

Books We Have Read Since 2016

2026/2027 (Current)	
Title	Author
The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie	Muriel Spark
The House of Mystery	Joy Ellis
Too Many Reasons to Live	Rob Burrow
Winter Swallows	Babs Horton
Small Bomb at Dimperley	Lissa Evans
It Started with a Kiss	Lisa Hobman
Someone Else's Shoes	Jojo Moyes
Amsterdam	Ian McEwan
The Ghost Tree	Barbara Erskine
Call of the Camino	Suzanne Redfearn
One Grand Summer	Ewald Arenz
The Island of Missing Trees	Elif Shafak
Gabriel's Moon	William Boyd
2025/2026	
Title	Author
The Glassmaker	Tracey Chevalier
Unruly	David Mitchell
Charlotte Gray	Sebastian Faulks
The Tin Man	Sarah Winman
You are Here	David Nicholls
Before the Coffee Gets Cold	Toshikazu Kawaguchi
An Eye for an Eye	Jeffrey Archer
The Honourable Schoolboy	John le Carré
Snap	Belinda Bauer
The Girl on the Cliff	Lucinda Riley
Becoming Mrs. Lewis	Patti Callahan
The Spy Coast	Tess Gerritsen
The Garden of Evening Mists	Tan Twan Eng
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2024/25	
Title	Author
The Book of Beginnings	Sally Page
I Will Find You	Harlan Corben
Animal Farm	George Orwell
1984	George Orwell
Moonflower Murders	Anthony Horowitz
Demon Copperhead	Barbara Kingsolver
Faith, Angels & the Poor	Keith Hooper
All the Broken Places	John Boyne
All Quiet on the Western Front	Erich Remarque
The English Patient	Michael Ondaatje
Adolf Hitler: My Part in His Downfall	Spike Milligan
The French Lieutenant's Woman	John Fowles (followed by film)
The Siege	Helen Dunmore
North and South	Mrs. Gaskell
The Throwaway Children	Diney Costeloe
Firefly	Henry Porter

2023/24

Title	Author
Inferno	Robin Kirkpatrick
A Thousand Ships	Natalie Haynes
The Night She Disappeared	Lisa Jewell
Any Human Heart	William Boyd
V for Victory	Lissa Evans
Italian Shoes	Henning Mankell
Of Stone and Sky	Merryn Glover
The Maid	Nita Prose
Past Imperfect	Julian Fellowes
The Bookseller of Inverness	S G MacLean
The Murder at Fleet House	Lucinda Riley
All the Light We Cannot See	Anthony Doerr

2022/23

Title	Author
H is for Hawk	Helen Macdonald
The Love Letter	Lucinda Riley
Hitler's Canary	Sandi Toksvig
The Old Man and the Sea	Ernest Hemingway
Books related to Pride and Prejudice	
Mr. Darcy's Diary	Amanda Grange
Longbourn	Jo Baker
The Forgotten Sister	Jennifer Paynter
The Other Bennett Sister	Janice Hadlow
The Beloved Girls	Harriet Evans
Mansfield Park	Jane Austen (followed by film)
Odd Thomas	Dean Koontz
The Tattooist of Auschwitz	Heather Morris
Sea of Poppies	Amitav Ghosh
The Witch Finder's Sister	Beth Underdown
Two Old Dears	Edward Evans

2021/22

Title	Author
Just One Damned Thing After Another	Jodi Taylor
Cold Sunflowers	Mark Sippings
The Penguin Lessons	Tom Michell
Daughters of the Night	Laura Shepherd-Robinson
The Midnight Library	Matt Haig
Grown Ups	Marian Keyes
The Other Wife	Michael Robotham
The Venice Sketchbook	Rhys Bowen
Hamnet	Maggie O'Farrell
The Five	Hallie Rubenhold

2020/21

Title	Author
Between the Stops	Sandi Toksvig
The Beekeeper of Aleppo	Christy Lefteri
Silence of the Girls	Pat Barker
Little Drummer Girl	John Le Carré
Woman of God	James Patterson
Blood Orange	Harriet Tyce

The Lido	Libby Page
The Secret River	Kate Grenville
So You've Been Publicly Shamed	Jon Ronson
2019/20	
Title	Author
Americanah	Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie
The Time Machine	H G Wells
Dear Mrs. Bird	A J Pearce
Brothers	Bernice Rubens
The Moving Toyshop	Edmund Crispin
The Strawberry Thief	Joanne Harris
NW	Zadie Smith
The Binding	Bridget Collins
The Girl from Venice	Martin Cruz Smith
Ghost	James Swallow
2018/19	
Title	Author
Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine	Gail Honeyman
Magpie Murders	Anthony Horowitz
Divas Don't Knit	Gil McNeil
Testament of Youth	Vera Brittain
Atonement	Ian MacEwan
Rivers of London	Ben Aaronovitch
Perfume	Patrick Süskind
Dark Places	Gillian Flynn
The Truth About the Harry Quebert Affair	Joël Dicker
The Girl with No Name	Marina Chapman
Love in a Cold Climate	Nancy Mitford
2017/18	
Title	Author
The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry	Rachel Joyce
Two Caravans	Marina Lewycka
The House at Riverton	Kate Morton
The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks	Rebecca Skloot
Brick Lane	Monica Ali
Those Who Leave and Those Who Stay	Elena Ferrante
The Amber Keeper	Freda Lightfoot
Chickens, Mules and Two Old Fools	Victoria Twead
The Underground Railroad	Colson Whitehead
8 Months on Ghazzah Street	Hilary Mantel
Loving Frank	Nancy Horan
Frankie and Skankie	Barbara Trapido
2016/17	
Title	Author
The Year of the Runaways	Sunjeev Sahota
Cross Stitch	Diana Gabaldon
Me After You	Jojo Moyes
Dissolution	C J Sansom
Nine Tailors	Dorothy L Sayers
Olive Kitteridge	Elizabeth Strout
Persuader	Lee Child

A Very British Murder	Lucy Worsley
Speaking in Bones	Kathy Reichs
A History of Loneliness	John Boyne
Ashes to Ashes	Mel Starr
A Place Called Winter	Patrick Gale
Knots and Crosses	Ian Rankin
The Island	Victoria Hislop
Case Histories	Kate Atkinson
Happenstance	Carol Shields