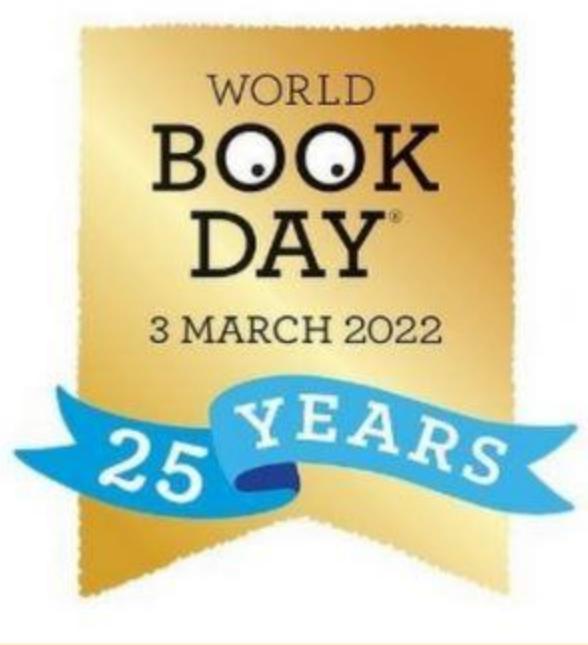
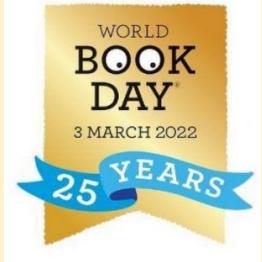


“We wanted to do something to reposition reading and our message is the same today as it was then – that reading is fun, relevant, accessible, exciting, and has the power to transform lives.”

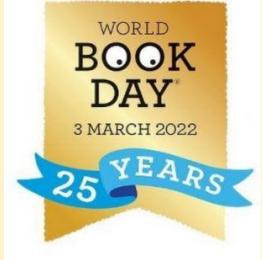
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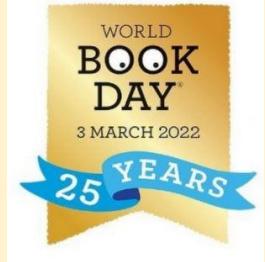
The World in 1997



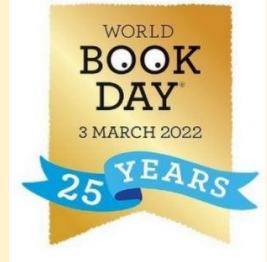
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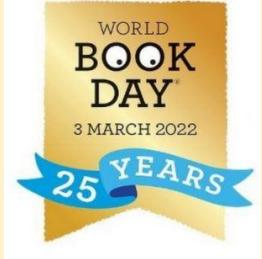
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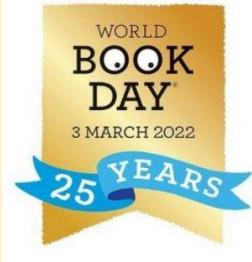
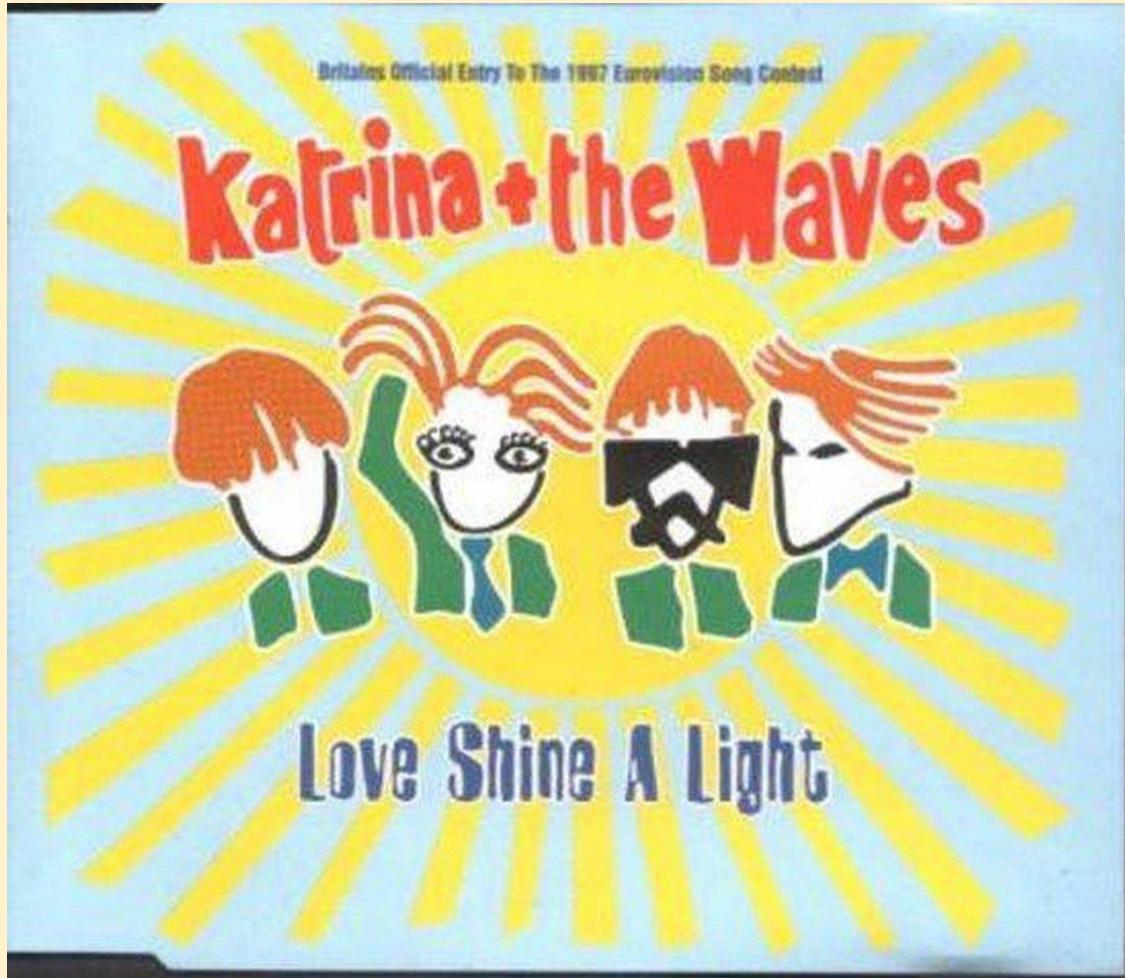
Hong Kong was returned to Chinese rule after being a British colony for 150 years



