



# BROOKVALE GROBY LEARNING CAMPUS

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## The Tutor Time Reading Programme for **POST 16**

Every morning, between 9 and 9.10, Y12 and Y13 students will listen to their tutor reading from a number of brilliant books and develop their own advanced level academic reading skills. 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 independent reading that students complete will be focused on current affairs, hot-button topics and, most importantly, research in their chosen areas of advanced study.

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.

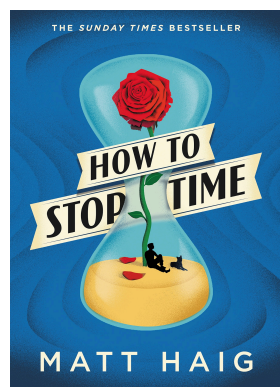
Remember that you can help your daughters and sons get the most out of their reading by

- 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>The Midnight Library by Matt Haig</b> 	<b>This is a fantasy novel about the choices we make everyday. Whilst the initial premise might seem gloomy, it is an uplifting book.</b>  <b>Nora, the main character, is fed up with life, but over the course of the novel, her outlook changes.</b>	<b>Autumn for Y12</b>

If you enjoyed this novel, you might consider reading:





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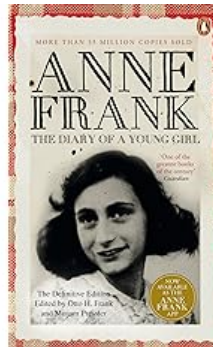
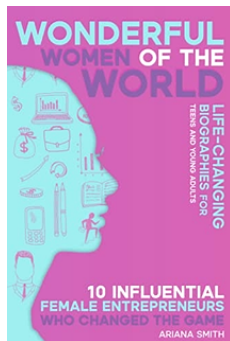
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	<p><b>I am Malala by Malala Yousafzai</b></p>	<p>Raised in the Swat Valley in Pakistan, Malala was taught to stand up for her beliefs. When terrorists took control of her region and declared girls were forbidden from going to school, Malala fought for her right to an education. And, on 9 October 2012, she nearly paid the ultimate price for her courage when she was shot on her way home from school.</p>	<p>Autumn / Spring for Y12</p>

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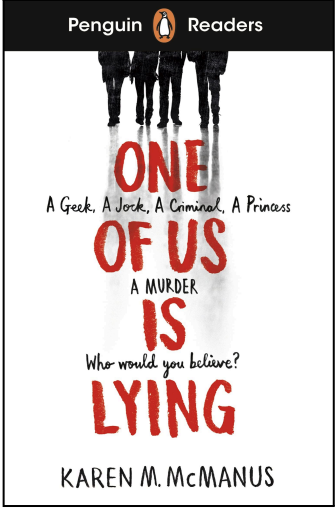



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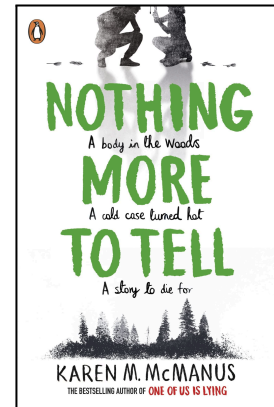
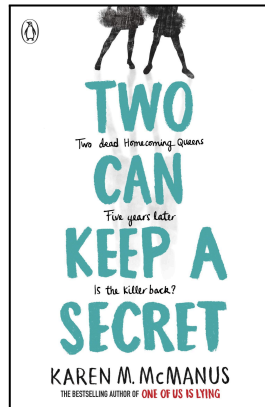
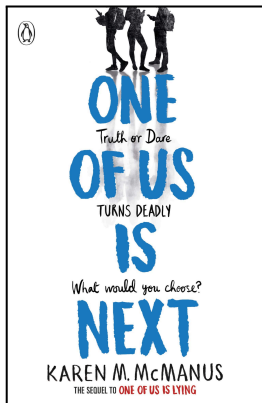
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	<p><b>One of Us is Lying</b> By Karen M McManus</p> 	<p>Five students head into detention but only four survive.</p> <p>Year 10 requested a murder mystery, so here it is. See if you can guess the culprit before the big reveal in the final pages.</p> <p>No cheating on Netflix.</p>	Autumn for Year 13

If you loved this book, you might want to try:





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	<p><b>Cane Warriors by Alex Wheatle</b></p> 	<p>Moa is fourteen. The only life he has ever known is toiling on the Frontier sugar cane plantation for endless hot days, fearing the vicious whips of the overseers. Then one night he learns of an uprising, led by the charismatic Tacky. Moa is to be a cane warrior, and fight for the freedom of all the enslaved people in the nearby plantations. But before they can escape, Moa and his friend Keverton must face their first great task: to kill their overseer, Misser Donaldson. Time is ticking, and the day of the uprising approaches .</p>	<p>Autumn / Spring for Year 13</p>

### Further reading:

If you absolutely loved Alex Wheatle's *Cane Warriors*, you might want to try some of his other titles:

