

Hessle Canon



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The Hessle Canon is a list of 100 books for you to read before you leave Hessle High.

The Canon includes books we have hand-picked for you and some that you will read in your English lessons ensuring everyone has chance to make progress through it.

There are also a variety of fiction and non-fiction texts, texts from different genres, and from different time periods; there is something for everyone!

Every time you read one of the canon books, you can have your reading journal stamped by Miss Williamson or Mrs Riches and you will gain house points and rewards as you fill your journal.

Each book comes with a 'If you liked this, then try...' recommendation to help you pick your next read.

The Hessle Canon includes books with serious messages and mature content. It has been divided into recommended reading ages on the grounds of appropriateness; if you take a book from above your school year, just be sure to realise both content and language might be challenging. If you have any questions you need only to ask the librarian or your English teacher.



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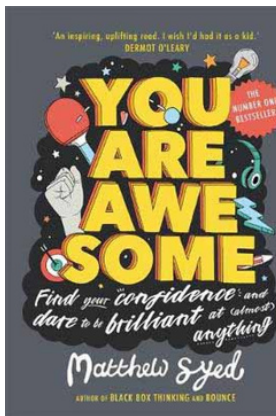




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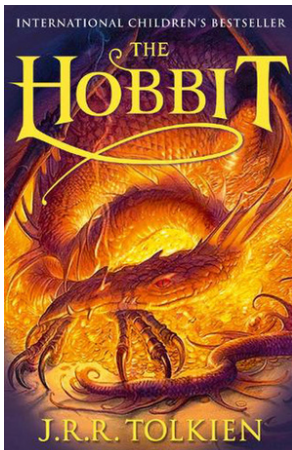
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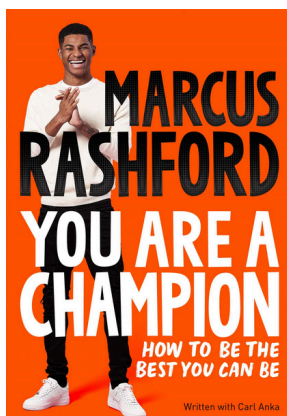
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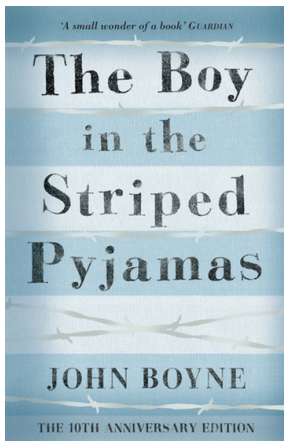
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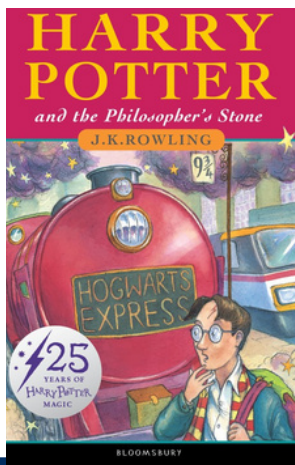
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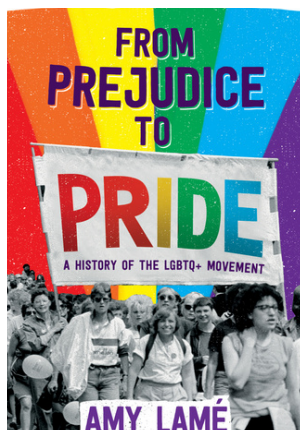
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The Boy Who Couldn't by Rachel Coverdale**



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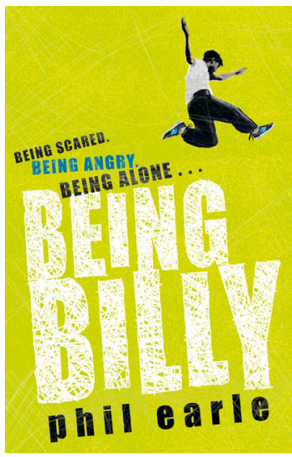
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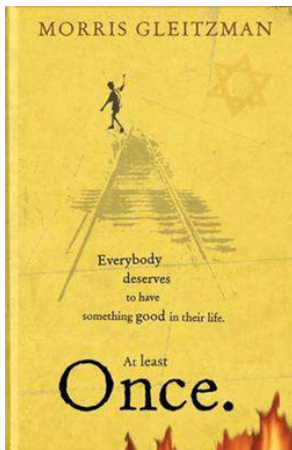
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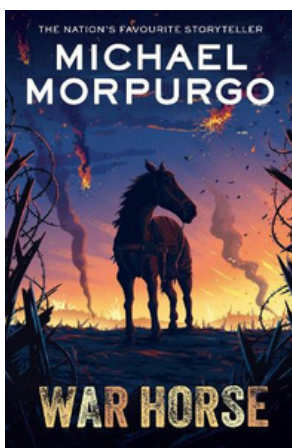
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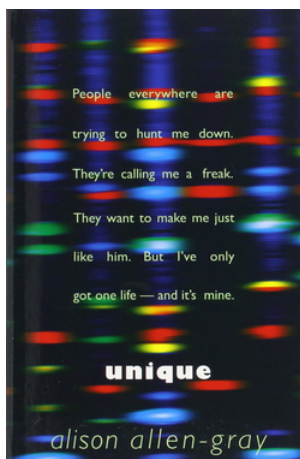
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Carrie's War by Nina Bawden



