

KING JAMES'S SCHOOL LIBRARY
YEAR 7 RECOMMENDED READING LIST
2010/2011

ADVENTURE		
Underworld	Catherine MacPhail	A school trip to explore some caves goes horribly wrong. Keeps you in suspense right to the end.
Blood Hunters	Steve Voake	A page turning adventure, you need to read this with the lights on!.
Journey to the River Sea	Eva Ibbotson	Orphan Maia begins a new life with relatives she's never met 1000 miles up the Amazon.
CHICK-LIT		
An Urgent message of Wowness	Karen McCombie	It's not easy being Heather P. Smith. She feels very un-wow until her father drops a bombshell and everything changes.....
Lucky Star	Cathy Cassidy	Friendship, family, fear and fighting back. A rollercoaster ride of drama, love and happiness.
FANTASY		
Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief	Rick Riordan	When Percy accidentally vaporizes his maths teacher, he discovers life is far from normal.....
Artemis Fowl	Eoin Colfer	A 12 year old adventures with fairies...armed and dangerous!
FUNNY		
Diary of a Wimpy Kid	Jeff Kinney	Very funny (with pictures!)
Desirable	Frank Cottrell Boyce	Brilliant story about a boy and a bottle of aftershave!
Joey Pigza swallowed the Key	Jack Gantos	Joey has ADHD. He's on medication, only sometimes it doesn't work.....
GENERAL FICTION		
Once	Morris Gleitzman	A moving story about a Jewish boy set in WWII
Flood Child	Emily Diamand	A story about the effects of climate change set in 2216. Most of England is under water.....
The London Eye Mystery	Siobhan Dowd	Salim mysteriously disappears from The Eye – he gets on but doesn't get off.
POETRY		
Read me Out Aloud		A fantastic book full of humour and snappy words.