



# BROOKVALE GROBY LEARNING CAMPUS

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## The Tutor Time Reading Programme for **YEAR 8**

Every morning, between 9 and 9.10, Y8 students will listen to their tutor reading from a number of brilliant books. The books have been chosen to encourage the students to read for both pleasure and progress and our tutors will be great role models every day. The titles are a mixture of new and classic, fiction and non-fiction - and cover a range of genres.

As we move through the year, this page will fill with information about the books and about the ways in which families can get the most out of the amazing writing from a range of award-winning authors.

Remember that you can help your daughters and sons get the most out of their reading by

- Asking them about the book
- Reading it too
- Making connections between the book and your family's experiences
- Talking about the inspirational books and writers that have had an impact on you and your family

**Happy reading!**

Cover	Title and author	Summary	Term
	<b>My Swordhand is Singing</b> by Marcus Sedgwick 	This is a tense and fast-paced story about strange events affecting a small town in Eastern Europe. It's set in the past and has a Gothic feel. Two young people, Peter and Sofia, must work together to save both themselves and the villagers against one of the most terrifying monsters in all of literature.	Autumn 22

### Further reading:

If you absolutely loved Marcus Sedgwick's *My Swordhand is Singing*, you might want to try some of his other titles:

