



## Year 8 Guided Reading Texts

Please note that students will not read all of these books in the course of the year.

Each class will start with a different book.

Title	Author	Published	Genre/main theme
Northern Lights	Philip Pullman	1995	Fantasy
I am Malala	Malala Yousafzai	2013	Autobiography
Dracula	Bram Stoker	1897	Horror, gothic
Steve Jobs: The Man Who Thought Different	Karen Blumenthal	2012	Biography
Noughts and Crosses	Malorie Blackman	2001	Speculative fiction/romance
Children of Blood and Bone	Tomi Adeyemi	2018	Fantasy adventure
My sister lives on the mantelpiece	Annabel Pitcher	2011	Coming of age/terrorism
The Edge	Alan Gibbons	2002	Coming of age/dual heritage
The Boy at the Back of the Class	Onjali Q Rauf	2018	Social novel/refugees
Holes	Louis Sachar	1998	Adventure/mystery
A Monster Calls	Patrick Ness	2011	Coming of age/fantasy
Little Women	Louisa May Alcott	1868	19 <sup>th</sup> century America/humour