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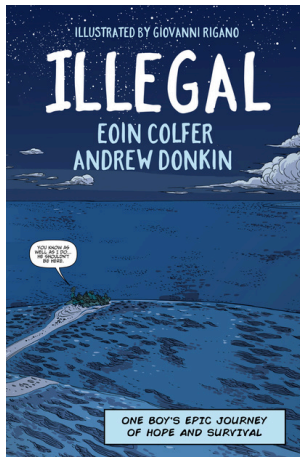
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The Machine Gunners by Robert Westall



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***A Boy Called Hope* by Lara Williamson
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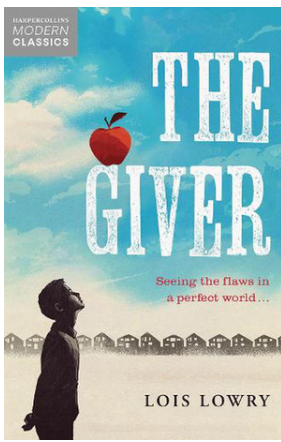
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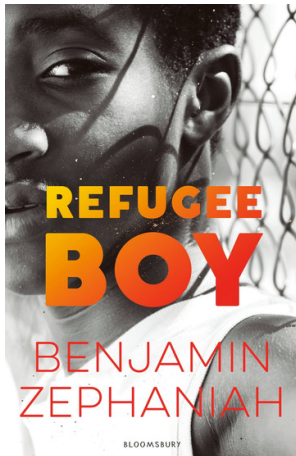
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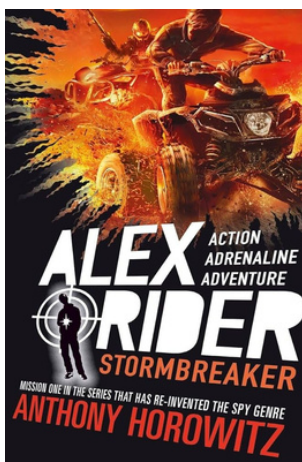
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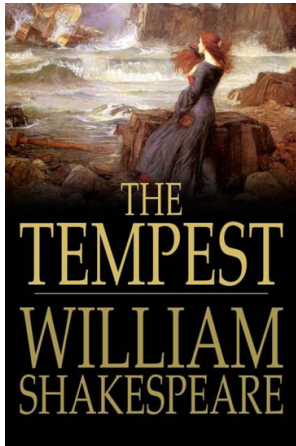




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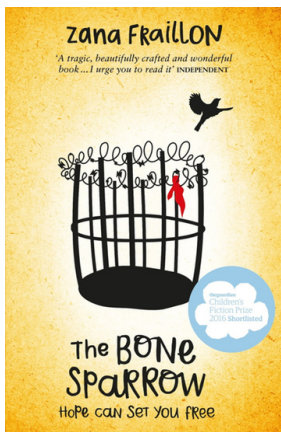
A Swift Pure Cry by Siobhan Dowd



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The Island of Dr Moreau by HG Wells



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Once by Morris Gleitzman
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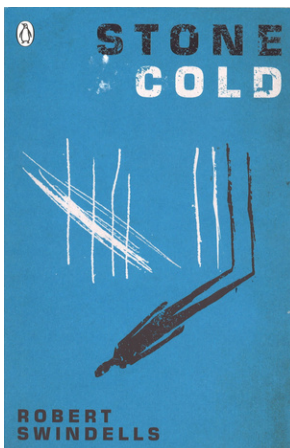
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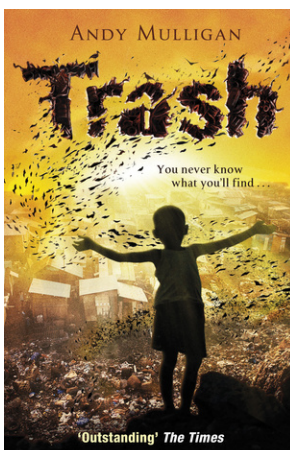
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White Fang by Jack London**