It was announced that the first cloned animal, Dolly the Sheep had been born in Edinburgh



Eh-Uh! The teletubbies launched on BBC
and was both loved and hated



Britain last won
the Eurovision
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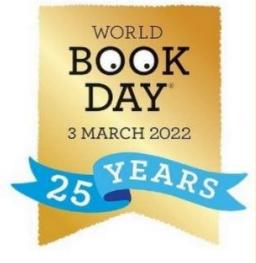
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25 YEARS

CSG in 1997

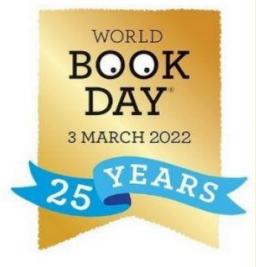


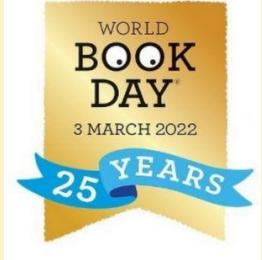
The main difference between lessons today and 25 years ago was that we didn't have powerful computers or the internet.





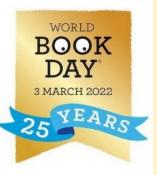
What is now the study room in the library was a separate room known as The Founder's Library





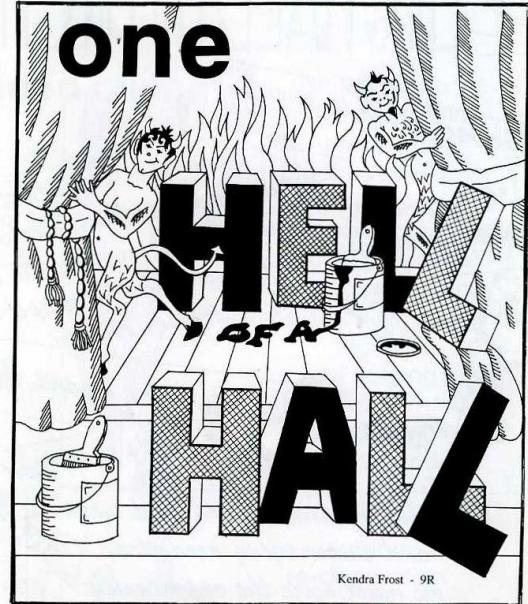
Staff v Students rounders match

The Sixth Form House was much smaller and behind it was a small games field.



