britain and Ireland by DK
- Battles that Changed History by DK
- Understanding History: KS3 by Hodder Learning
- The Children of the New Forest by Capt. F. Marryat
- KS3 Knowing History: Early Modern British and World History 1509-1760 by Collins
- Changing Histories for KS3 by Christine Counsell

Topic 3: Industrial Britain 1750—1900

- Coram Boy by Jamila Gavin
- Oliver Twist by Charles Dickens
- A Nest of Vipers by Catherine Johnson
- History of Britain and Ireland by DK
- Eyewitness: Victorians by DK
- The Victorian Age 1837 to 1914 by D. Haycock
- Understanding History: KS3 by Hodder Learning
- Street Child by Berlie Doherty
- The Little Match Girl Strikes Back by Emma Carroll
- KS3 Knowing History: Modern British and World History 1760-1900 by Collins

Topic 5: Resistance to the Transatlantic Slave Trade

- Queen of Freedom by Catherine Johnson
- 1783: Freedom by Catherine Johnson
- Cane Warriors by Alex Wheatle
- Black and British by David Olusoga
- Timelines From Black History by DK
- History of the World—Map By Map by DK
- My Story: a Picture of Freedom by Patricia McKissack
- Journey Back to Freedom by Catherine Johnson
- Journeys of Empire by Sathnam Sanghera
- KS3 Knowing History: Modern British and World History 1760-1900 by Collins
- Changing Histories for KS3 by Christine Counsell

Topic 2: Rights and Revolutions (The Renaissance, Enlightenment, American & French Revolutions)

- War: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- Battles that Changed History by DK
- History of the World—Map By Map by DK
- The History Book by DK
- Chains by Laurie Halse Anderson
- Sovay by Celia Rees
- Blade and Bone by Catherine Johnson
- KS3 Knowing History: Early Modern British and World History 1509-1760 by Collins
- Changing Histories for KS3 by Christine Counsell

Topic 4: The British Empire (Australia, British India, Scramble for Africa)

- Story of Now: Let's Talk About the British Empire by Shelina Janmohamed
- Stolen History by Sathnam Sanghera
- Journeys of Empire by Sathnam Sanghera
- History of the World—Map By Map by DK
- Catching Teller Crow by Ambelin Kwaymullina
- Swordswoman! The Queen of Jhansi in the Indian Uprising of 1857 by Devika Rangachari
- Nush and the Stolen Emerald by Jasbinder Bilan
- Lands of Belonging by Donna Amey Bhatt
- Escape from Amritsar by Bali Rai
- KS3 Knowing History: Modern British and World History 1760-1900 by Collins
- Changing Histories for KS3 by Christine Counsell

Topic 6: The Long Civil Rights Movement in the USA

- March by John Lewis
- Clean Getaway by Nic Stone
- Timelines From Black History by DK
- Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry by Mildred D. Taylor
- The Black History Book by DK
- The Flag Never Touched The Ground : America's Brave Black Regiment in Battle by Kekla Magoon



History

Year 9

Topic 1: World War One

- Black Poppies by Stephen Bourne
- Over the Line by Tom Palmer
- Scars Upon My Heart edited by Catherine Reilly
- Journey's End by RC Sherriff
- Eyewitness: World War One by DK
- Poems by Siegfried Sassoon and Wilfred Owen
- Remembrance by Theresa Breslin
- Hardit Singh Malik: WWI Flying Ace by Bali Rai
- The First World War by Dominic Sandbrook KS3
- Knowing History: Twentieth Century British and World History 1900-2020 by Collins

Topic 2b: Women's Suffrage

- Suffragette: the Battle for Equality by David Roberts
- Suffragettes and the Fight for the Vote by S. Ridley
- The Royal Rebel by Bali Rai
- Star By Star by Sheena Wilkinson
- Things a Bright Girl Can Do by Sally Nicholls
- My Story: Princess Sophia Duleep Singh by S. Ahmed
- My Story: Suffragette by Carol Drinkwater
- Women: Our History by DK
- Normal Women by Philippa Gregory

Topic 4 & 5: World War Two & Genocide

- The War Birds Cycle by Elizabeth Wein
- Resist & Angel of Grasmere by Tom Palmer
- Now or Never & Mohinder's War by Bali Rai
- Fighting Forces of the Second World War by J. C. Miles
- Never Shall I Ever Forget You by Jamila Gavin
- My Story: Noor-un-Nissa Inayat Khan by Sufiya Ahmed
- The Last Paper Crane by Kerry Drewery
- The Girl Who Said No to the Nazis by Haydn Kaye
- We Will Not Be Silent by Russell Freedman
- Hana's Suitcase by Karen Levine
- Night by Elie Wiesel
- Beyond Courage by Doreen Rappaport
- Barefoot Gen by Nakazawa Keiji
- The World War II Book by DK

Topic 2a: The Russian Revolution

- 20th Century Russia : a Century of Upheaval by Heather Maisner
- Blood Red, Snow White by Marcus Sedgwick
- History of the World - Map by Map by DK
- Memories: Moscow to the Black Sea by Teffi
- The Rasputin Dagger by Theresa Breslin
- KS3 Knowing History: Twentieth Century British and World History 1900-2020 by Collins

Topic 3: The Interwar Period

(The Nazis' Rise to Power)

- Between the Wars, 1918-1939 by John Miles
- Stateless by Elizabeth Wein
- Faithful Spy by John Hendrix
- The Battle of Cable Street by Tanya Landman
- Prelude to the Holocaust by Jane Shuter
- KS3 Knowing History: Twentieth Century British and World History 1900-2020 by Collins

Topic 6: Migration and Race Relations

- Migrations by DK
- Story of Now: Let's Talk About the British Empire by Shelina Janmohamed
- Stolen History by Sathnam Sanghera
- Black and British by David Olusoga
- Windrush Child by Benjamin Zephaniah
- Mother Country edited by C. Brinkhurst-Cuff
- The Black History Book by DK
- Timelines From Black History by DK
- Coming to England by Floella Benjamin



Languages: French

Key Stage 3: French

Dictionaries

- Oxford School French Dictionary
- Collins French Dictionary
- Oxford Children's French—Visual
- DK Visual French Dictionary

Supporting Texts

- French Grammar by Collins
- French Conversation by Collins
- French Idioms by Collins
- Oxford Better French by OUP
- Eyewitness Travel Phrase Book
- Mot à Mot by Hodder Education
- First Thousand Words in French by H. Amery

Books in French

- Parallel Texts: Short Stories in French by Coward
- Un Chant de Noel by Charles Dickens
- Le Petit Prince by Antoine de Saint-Exupery
- Percy Jackson: Le Voleur de Foudre by Rick Riordan
- Harry Potter Et l'Ecole des Sorciers by JK Rowling

