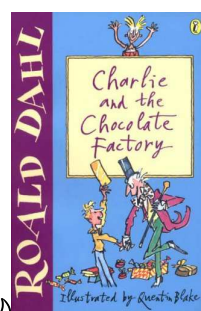


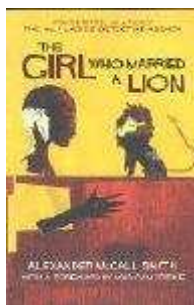
books you can read in english...if you're getting tired of harry potter... :)

easy readers:

- Pocket and Le Livre de Poche offer a nice collection of (classic) short stories (with either help for the vocabulary, or one page in French, one in English)



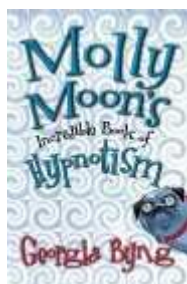
- Roald Dahl, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, and its sequel: Charlie and the Great Glass Elevator... delicious!



- Alexander McCall Smith, The Girl Who Married a Lion.

A collection of African short stories, involving mostly animals. Nice and easy to read

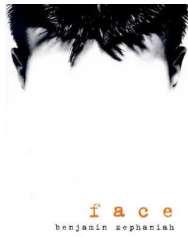
(More by the same author: The N°1 Ladies Detective Agency)



- Georgia Byng, Molly Moon's Incredible Book of Hypnotism. Molly Moon is an orphan who discovers that she has hypnotic powers.

(More by the same author: Molly Moon stops the world, Molly Moon's Hypnotic Time Travel Adventure)

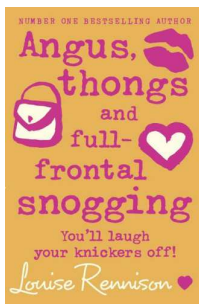
advanced readers



- Benjamin Zephaniah, **Face**.

The very, moving story of Martin, a 15 year-old burn victim. Gives you plenty to think about, and an excellent read!

(More by the same author: **Gangsta Rap** and **Refugee Boy**)



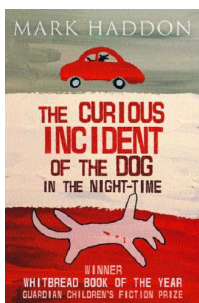
- Louise Rennison, **Angus, Thongs and full-frontal snogging**.

Confessions of Georgiana Nicolson.

Georgie is 14, she has to go to Stalag 14 (ie. School) but is more interested in seducing the Sex God (when she doesn't shave her eyebrows).

A miniature version of Bridget Jones, it's hilarious...yet I'd rather recommend it to...girls! AND, you get a Georgie glossary at the end of the book to explain you some of her favourite words....

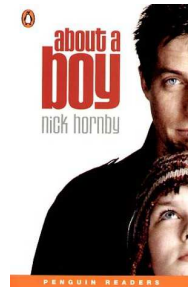
(More by the same author: **On the Bright Side**, I'm now the girlfriend of a Sex God, Knocked out by my nunga-nungas...and 4 more books!)



- Mark Haddon, **The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night**

Time.

Christopher is 15, he has a photographic memory, understands science but not human beings. He starts investigating when he finds his neighbour's dog dead.



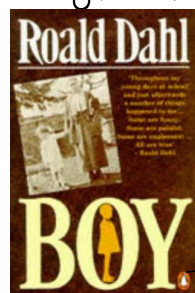
Nick Hornby, *About A Boy*.

Marcus is bullied at school and meets Will, an adult who doesn't really want to grow up....



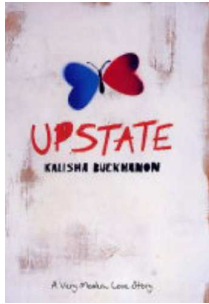
- James Finn Garner: *Politically Correct Bedtime Stories*
Hilarious! Snow White doesn't live with dwarfs but with "vertically challenged persons" etc etc...If you have enjoyed the fairy tales...

- Road Dahl: any short story, with a special liking for "Lamb to the Slaughter", "The Landlady", "The Way Up to Heaven" and "The Hitchhiker"



Boy, the story of his childhood.

for bookworms...



- Kalisha Buckhanon, *Upstate*.

Natasha and Antonio are teenagers, they live in Harlem and are in love...but Antonio is in jail since he is accused of the murder of his father. The novel shows the letters they write to each other. Very realistic, quite a lot of slang though...

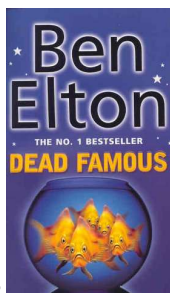
VINTAGE CLASSICS

Dodie Smith
I Capture the Castle



- Dodie Smith, *I Capture the Castle*.

Smith's first novel, before she wrote *the 101 Dalmatians*. The beautifully written diary of Cassandra Mortmain, who lives in poverty in a crumbling castle...until she falls in love for the first time.



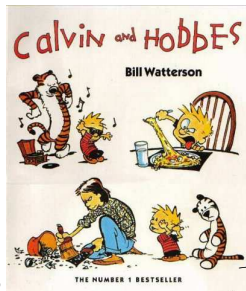
- Ben Elton, *Dead Famous*. A murder takes place during a Real TV show...an excellent satire of this much talked-about world...

poetry

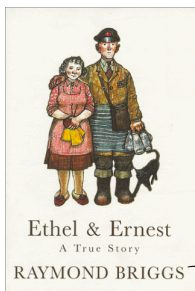


Benjamin Zephaniah, Talking Turkeys
3 * recommendation from teacher!

comics:

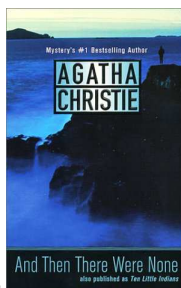


• Bill Watterson, Calvin and Hobbes, a must read!



• Raymond Briggs. Ethel & Ernest, a true story. The story of the writers' parents from the end of the 1920s to the beginning of the 1970s

classics...



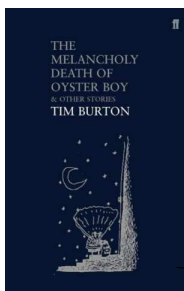
• Agatha Christie: any book by her...I would recommend: And Then There Were None, Murder on the Orient Express, Death on the Nile...or The Murder of Roger Ackroyd.



- Helen Fielding. *Bridget Jones's Diary*, and: *The Edge of Reason*. Who doesn't know about Bridget? Laugh out loud books!



- C.S. Lewis: *The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe* from *The Narnia Chronicles*



- Tim Burton: *The Melancholy Death of Oyster Boy and Other Stories*