Read Around the World Reading Challenge

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| **Africa** |
| **Zimbabwe & Tunisia** |
| The Last Leopard | Lauren St John |
| Benny and Omar | Eoin Colfer |
| **Uganda & Sudan** |
| The Child’s Elephant | Rachel Campbell-Johnston |
| A Long Walk to Water | Linda Sue Park |
| **Nigeria & Tanzania** |
| The Other Side of Truth | Beverley Naidoo |
| Abela | Berlie Doherty |
| **South Africa & Egypt** |
| Nelson Mandela – The Authorized Comic Book |  |
| The Red Pyramid | Rick Riordan |
| Journey to Jo’burg | Beverley Naidoo |
| **Congo & Sudan** |
| How Dare the Sun Rise | Sandra Uwiringiyiman with Abigail Pesta |
| The Red Pencil | Andrea Davis Pinkney |
| **Eritrea & Ethiopia** |
| Refugee Boy | Benjamin Zephaniah |
| Cutting for Stone | Abraham Verghese |
| **Libya** |
| The Shadows of Gadames | Joëlle Stolz |
| In the Country of Men | Hisham Matar |
| **Somalia** |
| From a Crooked Rib | Nuruddin Farah  |
| Through my Eyes | Tammy Wilson |
| **Ghana** |
| All God's Children need travelling shoes | Maya Angelo |
| The Beautiful Ones Are Not Yet Born | Ayi Kwei Armah |
| Comfort Herself | Geraldine Kaye & Jennifer Northway |
| **Kenya** |
| A Grain of Wheat | Ngũgĩ wa Thiong'o |
| Red Stranger | Elspeth Huxley |
| **Rwanda** |
| Running the Rift | Naomi Benaron |
| Baking Cakes in Kigali | Gaile Parkin |
| **Gambia** |
| The Unkindness of Raves | Abra Staffin-Wiebe |
| Chaff on the Wind: A Novel | Ebou Dibba |
| **Middle East** |
| **Iran & Lebanon** |
| Persepolis | Marjane Satrapi |
| Oranges in No Man’s Land | Elizabeth Laird |
| **Iraq** |
| Kiss the Dust | Elizabeth Laird |
| Last Days in Babylon | Marina Benjamin |
| **Israel & Palestine** |
| The Wall | William Sutcliffe |
| The Kites are Flying! | Michael Morpurgo |
| **Yemen** |
| Salmon Fishing in the Yemen | Paul Torday |
| Henna House | Nomi Eve |
| **Turkey** |
| My Name is Red | Orhan Pamuk |
| The Song of Achilles | Madeline Miller |
| Birds Without Wings | Louis de Bernières |
| **Syria** |
| The Girl from Aleppo: Nujeen's Escape from War to Freedom | Nujeen Mustafa & Christina Lamb |
| Other Words for Home | Jasmine Warga |
| **Kuwait** |
| A Map of Home  | Randa Jarrar |
| The Two Sister of Kuwait  | Lon R. Maisttison |
| **Saudi Arabia** |
| A Girl Like That  | Tanaz Bhathena |
| Under a Crescent Moon: Stories of Arabia | Julia Juwairiah Simpson-Urrutia |
| **Asia** |
| **India** |
| Babe | Om Shantu |
| New Jungle Book Adventure Bear Grylls Spirit of the Jungle |  |
| **Bangladesh** |
| Brick Lane | Monica Ali |
| A Golden Age | Tahmima Anam |
| **Indonesia & Vietnam** |
| Running Wild | Michael Morpurgo |
| Inside Out & Back Again | Thanhha Lai |
| **Pakistan** |
| I Am Malala | Malala Yousafzai |
| Mud City | Deborah Ellis |
| **China** |
| Bound | Donna Jo Napoli |
| Dragons of Silk | Laurence Yep |
| **Korea & Japan** |
| A Single Shard | Linda Sue Park |
| Young Samurai – The Way of the Warrior | Chris Bradford |
| **Japan & North Korea** |
| Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes | Eleanor Coeer |
| Every Falling Star | Sungju Lee & Susan McClelland |
| **South Korea** |
| The Hen who Dreamed She Could Fly | Hwang Sun-mi |
| The Vegetarian | Han Kang |
| **Afghanistan** |
| Kiterunner | Khaled Hosseini |
| Words in the Dust | Trent Reedy |
| Born Under a Millions Shadows | Andrea Busfield |
| The Breadwinner | Deborah Ellis |
| **Thailand** |
| Girl on the Verge | Pintip Dunn |
| The Beach | Alex Garland |
| **Philippines** |
| When the Elephants Dance | Tess Uriza Holthe |
| Everlasting Nora | Marie Miranda Cruz |
| **Australia / New Zealand / Pacific** |
| **Australia** |
| Tomorrow, When the War Began | John Marsden |
| Boy Overboard | Morris Gleitzman |
| Everybody Jam | Ali Lewis |
| The Middle of Nowhere | Geraldine McCaughrean |
| **Australia & the Pacific** |
| The Bone Sparrow | Zana Fraillon |
| Kensuke’s Kingdom | Michael Morpurgo |
| **New Zealand & Hawaii** |
| The Whale Rider | Witi Ihimaera |
| Under the Blood-Red Sun | Graham Salisbury |
| **Polar Regions - Artic, Antartic & Lapland** |
| **Svalbard (Arctic) & Lapland** |