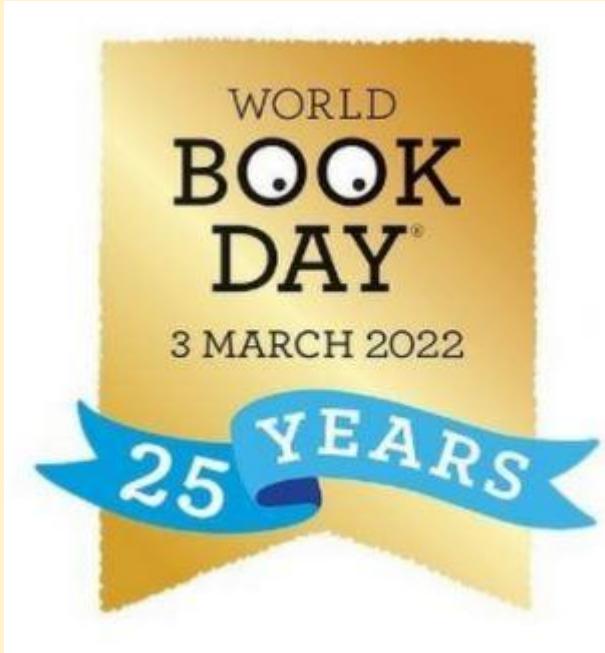
We started a two year fundraising to completely refurbish the school hall

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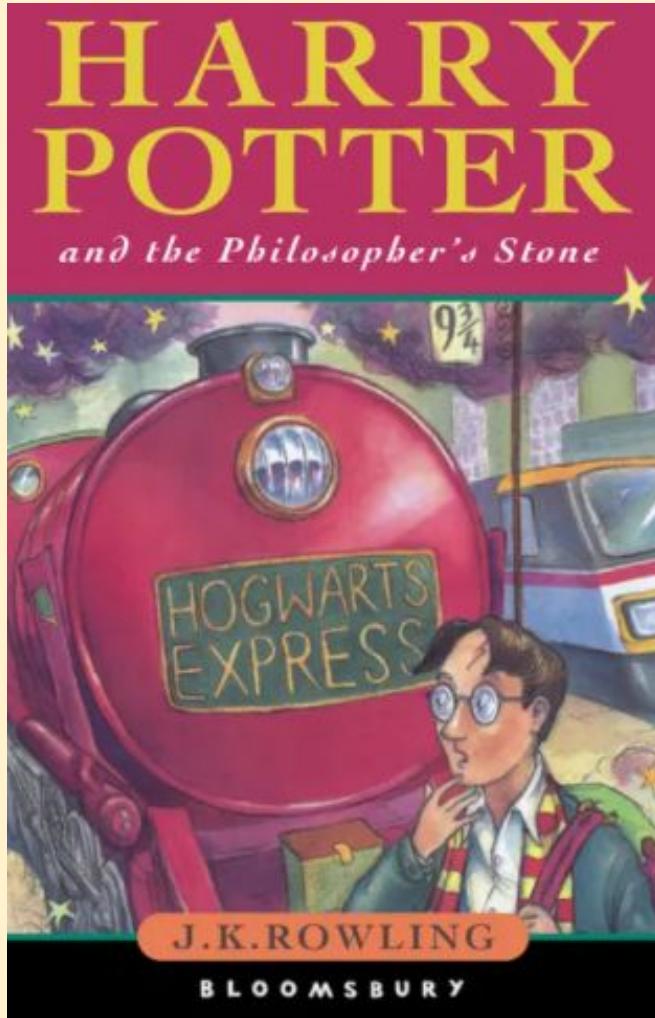
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Books Published in 1997