Fiction by French authors and/or set in French-speaking countries

- Blade and Bone by Catherine Johnson
- Rooftoppers by Katherine Rundell
- Safiyyah's War by Hiba Noor Khan
- Vincent by Barbara Stok
- Code Name Verity by Elizabeth Wein
- Saving Celeste by Timothee de Fombelle
- Anna and the French Kiss by Stephanie Perkins
- Dance of Resistance by Catherine Johnson
- Classic Starts: The Three Musketeers by Alexandre Dumas
- Piglettes by Clementine Beauvais
- Catherine Certitude by Patrick Modiano and Jean-Jacques Sempé
- Almost Nothing Happened by Meg Rosoff
- On The Streets of Paris : A Poetic Tour of the City by Clementine Beauvais and Seula Yi

Wider Reading:

- Let's Cook! The Culture and Recipes of France by Tracey Kelly
- French Cooking for Beginners by Claudine Pépin



Languages: Spanish

Key Stage 3: Spanish

Dictionaries

- Collins Spanish Dictionary Collins
- Spanish Dictionary with Grammar
- Oxford Children's Spanish—Visual
- DK Visual Spanish Dictionary

Supporting Texts

- Spanish Grammar by Collins
- Spanish Conversation by Collins
- Spanish Idioms by Collins
- Oxford Better Spanish by OUP
- Eyewitness Travel Phrase Book
- Palabra por Palabra by Hodder Education
- First Thousand Words in Spanish by H. Amery

Books in Spanish

- Parallel Texts: Short Stories in Spanish by John R. King
- Bajo La Misma Estrella by John Green
- Harry Potter y la Piedra Filosofal by JK Rowling
- El Principito by Antoine de Saint-Exupery

Fiction by Spanish authors and/or set in Spanish-speaking countries

- The Wild Book by Juan Villoro
- The Fountains of Silence by Ruta Sepetys
- Clap When You Land by Elizabeth Acevedo
- Homage to Catalonia by George Orwell
- The House on Mango Street by Sandra Cisneros
- Cemetery Boys by Aiden Thomas
- Toro! Toro! By Michael Morpurgo
- Classic Starts: Don Quixote by Miguel de Cervantes

Wider Reading:

- Let's Cook! The Culture and Recipes of Mexico by Tracey Kelly
- Journey Through Spain by Anita Ganeri
- Spain Unpacked by Susie Brooks
- Find Out About Spain by Duncan Crosbie
- Spanish Cooking for Beginners by Gabriela Llamas



Maths

Key Stage 3

- Mathematics for Beginners by Usborne
- Maths Lab by DK
- Murderous Maths by Kjartan Poskitt
- Oxford Student's Mathematics Dictionary
- The Truth Detective by Tim Harford
- Super Simple Maths by DK
- Illustrated Dictionary of Maths by Usborne Books
- Mammoth Maths: Everything You Need to Know About Numbers by David Macaulay
- Math Cats : Scratching the Surface of Mathematical Concepts by Daniel M. Look
- Maths All Around You: Numbers by Rob Colson
- Maths All Around You: Shapes by Rob Colson
- Maths All Around You: Calculations by Rob Colson
- Maths All Around You: Statistics by Rob Colson
- Maths All Around You: Fractions by Rob Colson
- Maths: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by DK
- What's the Point of Maths? By DK
- KS3 Maths is Easy: Working with Algebra by How2Become
- Women Scientists in Maths and Coding by Catherine Brereton
- You Do the Maths: Solve a Crime & Launch a Rocket into Space by Koll, Mills & Aleksic



Music

Year 7

Topic 1: The Elements Of Music

- First Steps in Music Theory by Eric Taylor
- The AB Guide to Music Theory by Eric Taylor
- Music Theory in Practice by Eric Taylor
- Music and How It Works by Charlie Morland
- Music Theory 101 by Boone and Schonbrun
- Very Short Introductions for Curious Young Minds: The World of Music by Nathan Holder
- 100 Things to Know About Music by Usborne
- Theory Note by Note by Michael Miller

Topic 3: Keyboard Skills

- Core Classics: Essential Repertoire for Piano—Grades 1-2 by ABRSM
- The Piano at the Station by Helen Rutter
- Couch to Concert: Beginner Piano by Karen Marshall

Topic 5: Baroque Era and Ground Bass

- Music: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- The Classical Music Book by DK
- The Complete Classical Music Guide by DK
- The Children's Book of Music by DK
- Composers Who Changed History by DK
- Raising the Roof: A Dazzling History of Classical Music and its Colourful Characters by Jack Pepper and Michele Bruttomesso
- Curtain Up! by Royal Opera House and L. O'Hara

Topic 2: Exploring Rhythm through African Music

- Music and How It Works by Charlie Morland
- Music: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- The Children's Book of Music by DK

Topic 4: Chords & Ukulele Skills

- Ukulele for Beginners by Will Grove-White
- The Ukulele Handbook by Gavin Pretor-Pinney and Tom Hodgkinson
- Guitar Chord Bible by Phil Capone

Topic 6: Introduction to Music Tech

- Home Recording For Dummies by Jeff Strong
- Very Short Introductions for Curious Young Minds: The World of Music by Nathan Holder



Music

Year 8

Topic 1: The Blues

- Music and How It Works by Charlie Morland
- Music: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- The Children's Book of Music by DK
- Musical World by Jeffrey Boakye

Topic 3: Reggae

- Music and How It Works by Charlie Morland
- Musical Truth by Jeffrey Boakye
- Music: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- Rise Up and Sing! : Power, Protest, and Activism in Music by Andrea Warner
- Musical World by Jeffrey Boakye

Topic 5: Film Music

- Music: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- The Children's Book of Music by DK
- Very Short Introductions for Curious Young Minds: The World of Music by Nathan Holder
- A History of Film Music by Mervyn Cooke

Topic 2: Latin American Music (Samba)

- Music: the Definitive Visual History by DK

Topic 4: Impressionism (Debussy, Satie, Ravel)

- Music: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- The Complete Classical Music Guide by DK
- Music: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- The Classical Music Book by DK
- Composers Who Changed History by DK
- Raising the Roof: A Dazzling History of Classical Music and its Colourful Characters by Jack Pepper and Michele Bruttomesso

Fiction

- Steady for This by Nathanael Lessore
- Birdsong by Katya Balen
- Barakah Beats by Maleeha Siddiqui
- The Piano at the Station by Helen Rutter



Music

Year 9

Topic 1: Cover Songs & Band Skills

- Make Some Noise by the Horne Section
- Very Short Introductions for Curious Young Minds: The World of Music by Nathan Holder

Topic 3: Writing a Pop Song

- Rise Up and Sing! : Power, Protest, and Activism in Music by Andrea Warner
- How to Write One Song by Jeff Tweedy
- Make Some Noise by the Horne Section
- Musical World by Jeffrey Boakye
- Music Theory Note by Note by Michael Miller
- Very Short Introductions for Curious Young Minds: The World of Music by Nathan Holder
- Music Composition For Dummies by S. Jarrett
- Songwriting for Dummies by Jim Peterik

Topic 2: Classical Music and Sequencing

- The Complete Classical Music Guide by DK
- Music: the Definitive Visual History by DK
- The Classical Music Book by DK
- Composers: Their Lives and Works by DK
- The Children's Book of Music by DK
- Big Bangs: Five Musical Revolutions by Howard Goodall
- Raising the Roof: A Dazzling History of Classical Music and its Colourful Characters by Jack Pepper and Michele Bruttomesso

Fiction

- Every Time You Hear That Song by Jenna Voris
- Sing If You Can't Dance by Alexia Casale
- Ellie Pillai is Brown by Christine Pillainayagam
- Let's Go Karaoke! #1 by Yama Wayama
- You, Me and our Heartstrings by Melissa See
- I Was Born for This by Alice Oseman
- Music & Malice in Hurricane Town by Alex Bell
- Everything Amplified by Ziggy Hanaor and Sarah Tippet



Year 7

Topic 1: What Makes Me, Me?

