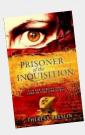


# KEY STAGE 4 SUGGESTED READING LIST



### Prisoner of the inquisition by Theresa Breslin

Zarita, only daughter of the town magistrate, lives a life of wealth and privilege. Indulged by her parents, she is free to spend her days as she pleases, enjoying herself in the company of an eligible young nobleman, horse riding, or leisurely studying the arts.

## Isabel: Jewel of Castilla, Spain, 1466 by Carolyn Meyer

When the King of Spain decides to use the marriage of his fourteen-year-old sister for political gain, young Isabel finds creative and clever ways to avoid becoming a bride until she meets the man whom she wants to wed.



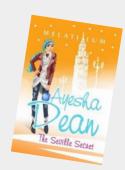


#### Spain or Shine by Michelle Jellen

Elena is lost in the shuffle between her three overachieving siblings. But now that she's on her own for a whole semester, she intends to keep the spotlight on herself—and Spain is just the place to do it. Once she starts living it up in tapas bars, lying out on the beach (even though it's November), and having a nice, long siesta smack-dab in the middle of every day, Elena finds that Spain is everything she hoped it would be. She's even met a to-fawn-over Spaniard, Miguel.

#### Ayesha Dean – The Seville Secret by Melati Lum

Ayesha, Sara and Jess are back in an exciting new adventure, and this time they're off to Spain! When a fellow passenger's beloved grandpa strangely disappears, Ayesha and her friends gladly join in the search for the missing person. But as Ayesha delves further into the mystery, the more sinister the stakes become! Ayesha finds a link between the missing person and a 16th century diary that contains clues to an ancient mystery. However, each step closer to discovery seems to pose greater chances of peril. Can Ayesha uncover the truth without putting herself and her friends in mortal danger?





#### Aliyah & Alina by Kainat Asghar

Aliyah and Alina have been raised as princesses in a beautiful palace in medieval Granada, and their father intends for one of them to become queen after him. But their idyllic lives are interrupted by unrest in their country. The king's advisors simply want to solve the problem with a show of military force, but the princesses want to find a way to resolve the matter peacefully. With their cousins, they sneak out of the palace one night to a local village to listen to what the discontented have to say, and the people they meet that night will change the course of their lives forever.

### **Homage to Catalona by George Orwell**

The revolutionary euphoria of Barcelona, the courage of ordinary Spanish men and women the author fought alongside, the terror and confusion of the front, his near-fatal bullet wound and the vicious treachery of his supposed allies.



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