

Summer Reading Challenge

Hello Y8.

We know that you have been working hard this half term and you will be looking forward to a well-earned rest during the summer. As, English teachers, we find reading a really relaxing and restful pastime which enables us to escape to different places, observe different characters and witness different events. We want you to share in this delight therefore, we have set you a Summer Reading Challenge. This is not obligatory however, we do think that you will enjoy it! Each teacher in the English department has selected a book that they would recommend for you to read over the summer break. We would like to know what you think of these books too. As you read them please keep a record of your reading and let us know if you enjoyed the book (or not) by adding your comments into the table below. Please bring these back into school in September to share with us.

Happy Reading!



Teacher	Recommended read	I have read this book Y/N	My thoughts on this book are...
Mrs Banks	My name is Mina by David Almond		
Mr Cummings	The Day of the Trifids by John Wyndham		
Mrs Davis	His Dark Materials by Philip Pullman		
Mrs Elliott	The Wizards of Once by Cressida Cowell		
Miss Hall	Unstoppable by Dan Freedman		
Mrs Howarth	The Phoenix by S.F Said		
Mrs Illman	Burning Issy by Melvin Burgess		