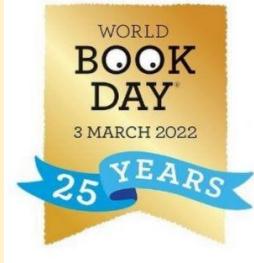


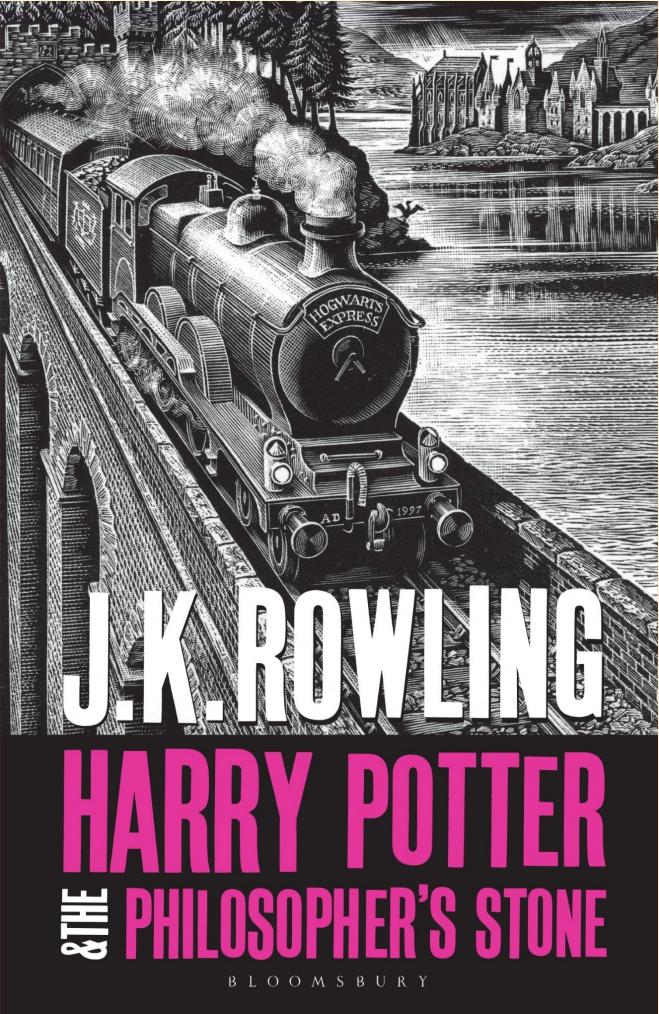
Every year thousands of new books are published. Most quickly become out of print.

Which books first published in 1997, are still in the library today?

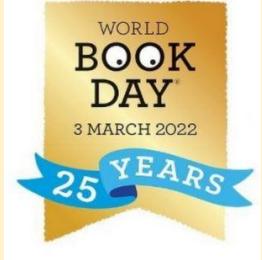


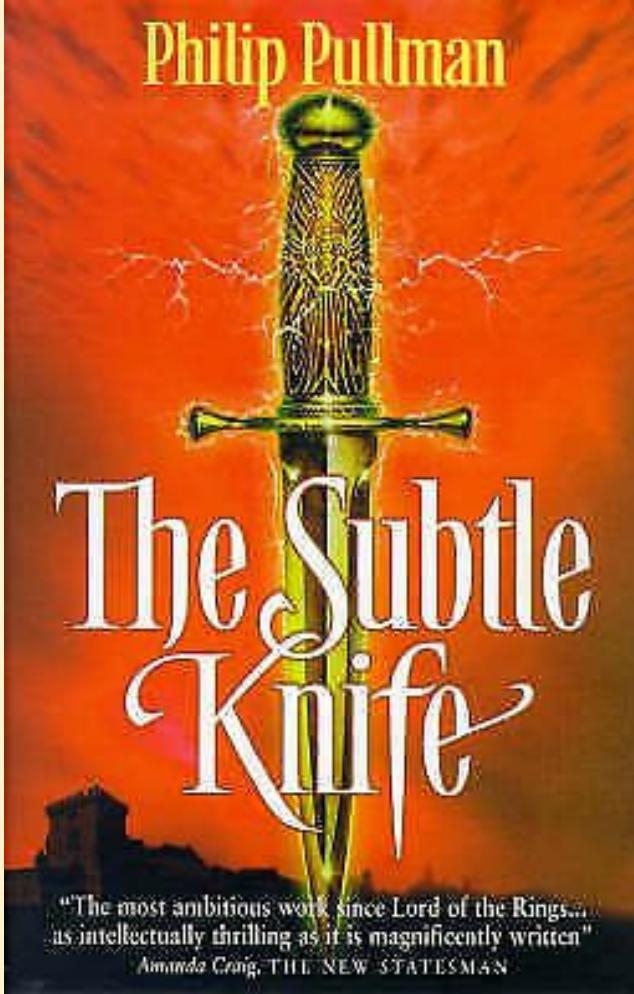
After being rejected by several well known publishers, the first Harry Potter story was published by Bloomsbury. It was an instant success. Copies of the first print run of the book are now worth thousands of pounds.





Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone was written for children. But the book also proved popular with adults. An adult edition was published with a muted cover so adults would not feel embarrassed reading the book on their journey to work.



