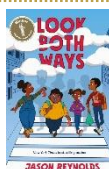


## RECOMMENDED READS



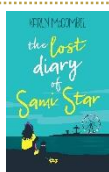
### ELLA ON THE OUTSIDE By CATH HOWE

Ella is the new girl at school. Her time at this new school is a gripping story filled with secrets, lies and friendship...



### LOOK BOTH WAYS By JASON REYNOLDS

In ten stories, find out what really happens on the walk home from school, when there are no parents or teachers to supervise (or stop the fun!)



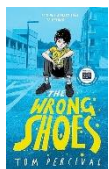
### THE LOST DIARY OF SAMI STAR (Dyslexia friendly) By KAREN MCKROMBIE

A heart-warming story of finding friendship in the most unlikely of places which begins when Hannah finds an abandoned diary of Dami's colourful life.



### VOTE FOR EFFIE By LAURA WOODS

Vibrant illustrations by Mirelle Ortega bring Effie and her friends to life in this joyful celebration of one girl's mission to change the world...



### THE WRONG SHOES By TOM PERCIVAL

There's a bunch of kids and suddenly they're all looking at me like I can actually do something, not just some weirdo with the wrong shoes and a rubbish coat.



### SPLASH By CHARLIE HOWARD

Molly is in her final year of primary school and dreams of becoming an Olympic swimmer. But will pressure of fitting in make her choose her dream or best friend?



### BEING MISS NOBODY By TASMIN WINTER

Rosalind hates her new secondary school. She's the weird girl who doesn't talk, the Mute-ant. So, Rosalind starts a blog - Miss Nobody; a place to speak up.



### WHEN I SEE BLUE By LILY BAILEY

With a new school, a moody big brother, an absent dad and a mum battling her own demons, Ben feels more out of control than ever. A story of OCD and friendship.



### KEEDIE By ELLE McNICHOL

A novel filled with love—not only Keedie's love for Addie but McNicol's for young neurodivergent people—inspiring children to be proud of who they are.



### THE AMAZING EDIE LOCKHART By ROSIE JONES

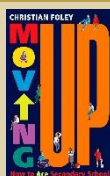
Edie Eckhart is Excited with a capital E to start secondary school with her best friend. But when they are put into different tutor groups, Edie is devastated.

## WIDER READING: VERSE NOVELS, GRAPHIC NOVELS AND NON-FICTION



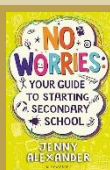
### GO BIG: THE SECONDARY SCHOOL SURVIVAL GUIDE By MATTHEW BURTON

Secondary school can seem scary. Homework, messy friendships and stressful exams to deal with. Mr Burton is here to guide you through your journey - worry-free.



### MOVING UP By CHRIS FOLEY

Moving up from primary to secondary school can be scary. Going from being the bosses of the benches, to the youngest in a massive playground is hard.



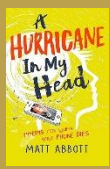
### NO WORRIES By JENNY ALEXANDER

'No Worries' is full of information about going up from primary to secondary school and covers all of the big worries and anxieties.



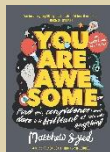
### THE FINAL YEAR & THE FIRST YEAR By MATT GOODFELLOW (Verse Novel)

The Final Year captures the bittersweet final months of Year 6 and the First year and picks up the journey and its challenges along the way. An honest account of emotions.



### A HURRICANE IN MY HEAD By MATT ABBOTT

A Hurricane in My Head tackles the themes of friendship, bullying, technology and the life of a modern teenager. Poems to make you laugh and cry....



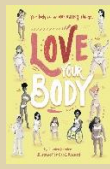
### YOU ARE AWESOME By MATTHEW SAYED

If you believe you can't do something, the chances are you won't try. In fact, what if you could excel at anything you put your mind to? A truly awesome, inspiring book.



### GUTS By RAINA TELGEMEIER (Graphic novel)

Raina wakes up one night with a terrible upset. She returns to school, where she's dealing with the usual highs and lows: friends, not-friends and classmates.



### LOVE YOUR BODY By JESSICA SANDERS & CAROL ROSETTI

Bodies come in all different forms and abilities. There is no size, ability or colour that is perfect. What makes you different makes you, you – and you are amazing!



### NEW KID By JERRY CRAFT (Graphic Novel)

A timely, honest graphic novel about starting over at a new school where diversity is low and the struggle to fit in is real.



### EVERYTHING ALL AT ONCE By STEPHEN CAMDEN (POETRY)

Everything from hoping to make it to the end of the week, facing it, fitting in, finding friends and falling out, to loving lessons, losing it, worrying and wearing it well.