- What's the Point of Philosophy? by DK
- Philosophy for Beginners by Usborne
- Get to Know Philosophy by DK
- Heads up Philosophy by DK
- Children's Book of Philosophy by DK
- KS3 Knowing Religion: Philosophy and Ethics by Robert Orme
- Philosophy : A Visual Encyclopedia by DK

Topic 3: Abrahamic Prophethood

- All About Religion by DK
- KS3 Knowing Religion: Biblical Literacy by R. Orme
- The History of Christianity by DK
- Muhammad: the Life of the Prophet by Real Reads
- Noah's Ark & Other Bible Stories by Marcia Williams
- A Time Travel Guide to the Land of Jesus by P. Martin
- Afikomen by Tziporah Cohen
- Investigate! Religions: The Jewish, Christian and
- Muslim Faiths by Sophie de Mullenheim
- The Biggest Story Bible by Kevin DeYoung

Topic 5: Jerusalem

- The History of Christianity by DK
- Great Cities by DK
- A Time Travel Guide to the Land of Jesus by P. Martin
- Jerusalem: The Illustrated Edition by Simon Sebag Montefiore
- A Little Piece of Ground by Elizabeth Laird
- My Enemy, My Friend by Elizabeth Laird

Topic 2: Ultimate Questions

- Philosophy : A Visual Encyclopedia by DK
- KS3 Knowing Religion: Philosophy and Ethics by Robert Orme
- All About Religion by DK
- Children's Book of Philosophy by DK
- Sophie's World by Jostein Gaarder (graphic novel)
- What's the Point of Philosophy? by DK
- What is Right and Wrong? Who Decides? Where Do Values Come from? And Other Big Questions by Michael Rosen and Annemarie Young
- Are You There God? It's Me, Margaret by Judy Blume

Topic 4: Special Journeys

- A Pilgrim's Progress by John Bunyan (adapted by Geraldine McCaughrean)
- The Canterbury Tales by Geoffrey Chaucer
- The Canterbury Tales (Retold) by Ian McNee
- Migrations by DK
- World Religions by DK
- Celebrating Islamic Festivals by Liz Miles
- Celebrating Buddhist Festivals by Nick Hunter
- Celebrating Hindu Festivals by Liz Miles
- Celebrating Sikh Festivals by Nick Hunter
- Lands of Belonging by Donna Amey Bhatt
- The Silk Roads by Peter Frankopan



Year 8

Topic 1: Eastern Religions

- Celebrating Buddhist Festivals by Nick Hunter
- Celebrating Hindu Festivals by Liz Miles
- Celebrating Sikh Festivals by Nick Hunter
- KS3 Knowing Religion series by various authors
- World Religions by DK
- All About Religion by DK
- Siddhartha: Life of the Buddha by Real Reads
- Ramayana by Real Reads
- All About Lunar New Year by Kevin Tsang
- All About Diwali by Swapna Haddow
- Festivals by Louise Nelson

Topic 3: Life After Death

- We Need To Talk About Death by Sarah Chavez & Annika Le Large
- Remembering the Dead Around the World by Anita Ganeri
- Vicky Angel by Jacqueline Wilson
- The Wish List by Eoin Colfer
- Ghost Book by Remy Lai
- Show Us Who You Are by Elle McNicoll
- Around the World by Laura Mucha
- You've Reached Sam by Dustin Thao
- Cloud Nine by Sue Cunningham
- Is Nothing Something? by Thich Nhat Hanh
- Investigate! Religions: The Jewish, Christian and Muslim Faiths by Sophie de Mullenheim
- The World of the Unknown: Ghosts by Christopher
- Celebrate! Discover 50 Fantastic Festivals from Around the World by Laura Mucha

Topic 2: Rites of Passage

- Coming of Age, Remembering the Dead, Celebrating Birth, and Celebrating Weddings Around the World by Anita Ganeri
- All About Religion by DK
- KS3 Knowing Religion series by various authors
- Celebrate! : Discover 50 Fantastic Festivals from Around the World by Laura Mucha
- Does My Head Look Big in This? by Randa Abdel-Fattah
- Are You There God? It's Me, Margaret by Judy Blume
- Festivals by Louise Nelson

Topic 4: Religious Art

- Islamic Art by Luca Mozzati and David Radzinowicz
- World Religions by DK
- Rise Up and Sing! Power, Protest, and Activism in Music by Andrea Warner
- Celebrate! Discover 50 Fantastic Festivals from Around the World by Laura Mucha
- Art: a Visual History by Robert Cumming
- The Usborne Introduction to Art by Rosie Dickins and Mari Griffith
- World Art and Culture: Chinese by Clare Hibbert
- World Art and Culture: Japanese by Kamini Khanduri
- 13 Paintings Children Should Know by Angela Wenzel
- 13 Art Movements Children Should Know by B. Finger
- The History of Christianity by DK
- Henna Archive: A Step-by-Step Guide to 30 Designs by Azra Khamisa



Year 9

Topic 1: Applied Ethics

- What is Right and Wrong? by Michael Rosen and Annemarie Young
- KS3 Knowing Religion: Philosophy and Ethics by Robert Orme
- Pig Heart Boy by Malorie Blackman
- Welcome to Trashland by Steve Cole
- Brock by Anthony McGowan
- Medicine: Definitive Illustrated History by DK
- 100 Things to Know about Saving the Planet by Usborne Books
- How to Change It by Joshua Virasami
- Burning Sunlight by Anthea Simmons
- Dear Nobody by Berlie Doherty
- Show Us Who You Are by Elle McNicoll
- Little Bang by Kelly McCaughrain
- Handle With Care by Louisa Reid
- All Better Now by Neal Shusterman

Topic 3: Holocaust Education

- Understanding the Holocaust at KS3—textbook
- Hana's Suitcase by Karen Levine
- We Will Not Be Silent by Russell Freedman
- Beyond Courage by Doreen Rappaport
- The Missing by Michael Rosen
- Night by Elie Wiesel
- Maus by Art Spiegelman
- One Day by Michael Rosen and Benjamin Phillips
- What Jewish Looks Like by Liz Kleinrock & Caroline Kusin Pritchard
- The Diary of a Young Girl by Anne Frank

