

New KS3 Books September 2023

Front cover	Title, Author, Keywords	Annotation
	Title: Imogen, Obviously Author: Becky Albertalli Keywords: Relationships, romance, LGBTQ	14-19: A girl who believes she is straight struggles with potentially romantic feelings for a new female acquaintance when she visits her best friend at college.
	Title: Are You There God? It's Me Margaret Author: Judy Blume Keywords: Friendship, adolescence	11 Up: An 11-year-old girl traverses the ups and downs of adolescence by talking to God about the things that are happening in her life.
	Title: Stand Up Ferran Burke Author: Steven Camden Keywords: Humour, school	14-19: A funny, warm, engaging verse novel full of heart and emotion following Ferran through secondary school.
	Title: Flesh and Blood Author: Simon Cheshire Keywords: Horror, thrillers	11 Up: A boy discovers the respectable family next door to his family's new house are harvesting people's organs in order to keep members of their family alive.
	Title: World Weavers Author: Sam Gayton Keywords: Families, fantasy, science fiction	11 Up: When a boy with no memory crosses into Hush and Matilda's reality, the sisters must confront their past, each other, and the intoxicating power that has torn their lives apart.
	Title: A Little Spark Author: Barry Jonsberg Keywords: Families, friendship, mental health	14-19: A young Australian teenager feels conflicted when her mother plans to move to the UK and take her with her but she has the option to remain with her father.
	Title: Fake Dates and Mooncakes Author: Sher Lee Keywords: Families, romance, LGBTQ, cookery	14-19: Dylan Tang wants to win a Mid-Autumn Festival mooncake-making competition for teen chefs to bring much-needed publicity to his aunt's struggling Chinese takeout in Brooklyn.
	Title: Family of Liars Author: E Lockhart Keywords: Families, crime, LGBTQ	14-19: The prequel to 'We were liars' with a story of another summer, another generation, and the secrets that will haunt them for decades to come.
	Title: The Hummingbird Killer Author: Finn Longman Keywords: Science Fiction, thriller	14-19: Teen assassin Isabel now works for Comma. But Isabel still craves normality, and she won't find it inside the guild. She moves in with a civilian, Laura, and begins living a double life.
	Title: White Bird Author: R J Palacio Keywords: WW2, Bullying, Judaism, History	11 Up: Julian discovers the tale of his grandmother, who was hidden from the Nazis as a young Jewish girl in occupied France during the Second World War.
	Title: If Tomorrow Doesn't Come Author: Jen St. Jude Keywords: Adventure, relationships	14-19: On the day it is announced that an asteroid is going to hit the Earth in 9 days, 18-year-old Avery fights her way home to be with the girl she been in love with all her life.