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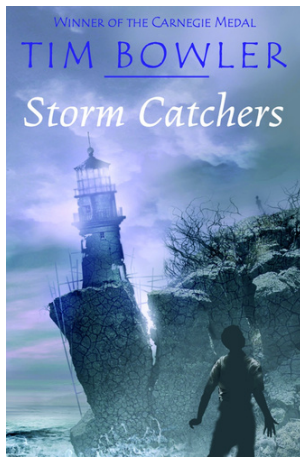
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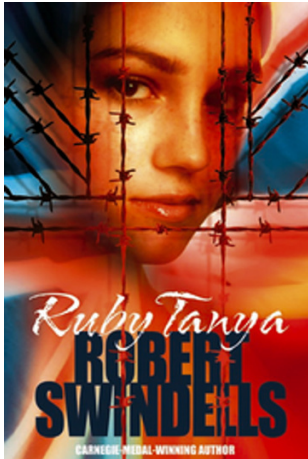
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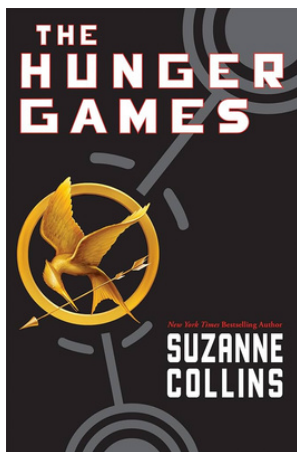
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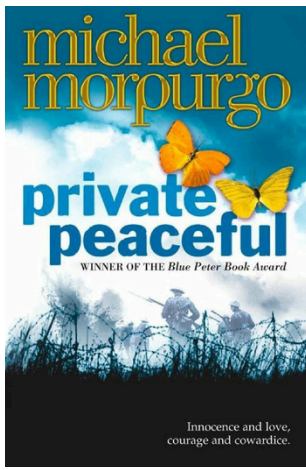
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Divergent by Veronica Roth**



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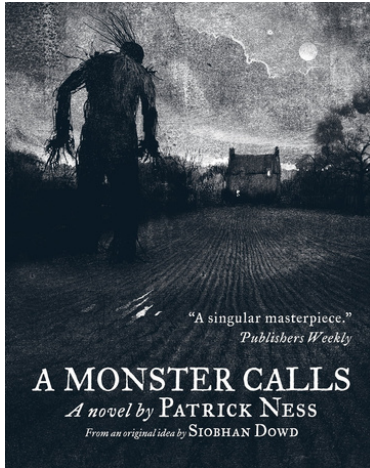
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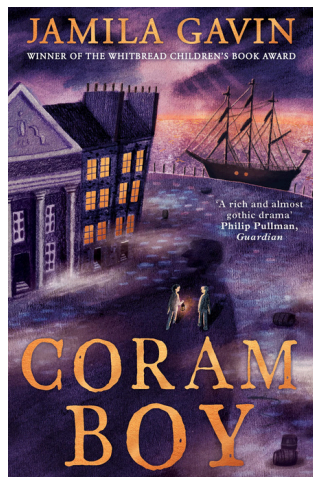
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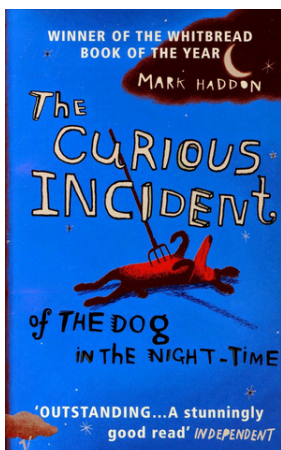
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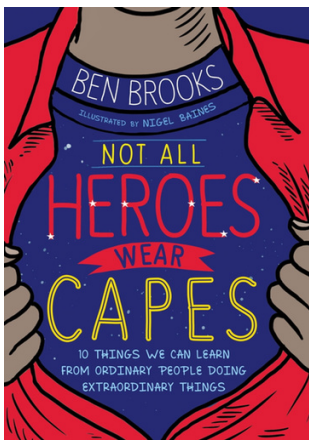
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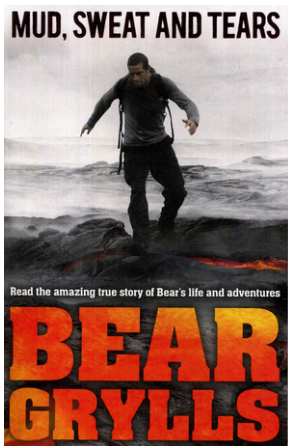
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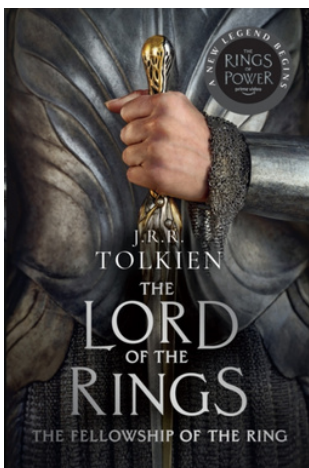
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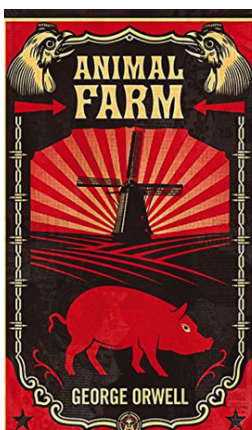
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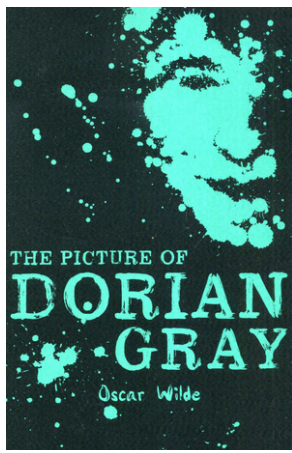
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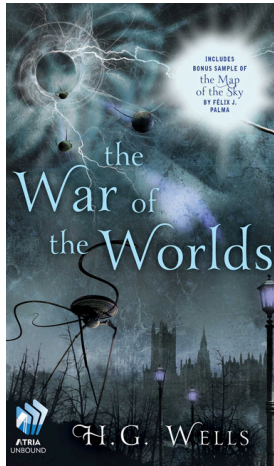