Topic 5: Political Philosophy

- Children's Book of Philosophy by DK
- Politics for Beginners by DK
- How Politics Works by DK
- How Philosophy Works by DK
- Introducing Nietzsche: A Graphic Guide by L. Gane
- Introducing Marxism: A Graphic Guide by R. Woodfin

Topic 2: Human Rights & Social Justice

- Rise Up and Sing! Power, Protest, and Activism in Music by Andrea Warner
- Law and Politics for Beginners by Usborne
- Fight Back by A.M. Dassu
- Allies edited by Dana Levy and Shakirah Bourne
- The Extraordinary Life of Mahatma Gandhi by Chitra Soundar, Malala Yousafzai by Hiba Noor Khan, and Nelson Mandela by EL Norry
- The Black Pimpernel: Nelson Mandela On the Run by Zukiswa Wanner
- This Book is Feminist by Jamia Wilson
- This Book is Anti-Racist by Tiffany Jewell
- Timelines From Black History by DK
- My Story: Princess Sophia Duleep Singh by S. Ahmed
- Rainbow Revolutions by Jamie Lawson
- Disability Visibility by Alice Wong
- Great Lives in Graphics: Martin Luther King, and Nelson Mandela by Button Books

Topic 4: Existence of God & Revelation

- Sophie's World by Jostein Gaarder
- KS3 Knowing Religion: Biblical Literacy by R. Orme
- Children's Book of Philosophy by DK
- The History of Christianity by DK
- What is Humanism? by M. Rosen & A. Young
- Philosophy for Beginners by Usborne
- How Philosophy Works by DK
- Investigate! Understanding God: The Christian Faith by Sophie de Mullenheim
- The Biggest Story Bible by Kevin DeYoung



Physical Education

Year 7

Topic 1: Dance

- 100 Things to Know About Sport by Usborne
- Welcome to the Arts: Dance by Sir Alistair Spalding
- Ballet Shoes by Noel Streatfeild
- Top Dance Tips by Jen Jones
- No Ballet Shoes in Syria by Catherine Bruton
- Dance of Resistance by Catherine Johnson

Topic 3: Rugby Union

- Know the Game: Complete Skills—Rugby by Simon Jones
- Incredible Rugby by Clive Gifford
- Rugby Spirit by Gerard Siggins
- Sports Academy: Rugby by Clive Gifford
- Ultimate Rugby Superstars by Maggie Alphonsi and Matt Oldfield
- Gordon's Game by Gordon d'Arcy and P. Howard
- The Sports Book by DK

Topic 5: Athletics

- Gold Medal Mysteries: Thief on the Track by Ellie Robinson
- The Science Behind Athletics by Lisa Amstutz
- Ultimate Sports Heroes: Bolt by John Murray
- Ghost by Jason Reynolds
- The Sports Book by DK
- 101 Youth Athletics Drills by John Shepherd
- Running My Own Race by Abena Eyeson

Topic 2: Netball

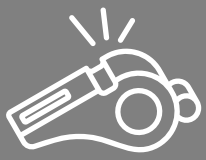
- 101 Youth Netball Drills by A & C Sheryn
- Sports Academy: Netball by Clive Gifford
- Know the Game: Netball by the All England Netball Association
- Leap by Geva Mentor
- The Sports Book by DK

Topic 4: Gymnastics

- Sports Academy: Gymnastics by Paul Mason
- My Book of Gymnastics by DK
- Courage to Soar by Simone Biles
- Fierce by Aly Raisman
- Grace, God and Glory by Gabrielle Douglas
- Trailblazers: Simone Biles by Sally Morgan
- The Sports Book by DK
- 100 Things to Know About Sport by Usborne
- Winner Takes Gold by Eloise Smith

Topic 6: Rounders/Cricket

- Know the Game: Cricket by the England and Wales Cricket Board
- Incredible Cricket by Clive Gifford
- Amazing Cricket Stars: Heather Knight, Ben Stokes, Virat Kohli by Clive Gifford
- Sports Academy: Cricket by Chris Oxlade
- 101 Youth Cricket Drills by Luke Sellers
- The Sports Book by DK



Physical Education

Year 8

Topic 1: Outdoor Adventurous Activities and Health Related Fitness

- 101 Youth Fitness Drills by Antoniades and Shepherd
- The Young Runner's Guide to Nutrition by M. Pettinger
- The Science of Stretch by DK

Topic 3: Rugby League

- Know the Game: Complete Skills—Rugby by Simon Jones
- Incredible Rugby by Clive Gifford
- The Sports Book by DK

Topic 5: Athletics

- The Sports Book by DK
- The Science Behind Athletics by Lisa Amstutz
- Ultimate Sports Heroes: Bolt by John Murray
- 100 Things to Know About Sport by Usborne
- On Your Marks, Get Set, Gold! by Scott Allen

Topic 2: Dance

- 100 Things to Know About Sport by Usborne
- Welcome to the Arts: Dance by Sir Alistair Spalding
- Ballet Shoes by Noel Streatfeild

Topic 4: Badminton

- The Sports Book by DK
- Blue Box by Kouji Miura
- 100 Things to Know About Sport by Usborne
- On Your Marks, Get Set, Gold! by Scott Allen

Topic 6: Rounders/Cricket

- The Sports Book by DK
- 101 Youth Cricket Drills by Luke Sellers
- 100 Things to Know About Sport by Usborne
- Incredible Cricket by Clive Gifford
- Ben Stokes, Virat Kohli and Heather Knight by Clive Gifford



Physical Education

Year 9

Topic 1: Dance

- 100 Things to Know About Sport by Usborne
- Welcome to the Arts: Dance by Sir Alistair Spalding
- Ballet Shoes by Noel Streatfeild

Topic 3: Football

- 50 Ways Into Football by Dan Freedman & D. Geey
- Play Like Your Football Heroes by Matt Oldfield and Seth Burkett
- Blue Lock by M. Kaneshiro and Y. Nomura
- Ultimate Football Heroes by Matt & Tom Oldfield
- Game Changers by Eve Ainsworth
- Me and Aaron Ramsey by Manon Steffan Ros
- Kicking Off by Eve Ainsworth
- The Silent Striker by Pete Kalu
- Booked by Kwame Alexander
- Sports Academy: Football by Clive Gifford
- Career Mode: Goal Machine by Roland Hall
- 101 Youth Football Coaching Sessions by Tony Charles
- 101 Youth Football Drills by Malcolm Cook

Topic 5: Athletics

- The Sports Book by DK
- The Science Behind Athletics by Lisa Amstutz
- Ultimate Sports Heroes: Bolt by John Murray
- The Science of Running by Chris Napier
- 101 Youth Athletics Drills by John Shepherd
- On Your Marks, Get Set, Gold! by Scott Allen
- The Young Runner's Guide to Nutrition by M. Pettinger