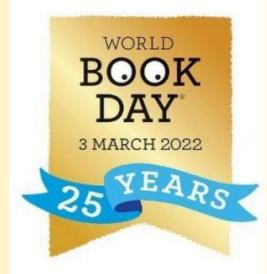


Philip Pullman

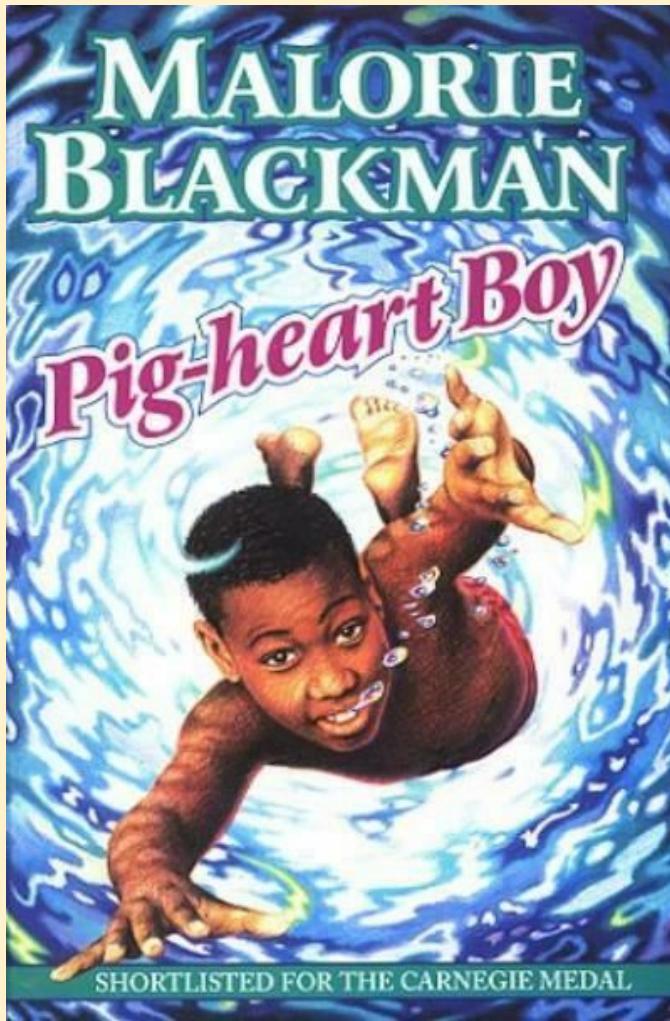
The Subtle Knife

"The most ambitious work since Lord of the Rings... as intellectually thrilling as it is magnificently written"
Amanda Craig, THE NEW STATESMAN

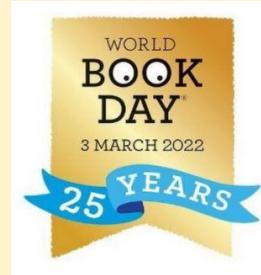
Also published in 1997 was the eagerly awaited second book in Philip Pullman's "His Dark Materials" series.

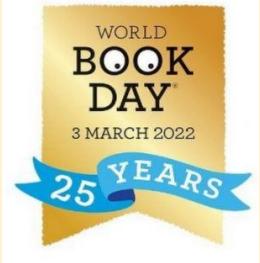
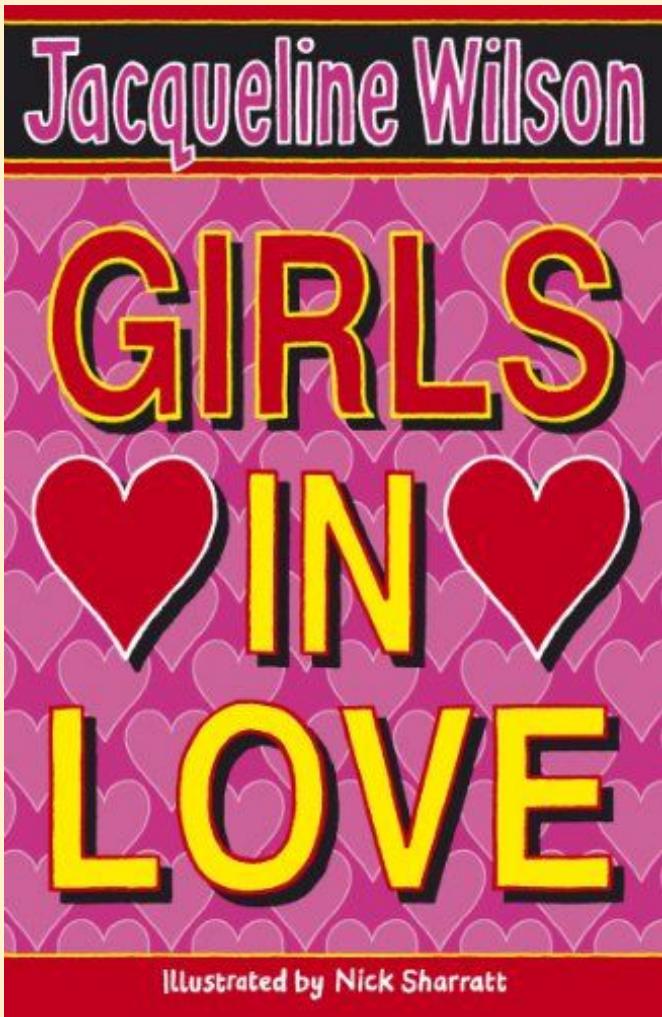


