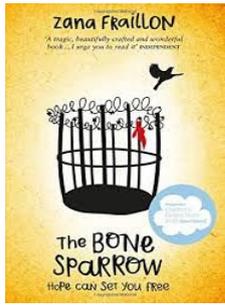




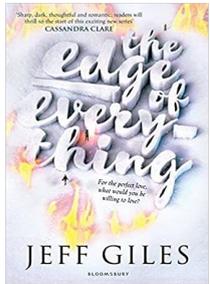
This fortnight's HDHS Recommended reads:

Key Stage 3: The Bone Sparrow



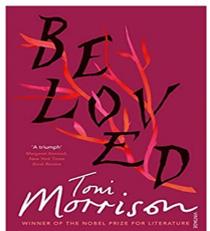
"Moving and memorable, The Bone Sparrow deserves to be read by all who care about our common humanity"- The Guardian
Subhi was born in an Australian detention centre and knows nothing but fences and guards and Hunger. Subhi's only hope is that his father will someday return for them. One night, his life is changed forever when he's visited from someone on the other side of the fence...

Key Stage 4: The Edge of Everything



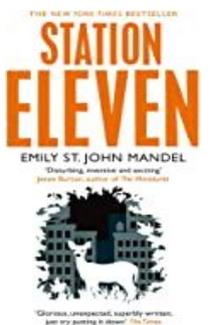
"A sharp fantasy thriller, and a dark one at that." - People
When a huge blizzard hits her hometown and her mother is trapped in a grocery store, Zoe sets off to find her brother Jonah and their two dogs who are lost in the woods. Desperate, they are saved by what Zoe thinks is an angel. The boy is called X. Well, that's what Zoe calls him at least, and he's no angel. For fans of Twilight!

Key Stage 5: Beloved



"A masterpiece. . . Magnificent. . . Astounding. . . Overpowering." --Newsweek
A powerful account of slavery by multiple narrators. Multifaceted, this book explores the motivations and perspectives of each voice. This Nobel prize winning novel is an uncomfortable read but a necessary one.

Teachers, Parents and Carers:



'Best novel. The big one . . . stands above all the others . . . beautifully written, and wonderfully elegiac, a book that I will long remember, and return to.' – George R.R. Martin, author of Game of Thrones.
One snowy night in Toronto, famous actor Arthur Leander dies on stage whilst performing the role of a lifetime. That same evening a deadly virus touches down in North America. The world will never be the same again. If civilization was lost, what would you preserve? And how far would you go to protect it?

Useful Information and links:

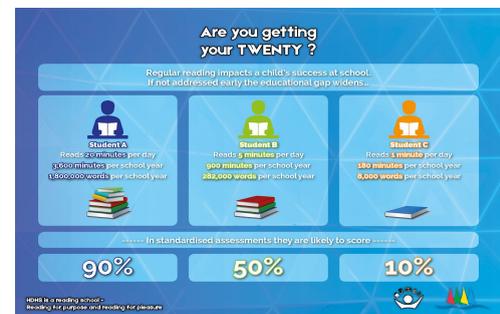


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