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Doctor Jekyll and Mr Hyde by RL Stevenson



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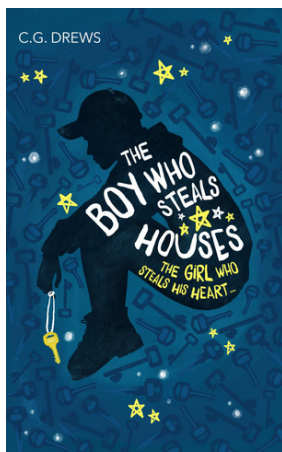
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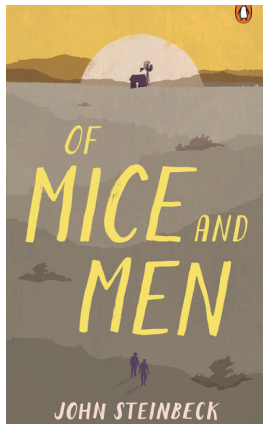
***The Catcher in the Rye* by JD Salinger**



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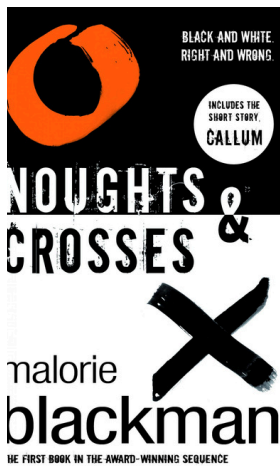


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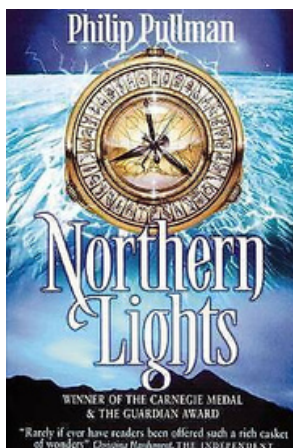
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Blood Brothers by Willy Russell**



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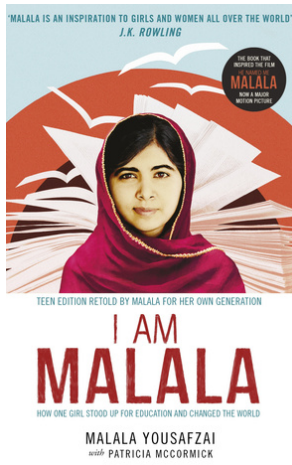
***Across the Barricades* by Joan Lingard**



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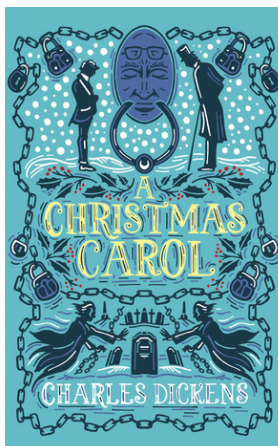
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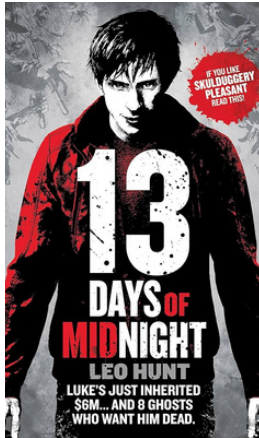
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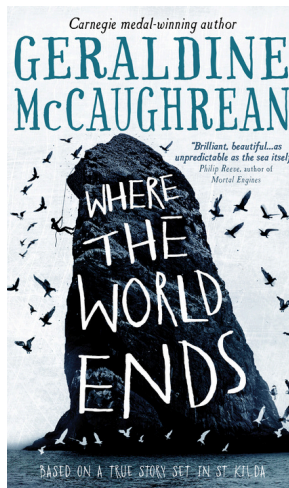
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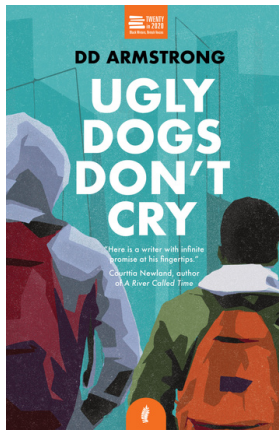