| Dark Matter | Michelle Paver |
| Wilderness | Roddy Doyle |
| **Antarctic & Siberia** |
| The White Darkness | Geraldine McCaughrean |
| Between Shades of Gray | Ruta Sepetys |
| **North America** |
| **Canada** |
| Anne of Green Gables | L.M. Montgomery |
| From Anna | Jean Little |
| Uprooted | Lynne Reid Banks |
| Hatchet | Gary Paulsen |
| **United States** |
| The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian | Sherman Alexie |
| Eleven | Tom Rogers |
| Lies We Tell Ourselves | Robin Talley |
| Stop the Train | Geraldine McCaughrean |
| Salt | Helen Frost |
| Brown Girl Dreaming | Jacqueline Woodson |
| The Adventure of Tom Sawyer | Mark Twain |
| **Jamaica** |
| The Long Song | Andrea Levy |
| No Boy Like Amanda | Hope Barnett |
| **Mexico** |
| Saint Death | Marcus Sedgwick |
| Esperanza Rising | Pam Munoz Ryan |
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| **South America** |
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| **Peru & Guatemala** |
| The Dreamer | Pam Munoz Ryan & Peter Sis |
| Caminar | Skila Brown |
| **Cuba & Argentina** |
| The Red Umbrella | Christina Diaz Gonzalez |
| Ghost Hands | T.A. Barron |
| **Brazil & the Amazon Rainforest** |
| Keeper | Mal Peet |
| Captain of the Sands | Gregory Rabassa |
| Brazil | John Updike |
| Eleven Minutes | Paolo Coelho |
| **Trinidad & Tobago** |
| Crick Crack, Monkey | Merle Hodge |
| Golden Child | Claire Adam |
| **Europe** |
| **England** |
| The London Eye Mystery | Siobhan Dowd |
| Two Weeks with the Queen | Morris Gleiztman |
| The Secret Garden | Frances Hodgson Burnett |
| King of the Shadows | Susan Cooper |
| Wind in the Willows | Kenneth Grahame |
| **Wales & Scotland** |
| Divided City | Theresa Breslin |
| Carrie’s War | Nina Baldwin |
| The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie | Muriel Sparks |
| **Ireland** |
| Skulduggery Pleasant | Derek Landy |
| Bog Child | Siobhan Dowd |
| The Selfish Giant | Oscar Wilde |
| Angela’s Ashes | Frank McCourt |
| P.S. I Love | Cecelia Ahern |
| **France** |
| Rooftoppers | Katherine Rundell |
| Revolution | Jennifer Donnelly |
| **Germany** |
| A Night Divided | Jennifer A. Nielsen |
| The Boy at the Top of the Mountain | John Boyne |
| The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas | John Boyne |
| **Italy** |
| The Thief Lord | Cornelia Funke |
| Tiger, Tiger | Lynne Reid Banks |
| A Room with a View | E. M. Forster |
| The Name of the Rose | Umberto Eco |
| **Italy & Spain** |
| The Girl who Rode the Wind | Stacy Gregg |
| The Apprentice’s Masterpiece | Melanie Little |
| The Shadow of the Wind | Carlos Ruis Zafon |
| **Denmark** |
| Number the Stars | Lois Lowry |
| The Little Mermaid | Hans Christian Anderson |
| **Russia** |
| Saving Zasha | Randi Barrow |
| The Night Journey | Kathryn Lasky |
| **The Netherlands** |
| The Diary of a Young Girl | Anne Frank |
| **Greece** |
| My Family and Other Animals | Gerald Durrell |
| Captain Corelli’s Mandolin | Louis de Bernieres |
| The Song of Achilles | Madeline Miller |
| **Poland** |
| Once | Morris Gleitzman |
| Maus | Art Spiegelman |
| Schindler's Ark | Thomas Keneally |
| **Bulgaria** |
| Under the Yoke | Ivan Vazov |
| East of the West | Miroslav Penkov |
| **Norway** |
| The Ice Palace  | Tarjei Versaas |
| Out Stealing Horses  | Per Petterson |
| **Austria** |
| The Star of Kazan | Eva Ibbotson |
| The Devil in Vienna | Doris Orgel |
| Marie Antoinette: Princess of Versailles, Austria - France, 1769 The Royal Diaries  | Katherine Lasky |
| **Bosnia & Hertzegovina** |
| Zlata’s Diary | Zlata Filipovic |
| The Cellist of Sarajevo | Steven Galloway |
| **Lithuania** |
| Vilnius Poker | Ričardas Gavelis |
| Last Walk in Naryshkin Park | Rose Zwi |
| **Portugal** |
| Night Train to Lisbon | Pascal Mercier |
| The Book of Disquiet | Fernando Pessoa |
| **Moldova** |
| Bread and Dew: Stories by a Moldavian Writer | Grigore Vieru |
| The Good Life Elsewhere | Vladimir Lorchenkov |
| **Romania** |
| Dracula | Bram Stoker |
| How I Spent My Summer Holiday | T. O. Bobe |
| **Sweden** |
| Pippi Longstocking | Astrid Lindgren |
| Beartown | Fredrik Backman |