

A Short Recommended Reading List Years 9 onwards

These are all novels I have enjoyed and would recommend anything by the author.

Kate Atkinson: English murder mystery series

“Case Histories”

“One Good Turn”

“When will There Be Good News”

Kate Grenville “The Secret River”

English journeyman transported to Australia – history brought to life...

Rose Tremain “The Road Home”

Eastern European immigrant comes to London 2006 – will challenge your assumptions

William Boyd “Restless”

dual narrative about spying, WW2 and today.

Marina Lewycka “A Short History of Tractors of the Ukraine”

Comic tale about foolishness of families when Ukraine meets Britain

Sebastian Faulks “Birdsong”

WW1 trench life, love and modern Britain converge

Khaled Hosseini: “The Kite Runner”

Afghanistan’s recent history explored and then brought to America

David Lodge “Nice Work”

Birmingham businessman meets Literature professor- comedy

Andrea Levy “Small Island”

Prejudice in Britain faced by immigrants WW2 onwards

Ian McEwan “Enduring Love”

Thriller London 1990s science meets obsessive love