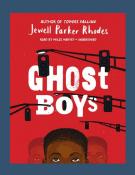
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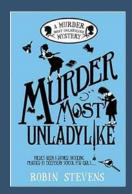
# Recommended books for Year 7 students

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In Chicago, a white police officer shoots and kills black 12-year-old Jerome, mistaking his toy gun for a real one. As a ghost, young Jerome witnesses the aftermath of his death. A beautiful and tragic book.



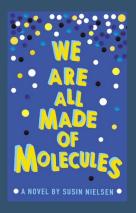
#### Murder Most Unladylike-Robin Stevens

There's been a rather shocking murder at Deepdean School for Girls - but luckily, young detectives Daisy Wells and Hazel Wong are on the case! There are nine books in the MMU series, as well as three mini mysteries.



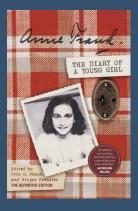
#### Wonder- R J Palacio

August Pullman was born with a facial deformity that prevented him from going to a mainstream school... until now. This uplifting story shows the world through August's eyes and how he overcomes the challenges he is faced with.



#### We Are All Made of Molecules – Susin Neilson

Thirteen-year-old Stewart is academically brilliant but socially clueless. Fourteen-year-old Ashley is the undisputed "It" girl in her class, but her grades are poor. Their worlds are about to collide when Stewart and his dad move in with Ashley and her mum.



#### The Diary of a Young Girl- Anne Frank

The Diary Of A Young Girl is the real diary of a teenage girl that tells the story of her family who live in Frankfurt, Germany and suddenly have to go into hiding as a result of Hitler and the Nazi Party's treatment of Jews in Europe during the Second World War. They escape to Amsterdam where they go into hiding with other Jews.





This positive and insightful guide gives you the tools to build your confidence, self-esteem, and embrace opportunities in all areas of your life.



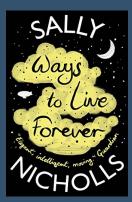
#### The Boy who Grew Dragons- Andy Shepherd

When Tomas discovers a strange old tree at the bottom of his grandad's garden, he doesn't think much of it. But he takes the funny fruit back into the house - and gets the delight of his life when a tiny dragon hatches! The first book in a sparky and utterly enchanting new series.



#### Mohinder's War- Bali Ray

Joelle hates the Nazis who have invaded her country, so when she finds Mohinder, the RAF pilot of a plane that has crashed near her house, she knows it is up to her and her parents to hide him from the enemy.



#### Ways to Live Forever—Sally Nicholls

Ways to Live Forever is a heart-wrenching and gripping story about Sam, an eleven year old boy. Sam has leukaemia and this book is his diary. In it he writes lists, pictures, stories, facts and lots of questions.

### **Further Suggestions**

Holes – Louis Sacher

The Indian in the Cupboard- Lynne Reid Banks
The Boy at the Back of the Class- Onjali Q Rauf
Steady for this- Nathanael Lessore
Dogs of the Deadlands- Anthony McGowan
A Monster Calls- Patrick Ness



## Challenging reads for more able readers...

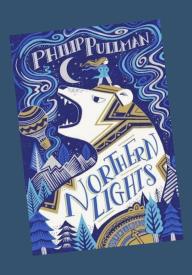
Pigeon English- Stephen Kelman

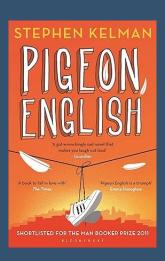
A Street Cat Named Bob- James Bowen

Northern Lights- Philip Pulman

Oliver Twist- Charles Dickens

Treasure Island- Robert Louis Stevenson









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