

Year 7 Reading List Summer Term 2020

The Murderer's Ape Jakob Wegelius

When her comrade, the Captain, is falsely accused of murder, Sally Jones must do everything she can to clear his name. But it's more easily said than done—when you're a gorilla.



Where the River Runs Gold

Sita Brahmachari

The Waterstones Children's Book Prize winner (and former Archer author laureate's) first dystopian novel is set on an Earth devastated by climate change. Condemned to pollinate crops by hand in a world where the bees have disappeared, Shifa and her brother must find a way to escape.



Lampie

Annet Schaap

When the lighthouse keeper's daughter fails in her duty one night, she's sent away to the Admiral's Black House to work off her debt. Monsters, mermaids and pirates all figure in this Carnegie-shortlisted fantasy tale.



Cloudburst

Wilbur Smith and Chris Wakling

Whilst travelling in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Jack's parents are kidnapped by mercenaries. With the help of his friends, he must brave the jungle to rescue them and solve the mystery of the tantalum mines in this fast-paced jungle adventure.





All's Faire in Middle School by Victoria Jamieson

Starting a new school and making friends should be easy, but maybe not when you're family business is the local Renaissance Faire! Great for fans of Raina Telgemeier or Roller Girl.

