

**A not-at-all definitive (and not even in alphabetical order) list of books you should read.....**

<i>Emma</i>	Jane Austen	<b>Poetry.....</b>
<i>The Picture of Dorian Gray</i>	Oscar Wilde	<i>The World's Wife</i> Carol Ann Duffy
<i>One Flew over the Cuckoo's Nest</i>	Ken Kesey	<i>Goblin Market</i> Christina Rossetti
<i>The Time Machine</i>	HG Wells	<i>The Rattlebag</i> ed.Hughes & Heaney
<i>To Kill a Mockingbird</i>	Harper Lee	Sonnets William Shakespeare
<i>Nineteen Eighty-Four</i>	George Orwell	<i>The Rape of the Lock</i> Alexander Pope
<i>Wuthering Heights</i>	Emily Brontë	<i>Making Cocoa for Kingsley Amis</i> Wendy Cope
<i>Birdsong</i>	Sebastian Faulks	<i>Book of Matches</i> Simon Armitage
<i>Rebecca</i>	Daphne du Maurier	<i>A Monster Calls</i> Patrick Ness
<i>Captain Corelli's Mandolin</i>	Louis de Bernieres	<i>Hold Your Own</i> Kae Tempest
<i>A Prayer For Owen Meany</i>	John Irving	<i>Poor</i> Caleb Femi
<i>Of Mice and Men</i>	John Steinbeck	
<i>Alice's Adventures In Wonderland</i>	Lewis Carroll	<b>YA fiction</b>
<i>Bleak House</i>	Charles Dickens	<i>The Weight of a Thousand Feathers</i> Brian Conaghan
<i>The Great Gatsby</i>	F Scott Fitzgerald	<i>The Poet X</i> Elizabeth Acevedo
<i>Brideshead Revisited</i>	Evelyn Waugh	<i>The Long Way Down</i> Jason Reynolds
<i>A Suitable Boy</i>	Vikram Seth	
<i>Lord Of The Flies</i>	William Golding	
<i>Perfume</i>	Patrick Süskind	
<i>The Secret History</i>	Donna Tartt	
<i>The Woman In White</i>	Wilkie Collins	
<i>The God Of Small Things</i>	Arundhati Roy	
<i>Brave New World</i>	Aldous Huxley	
<i>Cold Comfort Farm</i>	Stella Gibbons	
<i>Vanity Fair</i>	William Makepeace	
Thackeray		Or try these sites for recommendations:
<i>Life of Pi</i>	Yann Martel	<a href="#">Award Winners: Teen &amp; Young Adult Fiction Books   Penguin Random House</a>
<i>The Power and the Glory</i>	Graham Greene	<a href="#">YA Book Prize (waterstones.com)</a>
<i>Beloved</i>	Toni Morrison	
<i>Jane Eyre</i>	Charlotte Bronte	
<i>The Handmaid's Tale</i>	Margaret Atwood	
<i>Cat's Eye</i>	Margaret Atwood	
<i>Cloud Atlas</i>	David Mitchell	
<i>North and South</i>	Elizabeth Gaskell	
<i>Human Croquet</i>	Kate Atkinson	
<i>All The Light We Cannot See</i>	Antony Doerr	
<i>The Nickel Boys</i>	Colson Whitehead	
<i>Cider With Rosie</i>	Laurie Lee	
<i>The Woman with the Pearl Earring</i>	Tracy Chevalier	