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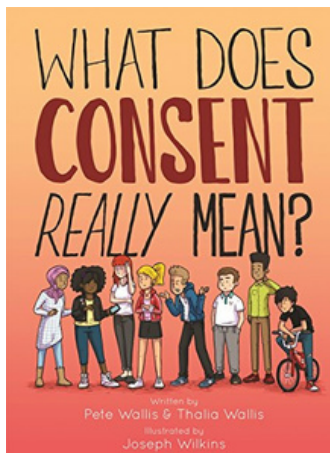
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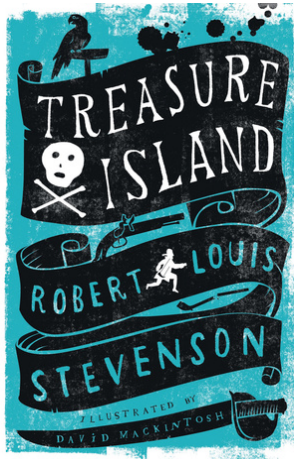
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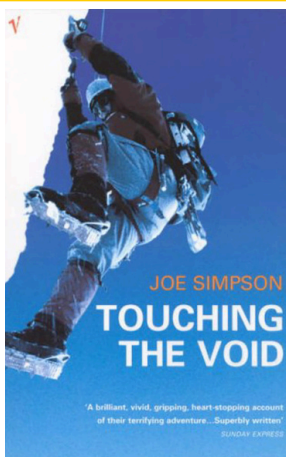
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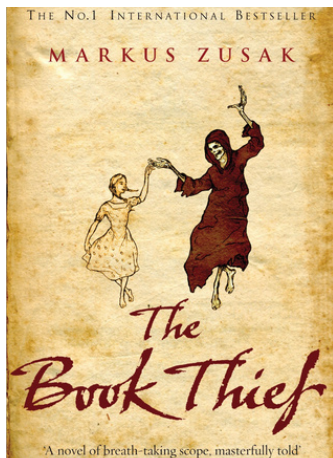
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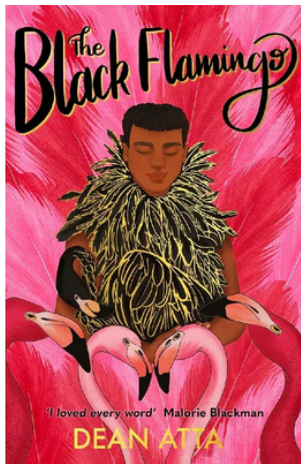
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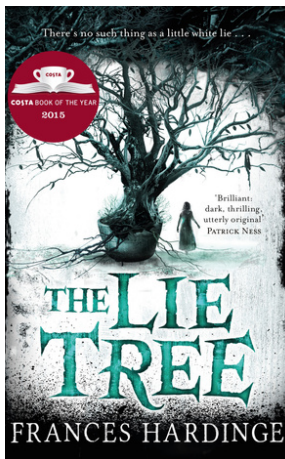
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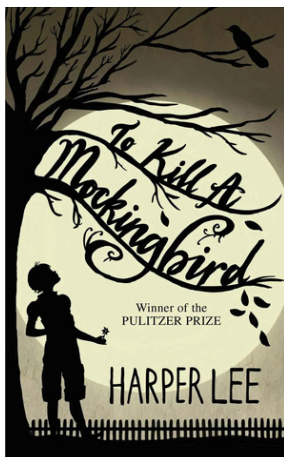
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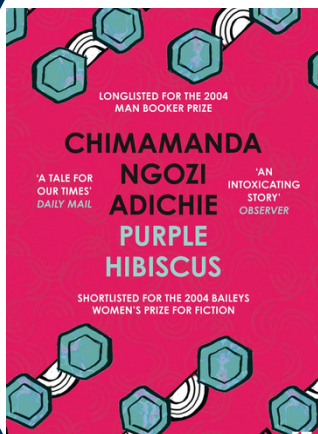
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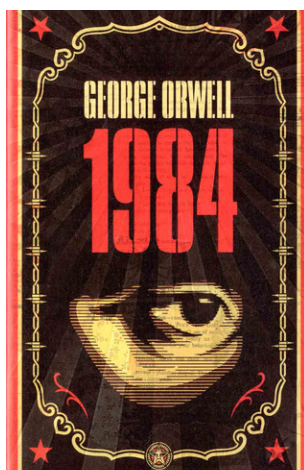
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Beloved by Toni Morrison**



