

## Reading Suggestions for Year Seven:

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| 1. <b>Watership Down</b>                      | <i>Richard Adams</i>          |
| 2. <b>The Goldfish Boy</b>                    | <i>Lisa Thompson</i>          |
| 3. <b>The Island at the End of Everything</b> | <i>Kiran Milwood Hargrave</i> |
| 4. <b>The Wolves of Willoughby Chase</b>      | <i>Jean Aitkin</i>            |
| 5. <b>Peter Pan</b>                           | <i>JM Barrie</i>              |
| 6. <b>The Dark is Rising</b>                  | <i>Susan Cooper</i>           |
| 7. <b>Wolf</b>                                | <i>Gillian Cross</i>          |
| 8. <b>The Seeing Stone</b>                    | <i>Kevin Crossley-Holland</i> |
| 9. <b>Boy and Going Solo</b>                  | <i>Roald Dahl</i>             |
| 10. <b>The Weirdstone of Brisingamen</b>      | <i>Alan Garner</i>            |
| 11. <b>Minders</b>                            | <i>Diana Hendry</i>           |
| 12. <b>A Wrinkle in Time</b>                  | <i>Madeleine L'Engle</i>      |
| 13. <b>Across the Barricades</b>              | <i>Joan Lingard</i>           |
| 14. <b>Tug of War</b>                         | <i>Catherine Forde</i>        |
| 15. <b>Northern Lights</b>                    | <i>Philip Pullman</i>         |
| 16. <b>Eagle of the Ninth</b>                 | <i>Rosemary Sutcliffe</i>     |
| 17. <b>The Cay</b>                            | <i>Theodore Taylor</i>        |
| 18. <b>Cue for Treason</b>                    | <i>Geoffrey Trease</i>        |
| 19. <b>Raptor</b>                             | <i>Paul Zindell</i>           |
| 20. <b>The Graveyard Book</b>                 | <i>Neil Gaiman</i>            |
| 21. <b>The Garbage King</b>                   | <i>Elizabeth Laird</i>        |
| 22. <b>The Book Thief</b>                     | <i>Marcus Zusak</i>           |
| 23. <b>Granny</b>                             | <i>Anthony Horowitz</i>       |
| 24. <b>The Hobbit</b>                         | <i>JRR Tolkein</i>            |
| 25. <b>My Sword Hand is Singing</b>           | <i>Marcus Sedgwick</i>        |

Non-fiction, reference books, magazines and newspapers are also great ways to encourage reading. Here are some magazine and newspaper recommendations:

- **National Geographic Kids**
- **The Phoenix Comic**
- **Whiz Pop Bang**
- **Aquila**
- **Match of the Day**
- **Commando**