Topic 2: Health-Related Fitness

- 101 Youth Fitness Drills by Antoniades & Shepherd
- The Young Runner's Guide to Nutrition by M. Pettinger
- The Science of Stretch by DK

Topic 4: Trampolining

- On Trampolining by Rebecca Perry
- On Your Marks, Get Set, Gold! by Scott Allen

Topic 6: Tennis

- The Extraordinary Life of Serena Williams by Shelina Janmohamed
- The Sports Book by DK
- 101 Youth Tennis Drills by Dan Thorp
- Sports Academy: Tennis by Clive Gifford
- Tennis Shoes by Noel Streatfeild
- Wimbledon by Sue Barker
- On Your Marks, Get Set, Gold! by Scott Allen



Year 7

Topic 1: Friendships

(gender stereotyping, peer pressure)

- The Teenage Guide to Friends by Nicola Morgan
- Find Your Girl Squad by Angharad Rudkin and Ruth Fitzgerald
- Friendship Survival Guide by Caroline Young
- Growing Up: A Guide to Puberty and Adolescence for Teenagers and Parents by DK

Topic 3: My Community

(racism, knife crime, gangs)

- Little Bit by Alex Wheatle
- Teacher's Dead by Benjamin Zephaniah
- The Secret Diary of a British Muslim Aged 13 3/4 by Tez Ilyas
- The Life of Stephen Lawrence by Verna Wilkins
- This Book is Anti-Racist by Tiffany Jewell
- Breakthrough by Omar Sharif

Topic 5: Physical Health

(drugs, diet, puberty)

- Body Brilliant by Nicola Morgan
- Looking After Your Health by Caroline Young
- Pizza Face by Rex Ogle
- Growing Up: A Guide to Puberty and Adolescence for Teenagers and Parents by DK

Topic 2: Online Safety

(social media, rules)

- The Teenage Guide to Life Online by Nicola Morgan
- Social Media Survival Guide by Usborne Books
- Staying Safe Online by Louie Stowell
- The Teenage Guide to Digital Wellbeing by Tanya Goodin
- Why Your Parents Are Hung-Up on Your Phone and What To Do About It by Dean Burnett

Topic 4: Emotions

(mental health, needs and wants)

- The Sad Ghost Club by Lize Meddings
- Be Resilient Be You by Becky Goddard-Hill
- Jellybean by Eve Ainsworth
- Looking After Your Mental Health by Louie Stowell
- The Awesome Autistic Guide to Feelings and Emotions by Yann Purkis & Tanya Masterman

Topic 6: Money

(bank accounts)

- Cash: How to Earn It, Save It, Spend It, Grow It, Give It by Rashmi Sirdeshpande
- Cash is Queen by Davinia Tomlinson
- Get to Know Money by Kalpana Fitzpatrick
- Money for Beginners by Usborne Books
- Business for Beginners by Usborne Books
- Managing Your Money by Usborne Books
- The Ultimate Guide to Money by E. Asuquo



Year 8

Topic 1: Relationships

(marriage, pregnancy, contraception)

- Growing Up: A Guide to Puberty and Adolescence for Teenagers and Parents by DK
- Honest: Everything They Don't Tell You About Sex, Relationships and Bodies by Milly Evans
- Welcome to Sex! by Dr Melissa Kang and Yumi Stynes
- The Pregnancy Encyclopedia by DK
- Split Survival Kit : 10 Steps For Coping With Your Parents' Separation by R. Fitzgerald & A. Rudkin

Topic 3: Online Safety

- Honest: Everything They Don't Tell You About Sex, Relationships and Bodies by Milly Evans
- Growing Up: A Guide to Puberty and Adolescence for Teenagers and Parents by DK
- The Teenage Guide to Life Online by Nicola Morgan
- Social Media Survival Guide by Usborne Books
- What Happens Online by Nate Lessore
- Staying Safe Online by Louie Stowell
- The Teenage Guide to Digital Wellbeing by Gooding
- Why Your Parents Are Hung-Up on Your Phone and and What To Do About It by Dean Burnett

Topic 5: Society

(migration, crime, Brexit)

- Migrations by DK
- The Crossing by Manjeet Mann
- The New Girl by Cassandra Calin
- Drawn Across Borders by George Butler
- Crossing the Line by Tia Fisher
- Needle by Patrice Lawrence

Topic 2: Health and Fitness

(body image, mental health, sleep)

- Looking After Your Mental Health by Usborne
- Growing Up: A Guide to Puberty and Adolescence for Teenagers and Parents by DK
- Body Brilliant by Nicola Morgan
- The Science of Sleep by Heather Darwall-Smith
- When I See Blue by Lily Bailey
- The Sad Ghost Club by Lize Meddings
- The Body Confidence Book by Philippa Diedrichs
- Looking After Your Health by Caroline Young
- Be Resilient Be You by Becky Goddard-Hill

Topic 4: Careers

- The Careers Handbook by DK
- 50 Ways Into Football by D. Freedman & D. Geey
- Follow Your Dreams by Katherine Mengardon
- Be A Young Entrepreneur by Adam Sutherland
- What Can I Do When I Grow Up? by School of Life
- 50 Fantastic Science Jobs by Tom Jackson

Topic 6: Money

(money and spending)

- Cash: How to Earn It, Save It, Spend It, Grow It, Give It by Rashmi Sirdeshpande
- Cash is Queen by Davinia Tomlinson
- Get to Know Money by Kalpana Fitzpatrick
- Money for Beginners by Usborne Books
- Business for Beginners by Usborne Books
- Managing Your Money by Usborne Books
- The Ultimate Guide to Money by E. Asuquo



Year 9

Topic 1: Relationships

(marriage, pregnancy, abortion, grooming)

- Growing Up: A Guide to Puberty and Adolescence for Teenagers and Parents by DK
- Lads: a Guide to Respect and Consent by Alan Bissett
- Honest: Everything They Don't Tell You About Sex, Relationships and Bodies by Milly Evans
- Welcome to Sex! by Dr Melissa Kang and Yumi Stynes
- Little Bang by Kelly McCaughrain
- Not Going to Plan by Tia Fisher

Topic 3: Community

(human rights, HBT bullying, knife crime)

- Crossing the Line by Tia Fisher
- King of Nothing by Nate Lessore
- Play by Luke Palmer
- When Our Worlds Collided by Danielle Jawando
- Allies edited by Shakirah Bourne and Dana Levy
- Glitter Boy by Ian Eagleton
- Spin Me Right Round by David Valdes
- The Outsiders by S. E. Hinton
- Hello Mum by Bernardine Evaristo

Topic 5: Health

(first aid, drugs, eating disorders, smoking)