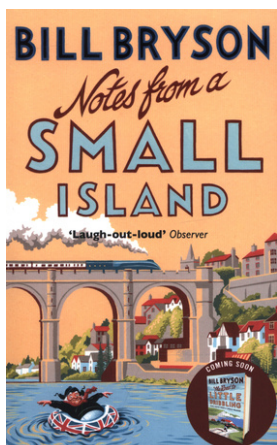
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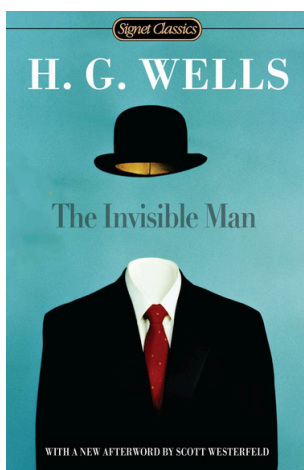
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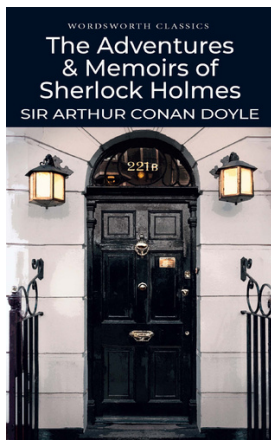
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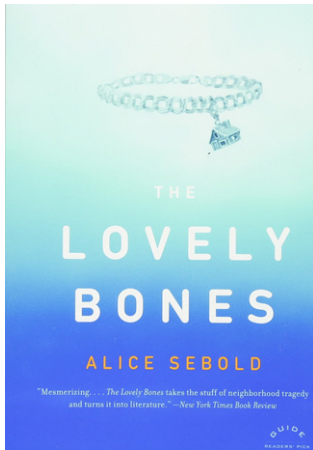
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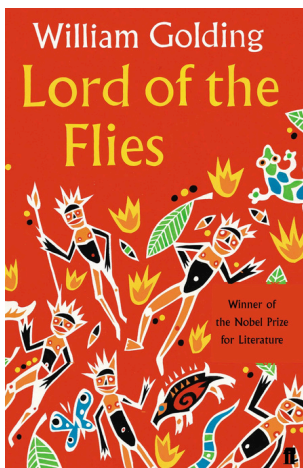
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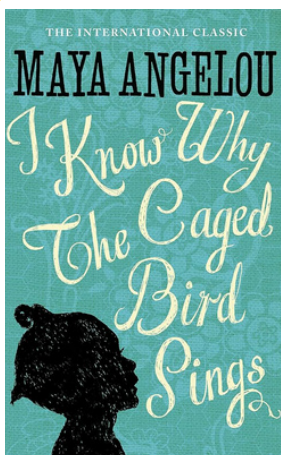
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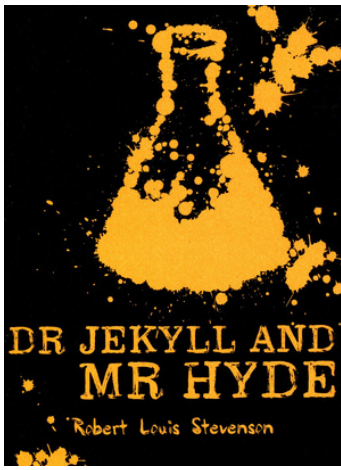
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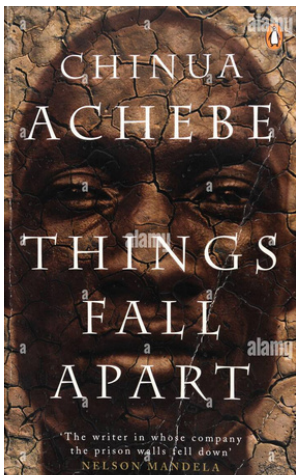
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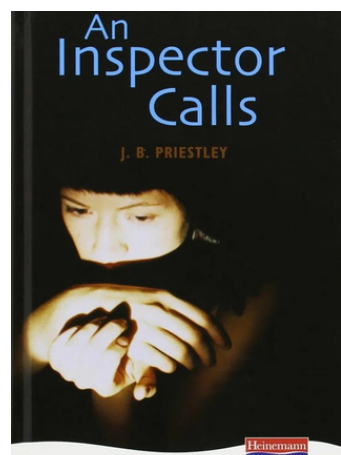
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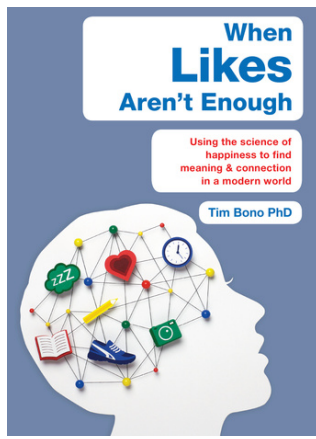


