

Year 10 and 11 Recommended Reads 2016 – 2017

Author	Title	
Cat Clarke	The Lost and Found	Leeds Book Award Shortlist 2016. When six year old Laurel Logan was abducted, the only witness was her younger sister. Faith's childhood was dominated by Laurel's disappearance – from her parents' broken marriage and the constant media attention to dealing with so-called friends who only ever wanted to talk about her sister.
Sarah Crossan	One	Harrogate Book Award Shortlist 2016 and Carnegie Medal Shortlist 2016. A novel about identity, sisterhood and love ultimately asks one question: what does it mean to want and have a soulmate?
Frances Hardinge	The Lie Tree	Harrogate Book Award Shortlist 2016 and Carnegie Medal Shortlist 2016. After Faith's father has been found dead, she discovers a strange tree. The tree only grows healthy and bears fruit if you whisper a lie to it. The fruit of the tree, when eaten, will deliver a hidden truth to the person who consumes it.
Lisa Heathfield	Seed	Leeds Book Award Shortlist 2016. Fifteen-year-old Pearl has lived her whole life protected within the small community at Seed, where they worship Nature and idolise their leader. When some outsiders arrive, everything changes.
Tanya Landman	Buffalo Soldier	Carnegie Medal Winner 2015. Charley, a young African-American slave is freed at the end of the American Civil War. She disguises herself as a man and joins the army. Trapped in a world of injustice and inequality, it's only when she is posted to Apache territory that she begins to learn about who she is and what it is to truly be free.
Patrick Ness	The Rest of Us Just Live Here	Harrogate Book Award Shortlist 2016 and Carnegie Medal Shortlist 2016. In a world of fantasy monsters and high-school gods, what's left for the rest of us: the "normal ones"?
Bali Rai	Web of Darkness	Leeds Book Award Winner 2015 Lily soon realises that now, with half our lives spent online, you can be found - even if you try to hide.
Meg Rosoff	Picture me Gone	Mila is on a road trip across the USA with her father. They are looking for his best friend but Mila discovers a more important truth. Sometimes the act of searching reveals more than the final discovery can. Adults do not have all the answers - it all depends on what questions you ask.
Marcus Sedgwick	She is Not Invisible	16 year old Laureth Peak's father is a writer. For years he's been trying to write a novel about coincidence. He goes missing. Laureth and her brother begin to follow clues, trying to find their wayward father. Challenges and threats lie ahead, all of which are that much tougher for Laureth, because Laureth Peak is blind.
Rick Yancey	5 th Wave: The Last Star	In these last days, Earth's remaining survivors will need to decide what's more important: saving themselves, or saving what makes us human. The finale to the 5th Wave series. Perfect for fans of <i>The Hunger Games</i> , <i>Divergent</i> and <i>The Maze Runner</i> .