- First Aid Manual by St John's Ambulance & DK
- Growing Up: A Guide to Puberty and Adolescence for Teenagers and Parents by DK
- Weight Expectations by Dave Chawner
- Louder Than Hunger by John Schu
- County Lines by Donna David
- Crossing the Line by Tia Fisher
- Play by Luke Palmer
- The Body Confidence Book by Philippa Diedrichs

Topic 2: Online Safety

(trolling, sexting, viruses)

- Growing Up: A Guide to Puberty and Adolescence for Teenagers and Parents by DK
- Lads: a Guide to Respect and Consent by Alan Bissett
- Honest: Everything They Don't Tell You About Sex, Relationships and Bodies by Milly Evans
- Always Here for You by Miriam Halahmy
- Catfishing on CatNet by Naomi Kritzer
- Every Word a Lie by Sue Wallman
- Why Your Parents Are Hung-Up on Your Phone and What To Do About It by Dean Burnett
- What Happens Online by Nate Lessore

Topic 4: Politics and Law

(extremism, voting, copyright)

- Law for Beginners by Usborne
- Politics for Beginners by Usborne
- How Politics Works by DK
- I Am Thunder by Muhammad Khan
- Rose, Interrupted by Patrice Lawrence

Topic 6: Money

(debt, enterprise)

- Cash: How to Earn It, Save It, Spend It, Grow It, Give It by Rashmi Sirdeshpande
- Cash is Queen by Davinia Tomlinson
- Get to Know Money by Kalpana Fitzpatrick
- Entrepreneurs Who Changed History by DK
- How To Start Your Own Business by DK
- Money for Beginners by Usborne Books
- Business for Beginners by Usborne Books
- Managing Your Money by Usborne Books
- The Ultimate Guide to Money by E. Asuquo
- Stealing Happy by Brian Conaghan



Year 7

Topic 1: How Science Works

- How Science Works by DK
- What's the Point of Science? by DK
- 50 Fantastic Science Jobs by Tom Jackson
- What Do Scientists Do? by Tom Mumbray
- Engineers Making a Difference by Dr Shini Somara
- Knowledge Encyclopedia: Science! by DK

Topic 3: Mixtures and Separation

- Chemistry for Beginners by Usborne
- Chemistry for Young Scientists by Kit Chapman
- Materials by Claudia Martin
- Super Simple Chemistry by DK

Topic 5: Cells

- The Cell by Ben Martynoga
- InfoSearch: Cells by Richard and Louise Spilsbury
- Super Simple Biology by DK
- How Biology Works by DK
- How Science Works by DK
- Explanatorium of Science by
- The Complete Human Body by DK
- Knowledge Encyclopedia: Science! by DK
- Biology: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by Eva Amsen
- Cells At Work! by Akane Shimizu
- Thirty Trillion Cells : How Your Body Really Works by Isabel Thomas and Dawn Cooper
- Biology for Beginners by Minna Lacey

Topic 2: Energy and Particles

- Molecules by Theodore Gray
- How Science Works by DK
- Explanatorium of Science by DK
- Knowledge Encyclopedia: Science! by DK
- Physics: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by David Sang
- Very Short Introductions for Curious Young Minds: The Shocking Truth about Energy by Mike Goldsmith

Topic 4: Chemical Reactions

- Reactions by Theodore Gray
- Super Simple Chemistry by DK
- Explanatorium of Science by DK
- Chemistry for Beginners by Usborne
- Chemistry for Young Scientists by Kit Chapman

Topic 6: Animal Reproduction

- Inheritance & Reproduction by Jen Green
- Super Simple Biology by DK
- How Biology Works by DK
- The Animal Book by DK
- Biology: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by Eva Amsen

Topic 7: Forces and Motion

- InfoSearch: Forces and Motion by A. Royston
- Physics for Beginners by Usborne
- How Science Works by DK
- The Way Things Work by David Macaulay
- Surprised by Science: Forces are Fantastic! by Wayland



Year 8

Topic 8: Biodiversity & Plant Reproduction

- How Biology Works by DK
- Explanatorium of Science by DK
- Biology: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by Eva Amsen
- Plant Power: The Importance of Plants in our World by Claire Llewellyn and Jo Parry
- Knowledge Encyclopedia: Plants and Fungi by DK
- Biology for Beginners by Minna Lacey
- Green: The Story of Plant Life on Our Planet by Nicola Davies and Emily Sutton

Topic 10: Chemical Reactions

- Reactions by Theodore Gray
- Super Simple Chemistry by DK
- Explanatorium of Science by DK
- Knowledge Encyclopedia: Science! by DK
- Chemistry for Beginners by Usborne
- Chemistry for Young Scientists by Kit Chapman

Topic 12: Systems & Health

- Super Simple Biology by DK
- How Biology Works by DK
- The Complete Human Body by DK
- Biology: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by Eva Amsen
- Human Body: A Children's Encyclopedia by DK
- The Human Body for Young Scientists by Tom Jackson and Liam Cini-O'Dwyer
- Biology for Beginners by Minna Lacey
- Biology for Young Scientists by Tom Jackson
- A Day in the Life of Your Body by DK
- Immune by Philipp Dettmer

Topic 9: Energy on Earth

- InfoSearch: Energy by Richard & Louise Spilsbury
- Physics for Beginners by Usborne
- How Science Works by DK
- Explanatorium of Science by DK
- Earth: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- The Way Things Work by David Macaulay
- Physics: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by David Sang
- Very Short Introductions for Curious Young Minds: The Shocking Truth about Energy by Mike Goldsmith

Topic 11: Periodic Table

- Physics for Beginners by Usborne
- Elements by Theodore Gray
- Periodic Table by Sean Callery and Miranda Smith
- The Periodic Table by DK
- Illustrated Guide to the Elements by Jack Challoner
- Periodic Table: a Field Guide by Gail Dixon
- Explanatorium of Science by DK Knowledge
- Encyclopedia: Science! by DK
- Chemistry for Beginners by Usborne

Topic 13: Electricity and Force Fields

- Physics for Beginners by Usborne
- Explanatorium of Science by DK
- Electricity by Louise Spilsbury
- Knowledge Encyclopedia: Science! by DK
- Physics: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by David Sang
- Awesome Electricity and Mad Magnets by Big Manny
- The Way Things Work by David Macaulay



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Topic 14: Genetics and Evolution

- Evolution by Ben Martynoga
- The Gene by Ben Martynoga
- Super Simple Biology by DK
- How Biology Works by DK
- How Science Works by DK
- Biology: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by Eva Amsen
- Biology for Beginners by Minna Lacey

Topic 16: Waves and Radiation

- Physics for Beginners by Usborne
- How Science Works by DK
- Explanatorium of Science by DK
- Physics: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by David Sang
- The Way Things Work by David Macaulay

Topic 18: Cell Biology & Division

- The Cell by Ben Martynoga
- Super Simple Biology by DK
- The Complete Human Body by DK
- How Biology Works by DK
- How Science Works by DK
- Explanatorium of Science by DK
- Biology: 100 Ideas in 100 Words by Eva Amsen
- Cells at Work! by Akane Shimizu
- Biology for Beginners by Minna Lacey
- Green: The Story of Plant Life on Our Planet by Nicola Davies and Emily Sutton

