

# Subject-related Recommended Reading for Gold and Silver Club

#### Maths:

- Freakonomics
- The Year Money Grew on Trees by Aaron Hawkins.
- The Travels of a T-Shirt in the Global Economic Pietra Rivoli
- The Undercover Economist Tim Hartford
- Humble Pi Matt Parker

#### Drama

- Lord Of the Flies by Nigel Williams/William Golding
- The Curious Incident of The Dog In The Night-Time by Simon Stephens
- War Horse by Michael Morpurgo
- A View From the Bridge by Arthur Miller
- Wendy And Peter Pan by Ella Hickson
- Animal Farm by Peter Hall
- Teechers by John Godber
- Grimm Tales by Carol Ann Duffy/Tim Supple
- Two by Jim Cartwright
- One Man, Two Guv'nors by Richard Bean

#### Science and Technology

- Girling Up by Mayim Bialik
- Little Miss Geek by Belinda Parmar
- The Universe Explained: A Cosmic Q&A by Heather Couper and Nigel Henbest
- Nevertheless, she persisted by Pratima Rao Gluckman
- Beyond Infinity: An Expedition to the Outer Limits of the Mathematical Universe by Eugenia Cheng
- The Art of Logic: How to make sense in a world that doesn't by Eugenia Cheng
- A Good Time to be a Girl by Dame Helena Morrissey
- Hello World: How to be human in the age of the machine by Hannah Fry
- Working Out Loud by John Stepper
- The GCHQ Puzzle Book by GCHQ
- Built: The hidden stories behind our structures by Roma Agrawal
- Lost Stars by Lisa Selin Davis
- Brave Not Perfect by Reshma Saujani
- Day of the Triffids John Wyndham
- The Periodic Table Primo Levi
- Do No Harm Henry Marsh
- Why Do Penguins Feet Freeze? Mick O'Hare
- The Secret Science of Superheroes Mark Lorch and Andy Miah



- The Mould in Dr Floreys Coat: The Remarkable True Story of the Penicillin Miracle -Eric Lax
- Saturday Ian McEwan
- The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks by Rebecca Skloot
- The Elegant Universe: Superstrings, Hidden Dimensions, and the Quest for the Ultimate Theory by Brian Greene

#### **Art History**

- A World History of Art. Hugh Honour and John Fleming.
- Ways of Seeing. by John Berger.
- A History of Western Architecture. by David Watkin.
- Women, Art, And Power and Other Essays. by Linda Nochlin.
- The Art of Describing: Dutch Art in the Seventeenth Century. by Svetlana Alpers.

#### History

- The Five by Hallie Rubenhold
- The Tattooist of Aushwitz by Heather Morris
- A History of Britain in 21 Women: A Personal Selection by Jenni Murray
- 99 Immigrants who made Britain Great by Louis Stewart and Naomi Kenyon
- A History of the world in 21 women by Jennie Murray
- 100 Events that Made History by Andrea Mills, Clare Hibbert, Sarah Tomley, Rona Skene
- Moments in History by Claire Hibbert

## Geography

- Trash by Andy Mulligan
- Factfulness by Hans Rosling
- We are Displaced by Malala Yousafzai
- The Arrival by Shaun Tan
- Dust by Joan Frances Turner
- True Grit by Charles Portis
- The Alchemist by Paulo Coelho
- The Wanderer by Sharon Creech

## PE and Sports

- A Short History of the Girl Next Door by Jared Reck
- Running Full Tilt by Michael Currinder
- Blacktop Series by LJ Alonge, illustrated by Raul Allen
- Tumbling by Caela Carter
- Women in Sports: 50 Fearless Athletes Who Played to Win by Rachel Ignotofsky
- Taking Flight: From War Orphan to Star Ballerina by Michaela DePrince and Elaine DePrince
- Game Seven by Paul Volponi



• The Young Champion's Mind: How to Think, Train, and Thrive Like an Elite Athlete by Jim Afremow,

## French language books for beginners

- Le Scaphandre et le Papillon" (The Diving Bell and the Butterfly) by Jean-Dominique Bauby
- "Histoires ou contes du temps passé, avec des moralités: Contes de ma mère l'Oye" (Stories or Tales from Times Past, with Morals: Tales of Mother Goose) by Charles Perrault
- La Parure (The Necklace) by Guy de Maupassant
- "Les Aventures de Tintin" (The Adventures of Tintin)

#### **Books for Mental Health**

- The Catcher in the Rye by J D Salinger
- Girl Interrupted by Susanna Kaysen
- The Perks of Being a Wallflower by Stephen Chbosky
- It's a Kind of a Funny Story by Ned Vizzini
- The Kenneth Williams Diaries by Russell Davies