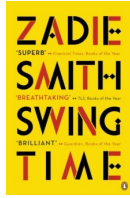
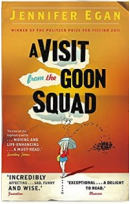


## Fiction



### Swing Time by Zadie Smith

Two girls' love of the golden age of musicals drives their life paths. Moving from London to Africa, the themes of friendship, music,



### A Visit from the Goon Squad by Jennifer Egan

Egan's spellbinding novel circles the lives of an ageing former punk rocker and record executive and the passionate woman he employs.



### Greetings from Bury Park by Sarfraz Manzoor

Inspiration for the film 'Blinded by the Light', this novel covers teenage angst, racial tension, parental conflict and how the power of music, in this case Bruce Springsteen, can change everything.



### Amsterdam by Ian McEwan

Reunited at the funeral of past love photographer Molly Lane, Clive, a composer commissioned to write a symphony to premiere in Amsterdam and Vernon, a newspaper editor, make a pact that has far reaching consequences.

## Podcasts

- **BBC Radio 3 Sound of Gaming** Jessica Curry delves into the world of music for video games.
- **Switched on Pop** On Apple and Spotify. The making and meaning of pop music, breaking down songs to figure out what makes a hit and what is its place in culture.
- **BBC Radio 3 Sound of Cinema** Weekly podcast taking the music from a new film release and using it as a starting point for an exploration of themed movie soundtracks.
- **BBC Radio 3 Composer of the Week** The lives and works of some of the greatest classical composers from contemporary Adams, to 19
- **BBC Radio 3 Classical Fix** Classical playlists for music loving celebrity guests.

## Websites

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- <https://www.billboard.com/>
- <https://www.rcm.ac.uk/>
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## Inspiration

“Music is life itself.”

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