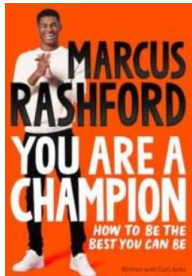
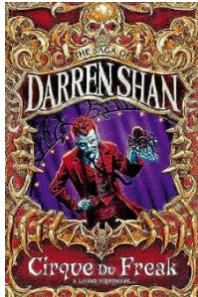


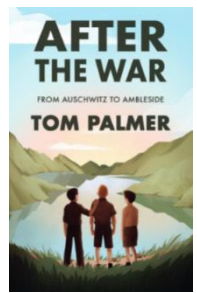


Year 7 Drop Everything and Listen (DEAL)

Below is a list of books that we will read/listen to during morning tutor time to enrich you, inspire you, challenge you and broaden your experience of the world.

Book	Title	Author	Genre	Overview	Cover
1	You are a Champion	Marcus Rashford	Non-Fiction (BAME)	In <i>You Are a Champion: Unlock Your Potential, Find Your Voice and Be the BEST You Can Be</i> , Marcus Rashford MBE draws on stories from his own life to show you that success is all about the mindset. You'll find out how positive thinking can change your life, build mental resilience, learn how to navigate adversity and discover the unstoppable power of your own voice. You already have the tools you need to achieve your dreams; you just might not know it yet.	
2	Cirque du Freak	Darren Shan	Non-fiction (Action Adventure, Fantasy Thriller)	Darren Shan and Steve Leonard are really adventurous teenage boys. Darren is a smart kid and is fascinated by spiders. Steve is a trouble maker and is obsessed over vampires and comic books. One day a flier for a freak show caught the boys attention and they decided to go. At the freak show there was a guy named Larten Crepsley. His act was to go on stage and do tricks with his huge and very dangerous spider named Madam Octa. Steve, who is all into vampires notices that Larten Crepsley is a vampire. After the show, Steve tries to talk to Mr. Crepsley and ask if he could be a vampire. While Mr. Crepsley is distracted, Darren sneaks and steals his pet spider, Madam Octa. A week later while Darren and Steve are playing with the spider, it bites Steve and paralyzes him. In order for him to survive, Darren has to become blooded (become a vampire) by Mr. Crepsley for him to afford the Antidote to cure the spiders poison. Darren has to fake his death and leave his normal life to follow and live the ways of a vampire for the rest of his life.	

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3	Wonder	R J Palacio	Contemporary Novel	<p>Wonder is a novel about a 10-year old boy named Auggie Pullman who has a cranio-facial abnormality. He has been home-schooled all his life, but when he turns 10, he goes to school for the first time ever. He faces challenges and bullying from some of his classmates, but he also makes friends and learns to accept himself. The novel shows how Auggie and his family cope with his condition and how he inspires others with his courage and kindness.</p>	
4	Skellig	David Almond	Fiction (Magical/realism)	<p>Ten-year-old Michael and his parents have recently moved to a dilapidated house on Falconer Road. While they work on renovating the house, Michael's sister is born prematurely. Due to her critical heart condition, it is not clear whether she will survive. Michael deeply cares about her, so this situation puts him under an extraordinary amount of stress.</p>	
5	After the War	Tom Palmer	Non-fiction (Holocaust)	<p>Summer 1945. The Second World War is finally over and Yossi, Leo and Mordecai are among three hundred children who arrive in the English Lake District. Having survived the horrors of the Nazi concentration camps, they've finally reached a place of safety and peace, where they can hopefully begin to recover. Will life by the beautiful Lake Windermere be enough to bring hope back into all their lives?</p>	
6	I am Malala	Malala Yousafzai	Non-fiction (Memoir)	<p>The book details the early life of Yousafzai, her father's ownership of schools and activism, the rise and fall of the Tehrik-i-Taliban Pakistan in Swat Valley and the assassination attempt made against Yousafzai on 9 October 2012, when she was aged 15, following her activism for female education. It received a positive critical reception and won several awards, though it has been banned in many schools in Pakistan.</p>	