Topic 15: Materials of the Earth

- Physics for Beginners by Usborne
- How Science Works by DK
- Earth: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- Eyewitness: Weather by DK
- Eyewitness: Rock & Mineral by DK
- Earth: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- Knowledge Encyclopedia: Earth by DK
- Geology Rocks: The Earth's Layers by Izzi Howell

Topic 17: The Earth and Space

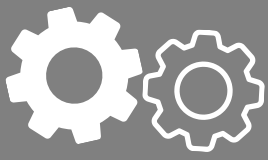
- Earth: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- Physics for Beginners by Usborne
- How Space Works by DK
- Book of the Moon by Maggie Aderin-Pocock
- The Astronomy Book by DK
- The Planets: The Definitive Visual Guide by DK
- The Extraordinary Life of Katherine Johnson by Devika Jina
- Spaceflight: the Complete Story from Sputnik to Curiosity by Giles Sparrow
- Knowledge Encyclopedia: Science! by DK

GCSE Topic : Atomic Structure

- The Chemistry Book by DK
- How Science Works by DK

GCSE Topic: Energy Resources

- The Physics Book by DK
- Super Simple Physics by DK



Technology

Year 7

Food 1: Basic Kitchen Skills

- Cooking Step by Step by DK
- Start to Cook by Abigail Wheatley
- The No-Cook Cookbook by DK
- From Plant to Plate by Darryl Gadzekpo & Ella Phillips

Food 2: Fruit and Vegetables

- How Food Works by DK
- The Story of Food by DK
- Exploring Food and Nutrition for Key Stage 3 by Yvonne Mackey
- Start to Cook by Abigail Wheatley
- 100 Things to Know About Food by Usborne
- World Food by Sandra Lawrence
- World Kitchen by Abigail Wheatley
- Our Big Table: What We Eat and Where it Comes From by Lisa Voisard
- The No-Cook Cookbook by DK

Food 3: Scones and Soup

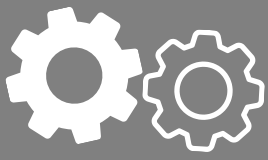
- The Soup Book by Sophie Grigson
- The Story of Food by DK The Big Book of Bread by James Morton
- Let's Make Bread: A Comic Book Cookbook by Sarah Becan and Ken Forkish

Product Design: Paper Engineering and Pop-Up Books

- Pop-Up Design and Paper Mechanics by Annabelle Buxton
- Cut and Fold Techniques for Pop-Up Designs by Paul Jackson
- Making Books by London Centre for Book Arts
- How To Make Books by Esther K. Smith
- Bound by Rachel Hazell
- The Way Things Work by David Macaulay
- Craft with Paper : A Kid's Guide to Creating Pop-Up Decorations by Elena Selena

The library also has a selection of pop-up books available for students to browse, including:

- Move! by David Carter
- The Moomins Find a Home: A Pop-Up Adventure
- Haunted House by Jan Pienkowski
- That's My Hat! by Anouck Boisrobert
- A Train Journey: A Pop-Up History of Rail Travel by Gérard Lo Monaco
- In the Butterfly Garden by Philippe Ug
- Pop-up Earth by Annabelle Buxton
- Pop-Up Peekaboo! Garden by DK
- Pop-Up Peekaboo! Pumpkin by DK



Year 8

Food: Food From Around The World

- Food & Cooking Around the World: Italy by R. Hankin
- Let's Cook! The Culture and Recipes of China, France, India, Italy, Japan and Mexico by Tracey Kelley
- The Story of Food by DK
- A World of Flavour : A Celebration of Food and Recipes from Around the Globe by Gabrielle Langholtz
- The Delicious History of Food by Clive Gifford
- 100 Things to Know About Food by Usborne Books
- World Kitchen by Abigail Wheatley
- World Kitchen—Celebrations by Abigail Wheatley
- This Is Our World: Our Favourite Food by Valerie Wilding and Asa Gilland

The library also has a wide selection of recipe books from around the world.

Textiles: Cushions

(printing, applique, embroidery)

- Half Yard Kids by Debbie Shore
- The Sewing Book by DK
- Craft by DK
- Exploring Printmaking by Gill Thompson
- Sewing Machine Basics for Children by Angela Pressley
- Embroidery Stitches Step-by-Step by DK

Graphics: Upcycling

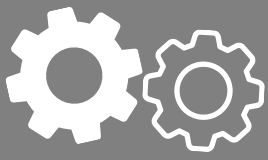
(bird feeders, card modelling and nets)

- Upcycled Plastic Projects by Marcy Morin
- Creative Crafting: A First Book of Upcycling by Daniela Sosa
- Upcycling Furniture & Home Decor For Dummies by Judy Rom
- Craft by DK
- This Book is Not Rubbish by Isabel Thomas and Alex Paterson

Resistant Materials: Clocks

(lights, plastics, laser cutting)

- Materials by Claudia Martin
- The Way Things Work by David Macaulay
- 507 Mechanical Movements: Mechanisms and Devices by Henry T. Brown
- Big Book of Gizmos & Gadgets by various authors



Technology

Year 9

Food: Healthy Eating and Nutrition

- How Food Works by DK The Story of Food by DK
- Exploring Food and Nutrition for Key Stage 3 by Yvonne Mackey
- The Science of Cooking by Stuart Farrimond
- The Delicious History of Food by Clive Gifford
- 100 Things to Know About Food by Usborne
- The Science of Nutrition by Rhiannon Lambert
- The Science of Cooking by Stuart Farrimond
- The Science of Plant-based Nutrition by Rhiannon Lambert
- Simply Nutrition by DK
- The Young Runner's Guide to Nutrition by Michele Pettinger
- Eat Well and Feel Great : The Teenager's Guide to Nutrition and Health by Tina Caulk-London

Textiles: Bunting

- The Sewing Book by DK
- Craft by DK
- Exploring Design and Technology for Key Stage 3 by Hodder Education
- Sewing Machine Basics for Children by Angela Pressley

Graphics 1: Branding and Architecture

- Making Scale Models by MarkFriend
- The Handbook of Model-Making for Set Designers by Colin Winslow
- The Design Book by DK
- How to Build It by Niran Vinod and Damola Timeyin
- Great Designs by DK
- The 50 Greatest Designers by Tom May

Graphics 2: Screen printing and clothing design

- Craft by DK
- Textilepedia by Fashionary
- Atlas of Modern Clothing: From the Trench Coat to the Sweatshirt by Marina Madzhugina
- Mend It, Wear It, Love It by Zoe Edwards
- Screenprinting : The Ultimate Studio Guide from Sketchbook to Squeegee by London Print Club
- Exploring Printmaking by Gill Thompson

Resistant Materials

(storage, joining, timber surface finishes)