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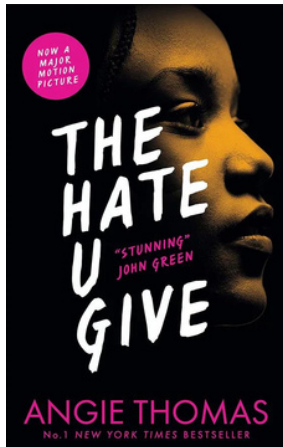


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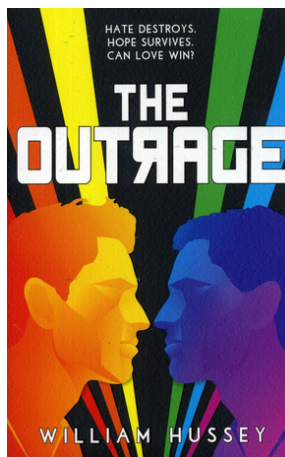
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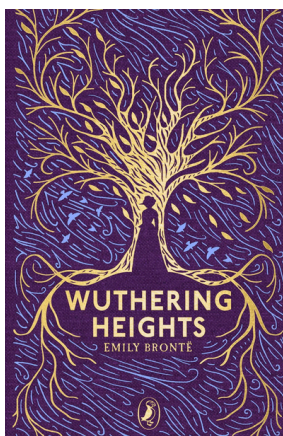
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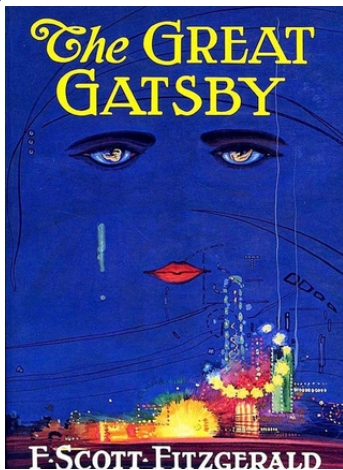
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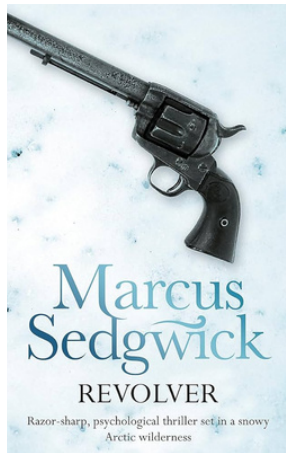
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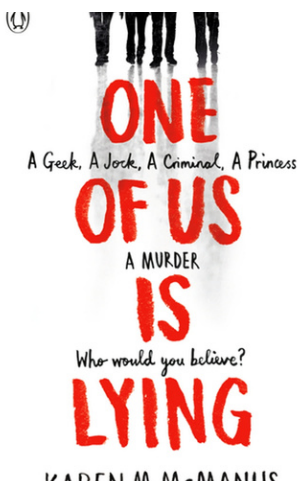
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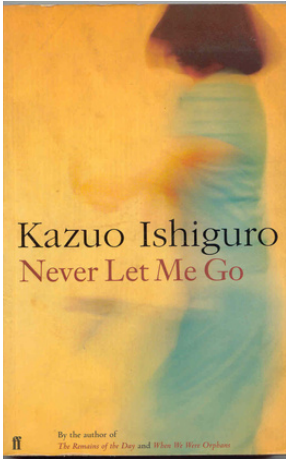
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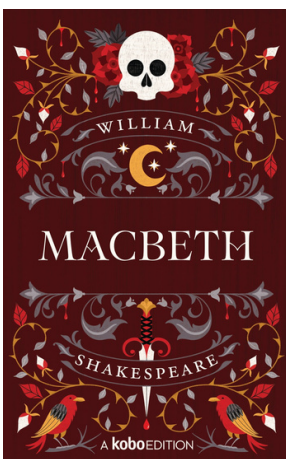
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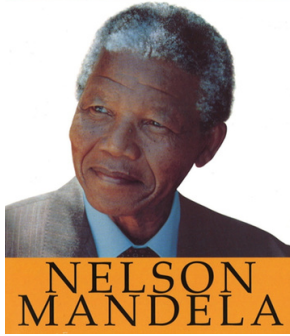
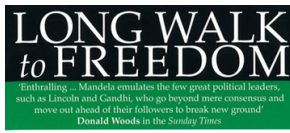
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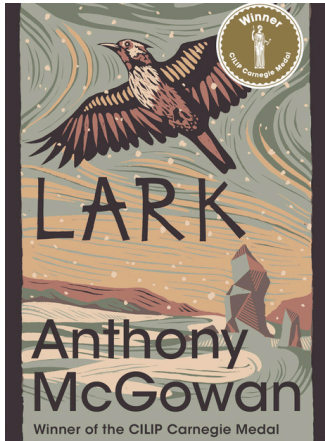