The first book "Northern Lights" won the Carnegie Medal in 1995. Like Harry Potter this series is now an established classic.

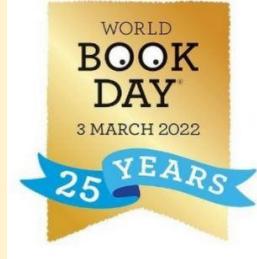
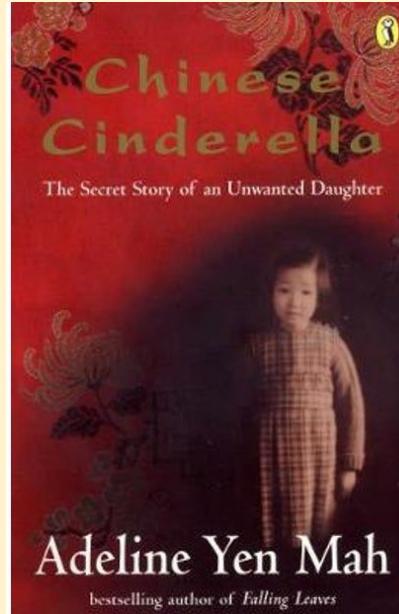
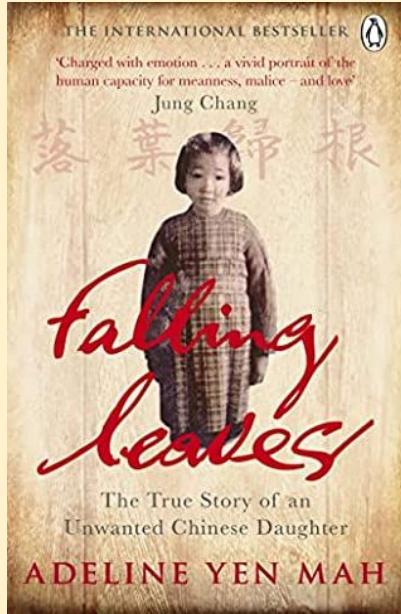


Cameron urgently requires a heart transplant. But no donor heart is available. His only option is receive the heart of a pig. In 1997 this was pure science fiction. A few weeks ago it was announced that the first pig to human heart transplant had taken place.

