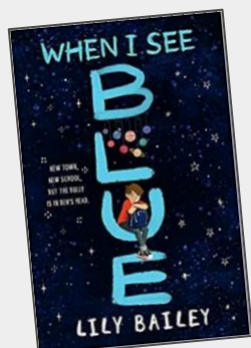




KEY STAGE 3 SUGGESTED READING LIST



When I see by Lily Bailey

12 year old Ben is being bullied. Not by other children. Ben is bullied by a voice in his own head. Invisible OCD rules dictate his every action, trying to prevent him from living life like neurotypical people do. It is exhausting trying to abide by a secret rule book – not to mention trying to hide it from others. But if Ben doesn't listen to his brain-bully, surely something dreadful will happen?

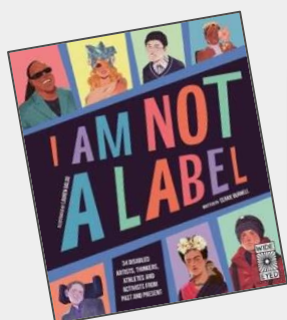
Wonder by R.J Palacio

Like most ten-year olds, August ('Auggie') Pullman just wants to be accepted at his new school, especially as he's been previously been home-schooled. However, Auggie can't help but stand out - he was born with a severe facial deformity. Most people react with horror to his appearance and don't take the time to meet the smart, funny, Star Wars-loving boy underneath.



The London Eye Mystery by Siobhan Dowd

Ted and Kat's cousin Salim steps into a pod on the London Eye, but when it comes back around, he's completely disappeared. Now Ted and Kat must follow a trail of clues across London, whilst time ticks dangerously by . . .



I Am Not A Label by Carrie Burnell

Meet 34 trailblazing disabled role models. From the famous to the less well-known, and from the past to the contemporary, it's a wonderfully eclectic range of stories, including, Beethoven, Stephen Hawking, Lady Gaga and Lil Wayne.

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The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night Time by Mark Haddon

Christopher is 15 and lives in Swindon with his father. He has autism. He is obsessed with maths, science and Sherlock Holmes but finds it hard to understand other people. When he discovers a dead dog on a neighbour's lawn he decides to solve the mystery and write a detective thriller about it. As in all good detective stories, however, the more he unearths, the deeper the mystery gets - for both Christopher and the rest of his family.