- Exploring Design and Technology for Key Stage 3 by Hodder Education
- Woodwork Step-by-Step by DK
- Woodworking from Offcuts by Derek Jones
- Woodwork: the Complete Step-by-Step Manual
- The Way Things Work by David Macaulay



Year 7

Transition Read: Rat

- Needle by Patrice Lawrence
- People Like Stars by Patrice Lawrence
- The Boy With Big Decisions by Helen Rutter
- Steady for This by Nate Lessore
- My Life On Fire by Cath Howe
- The New Girl by Cassandra Calin

Theme 2: Growing Up

(My Sister Lives On The Mantelpiece)

- A Kind of Spark by Elle McNicoll
- The Wee Free Men by Terry Pratchett
- Back Home by Michelle Magorian
- No Ballet Shoes in Syria by Catherine Bruton
- A Little Princess by Frances Hodgson Burnett
- Refugee Boy by Benjamin Zephaniah
- Guts by Raina Telgemeier
- The Snow Spider by Jenny Nimmo
- Nothing Ever Happens Here by S. Hagger-Holt

Book: The Ghost of Thomas Kempe

- Lockwood & Co by Jonathan Stroud
- The House in the Woods by Yvette Fielding
- The Haunting of Aveline Jones by Phil Hickey
- Ghost Book by Remy Lai

Theme 1: Telling Tales

(Chaucer, Beowulf, Odyssey, Myths & Legends)

- King Arthur & His Knights of the Round Table, Myths of the Norsemen, Adventures of Robin Hood, and Tales of Troy by R. Lancelyn Green
- Sir Gawain & the Green Knight retold by Michael Morpurgo
- The Odyssey retold by Geraldine McCaughrean
- Aladdin & other tales from the The Arabian Nights retold by N. J. Dawood
- Grimm's Fairy Tales by the Brothers Grimm
- Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan

Theme 3: Voices

(The Bone Sparrow)

- The Bone Sparrow, play by S. Shakthidharan
- Boy, Everywhere by AM Dassu
- When Stars Are Scattered by Victoria Jamieson and Omar Mohamed
- They Called Us Enemy by George Takei
- The Crossing by Manjeet Mann
- Choose Love by Nicola Davies
- Refugee Boy by Benjamin Zephaniah
- Boy Giant by Michael Morpurgo

Book: Chinese Cinderella

- Chinglish by Sue Cheung
- The Secret Garden by Frances Hodgson Burnett
- Across the Nightingale Floor by Lian Hearn
- All Four Quarters of the Moon by Shirley Marr



Year 8

Theme 1: Changing Societies

(An Inspector Calls, Animal Farm)

- Politics for Beginners by Usborne
- Clean Getaway by Nic Stone
- Chinglish by Sue Cheung
- Coming to England by Floella Benjamin
- March by John Lewis, Nate Powell & A. Aydin
- Things a Bright Girl Can Do by Sally Nichols
- The Crucible by Arthur Miller
- Punching the Air by Ibi Zoboi and Yusef Salaam
- Animal Farm graphic novel by Odyr

Theme 3: Comedy

(Twelfth Night, Pygmalion, Bill Bryson)

- The Secret Diary Of Adrian Mole by Sue Townsend
- The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy by Douglas Adams
- Educating Rita by Willy Russell
- Notes from a Small Island by Bill Bryson
- Romeo and/or Juliet by Ryan North
- My Family and Other Animals by Gerald Durrell
- The Winter's Tale by William Shakespeare
- Three Men in a Boat by Jerome K. Jerome
- The Prince and the Dressmaker by Jen Wang
- Noah Can't Even by Simon James Green
- Tales From Shakespeare by Michael Morpurgo

Theme 2: Gothic Literature

(Frankenstein)

- Dracula retold by Tanya Landman
- Jane Eyre abridged by Patrice Lawrence
- The Lie Tree by Frances Hardinge
- Mister Creecher by Chris Priestley
- Thirteen Chairs by Dave Shelton
- Collected Stories by Edgar Allan Poe
- The Devil Makes Three by Tori Bovalino
- The Deathless Girls by KM Hargrave
- Seven Ghosts by Chris Priestley
- My Swordhand is Singing by Marcus Sedgwick
- Rules for Vanishing by Kate Alice Marshall
- We Played With Fire by Catherine Barter

Book: Pig Heart Boy

- Robot Girl by Malorie Blackman
- Hostage by Malorie Blackman
- Human 2.0: The Evolution of Bionics by Patrick Kane
- Sh!t Bag by Xena Knox
- Things the Eye Can't See by Penny Joelson

Book: The Invisible Man

- The Time Machine by H.G. Wells
- The Adventures of Invisible Boy by D. Horner
- Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde by RL Stevenson
- Around the World in Eighty Days by Jules Verne



Year 9

Theme 1: War and Conflict (The Book Thief)

- Code Name Verity by Elizabeth Wein
- Noor-un-Nissa Inayat Khan by Sufiya Ahmed
- Inside Out & Back Again by Thanhha Lai
- The Silver Sword by Ian Serraillier
- Beyond Courage by Doreen Rappaport
- Bone Talk by Candy Gourlay
- Salt to the Sea by Ruta Sepetys
- Journey's End by R. C. Sherriff
- Scythe by Neal Shusterman
- Seven Million Sunflowers by Malcolm Duffy

Theme 3: Love and Hate (Romeo and Juliet)

- The Twelfth Day of July by Joan Lingard
- Romeo and/or Juliet by Ryan North
- Rani & Sukh by Bali Rai
- The Sun is Also a Star by Nicola Yoon
- And The Stars Were Burning Brightly by Danielle Jawando
- The Fault in Our Stars by John Green
- Pride and Prejudice by Jane Austen
- Guard Your Heart by Sue Divin
- These Violent Delights by Chloe Gong

Theme 2: Outsiders (Noughts and Crosses)

- The Catcher in the Rye by J. D. Salinger
- Little Bit by Alex Wheatle
- No Man's Land by Joanna Nadin
- Son of the Circus by E. L. Norry
- Refugee Boy by Benjamin Zephaniah
- Great Expectations by Charles Dickens
- The Poet X by Elizabeth Acevedo
- Stone Cold by Robert Swindells
- Of Mice and Men by John Steinbeck
- The Black Kids by Christina Reed Hammonds

Book: To Kill A Mockingbird

- March by John Lewis, Nate Powell & A. Aydin
- Black Brother, Black Brother by J. Parker Rhodes
- You Think You Know Me by Ayaan Mohamud
- Wild East by Ashley Hickson-Lovence
- Running My Own Race by Abena Eyeson
- Stamped by Ibram X Kendi & Jason Reynolds

Book: Nineteen Eighty-Four

- Down and Out in Paris and London by Orwell
- The Things We Leave Behind by Clare Furniss
- Where the World Turns Wild by Nicola Penfold
- The Loop by Ben Oliver
- Brave New World by Aldous Huxley



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