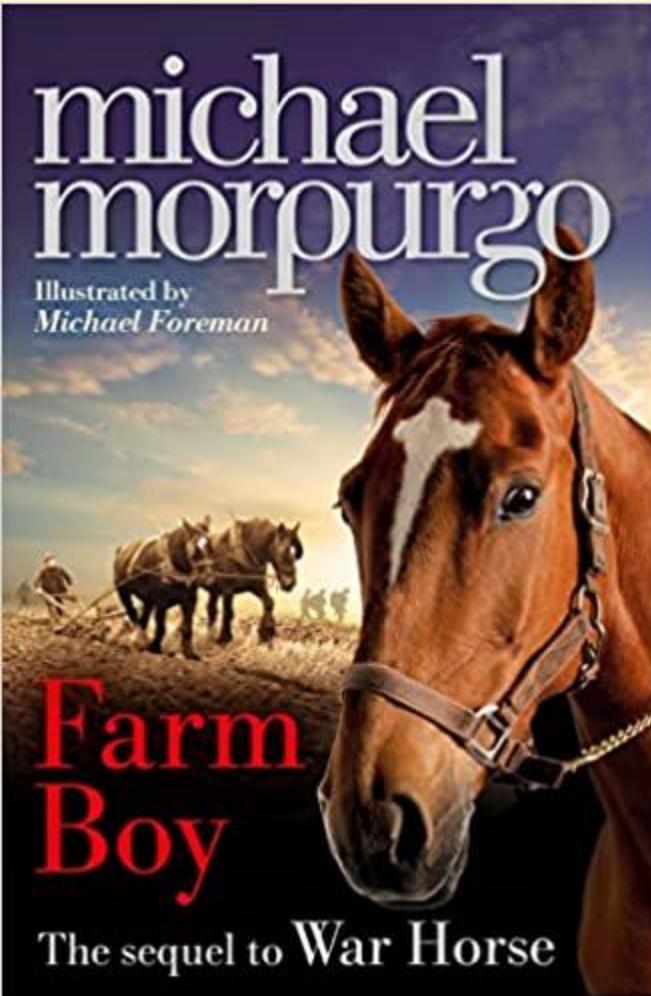




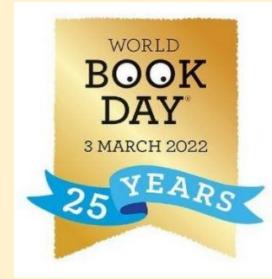
Although we still have a large collection of books by Jacqueline Wilson in the library, they are not as popular as they were. In 1997 all her books were in constant demand

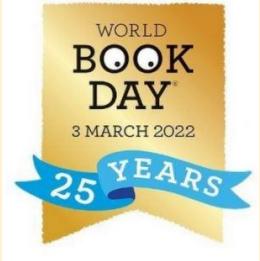
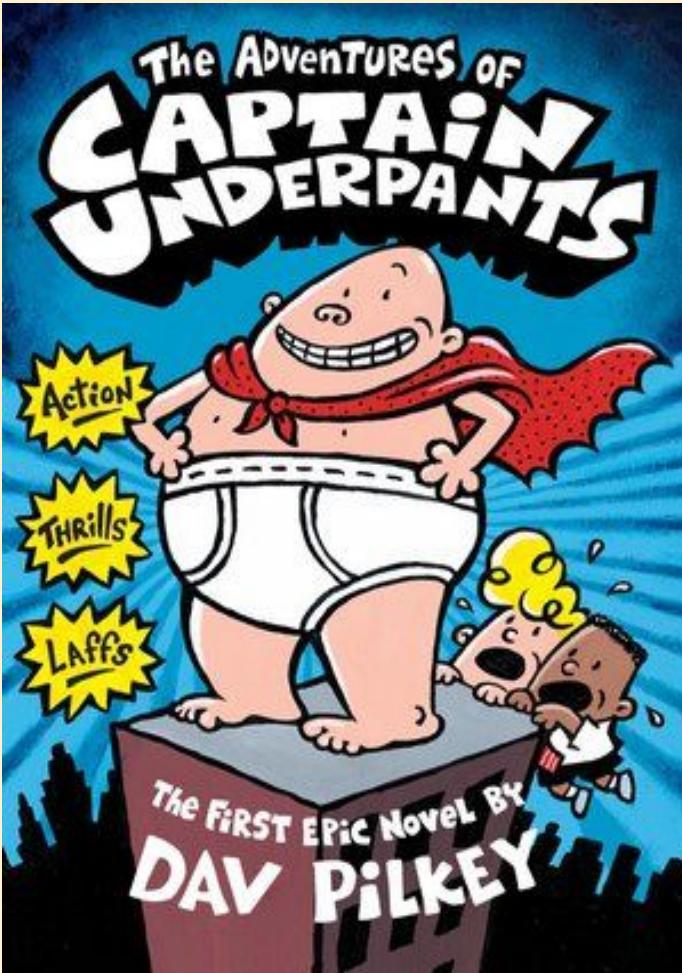


Falling Leaves is an autobiography about a girl growing up in a dysfunctional family in Shanghai. It was one of the first and better written of a new popular genre of the early 21st century named “misery lit”. The book was adapted for younger readers and published as “Chinese Cinderella”