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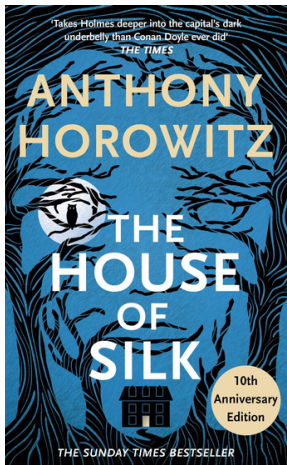
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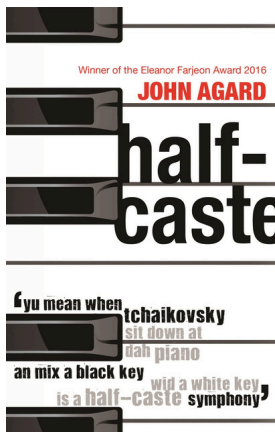
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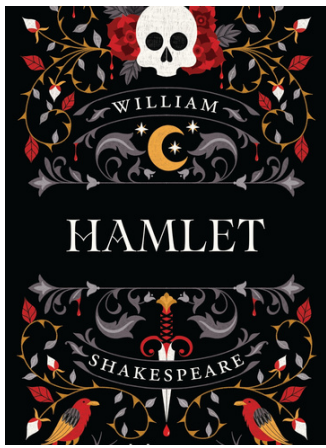
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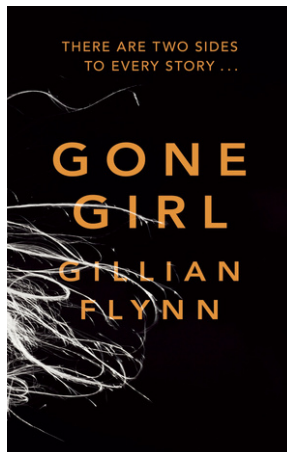
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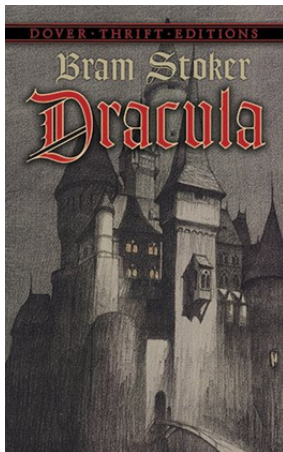
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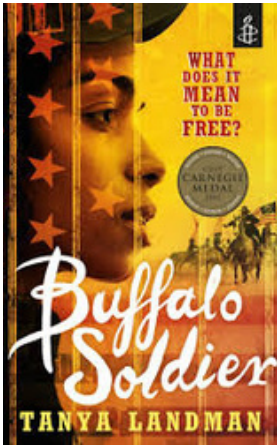
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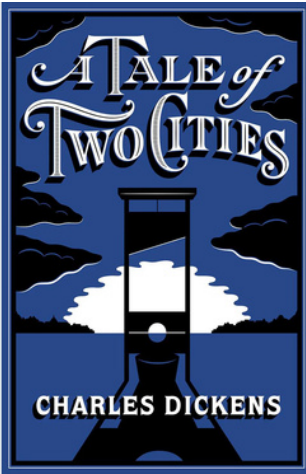
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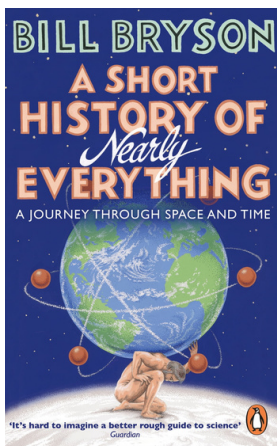
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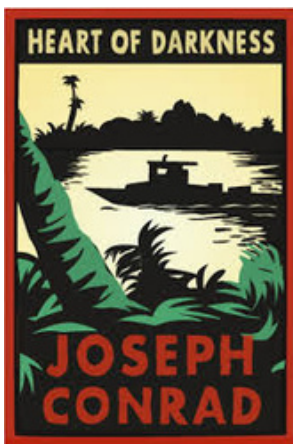
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