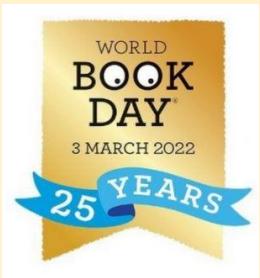
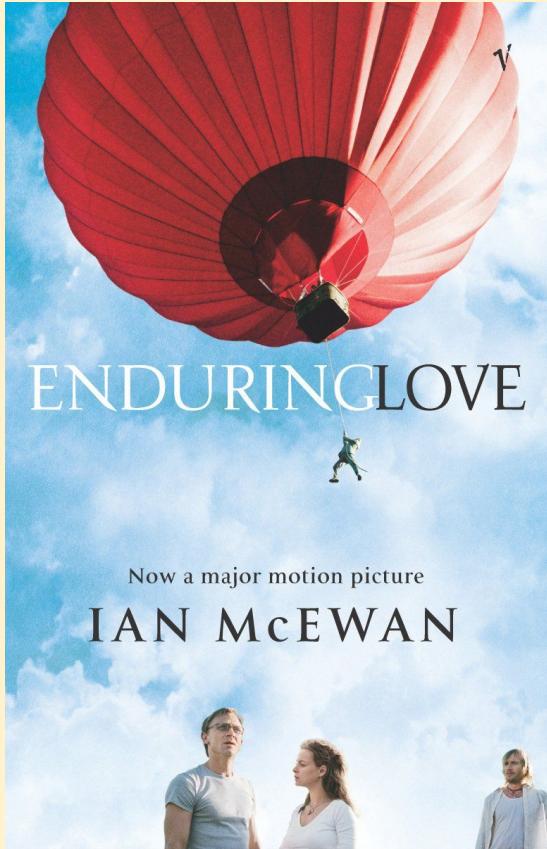
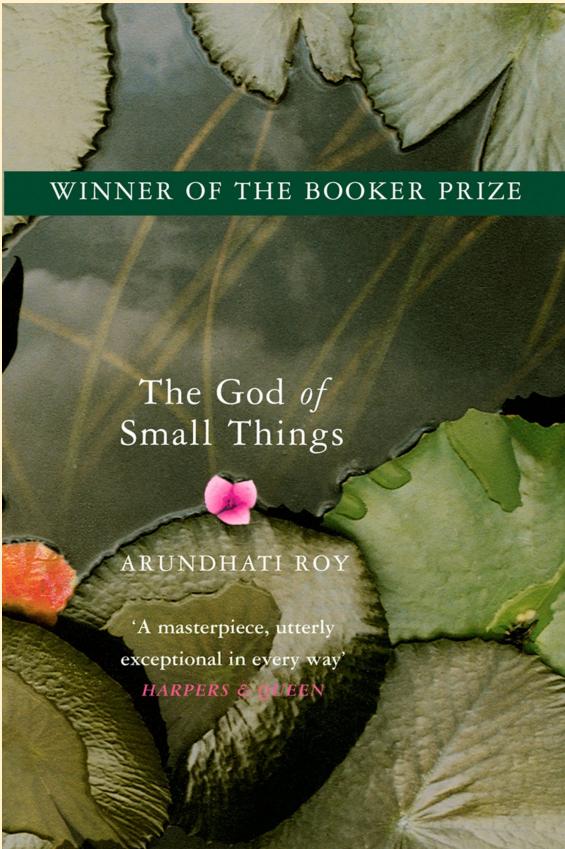


After War Horse was published, readers were always asking author Michael Morpurgo what happened to Joey, the horse, after he returned to the Devon farm. So he wrote this sequel. It is a short book and much easier to read than War Horse

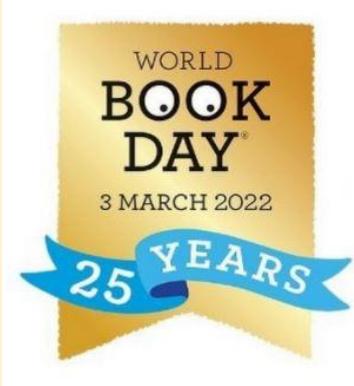




For younger readers, the first book in the graphic novel series about the superhero Captain Underpants. The books are loved by kids. But parents and teachers are less enthusiastic. They claim the books encourage children to misbehave.

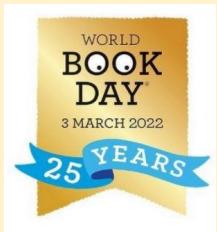


Two books that have become adult modern classics and set texts for A Level English Literature.

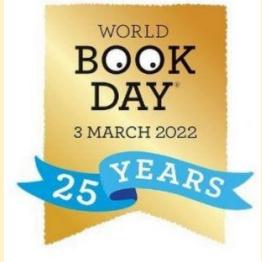


CSG World Book Day 2022





- On World Book Day we will be selecting 2 teams to take part in the regional heats later in the month.
- The National Reading Quiz is for students in KS3.
- KS4 students can take part in the quiz on Thursday but cannot be considered for the school teams.
- Prizes will be awarded to the students who get the highest score in each year group.



- To take part, just come to the library at break, lunchtime or after school on Thursday.
- You will be given a sheet of sample questions to answer by yourself and without using Google. It should take you no more than 10 minutes.