

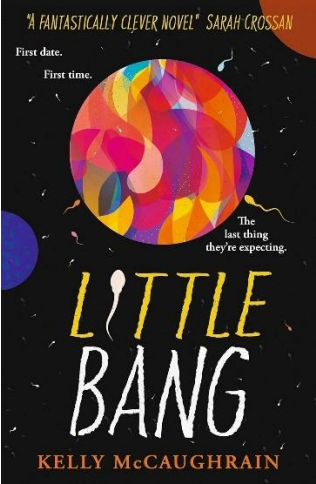
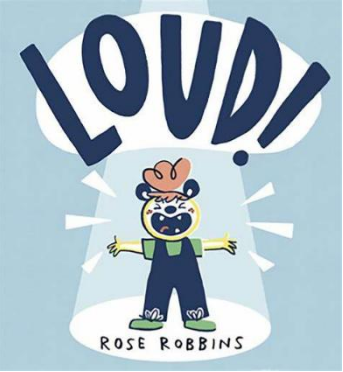
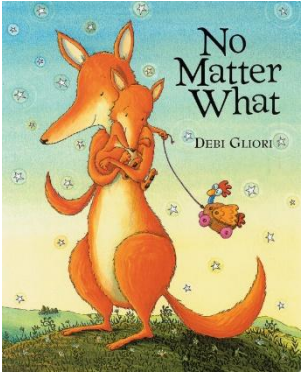
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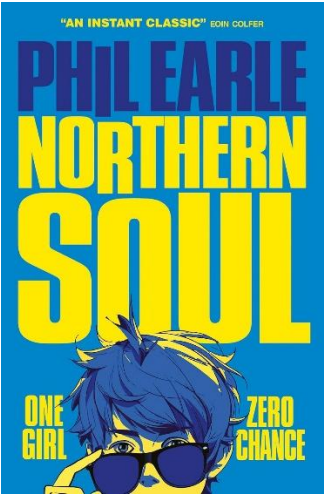
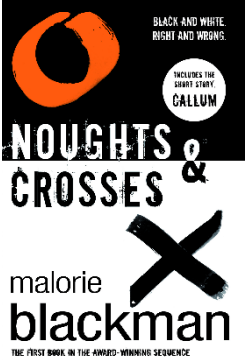
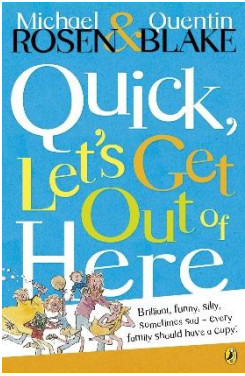
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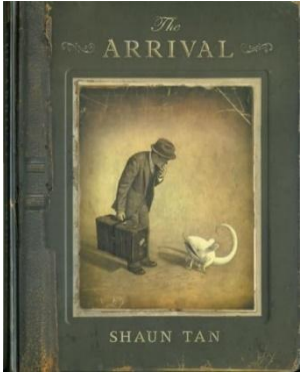
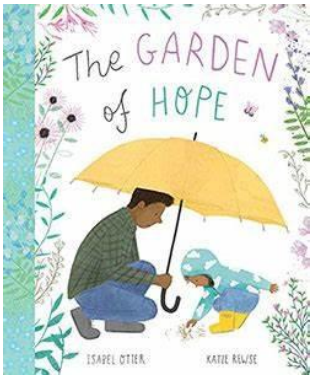
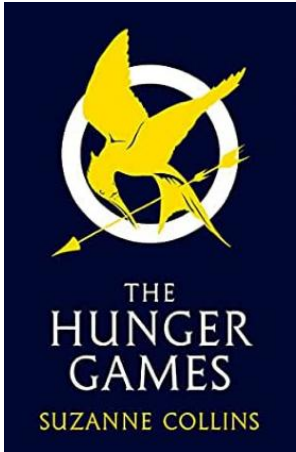
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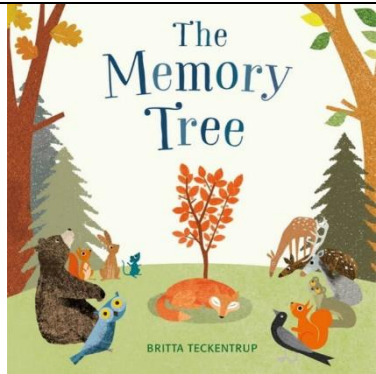
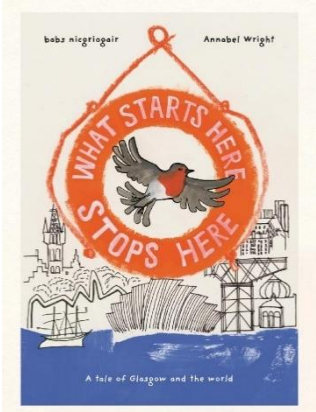
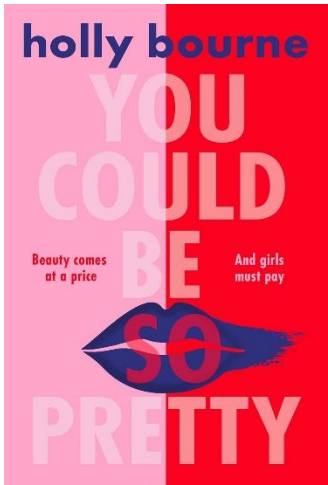
Third Level texts

Cover image	Title and author	Themes
	<p><u>A Kind of Spark</u> by Elle McNicoll</p>	<p><i>A Kind of Spark</i> follows Addie, an autistic 11-year-old who campaigns for a memorial in her town in remembrance of the women killed during the Scottish witch trials. Explore metaphors and similes, discuss ableist language, go on an empathy walk, and learn about women accused of witchcraft using these nine cross-curricular activities.</p>
	<p><u>Glasgow Boys</u> by Margaret McDonald</p>	<p>In partnership with Empathy Lab, this class text resource for <i>Glasgow Boys</i> allows you to explore the book as a set text with a focus on developing empathy skills and an understanding of other people's feelings and life experiences. <i>Glasgow Boys</i> follows two care-experienced boys as they try to make the best of their lives whilst also processing the trauma of their shared past. This</p>


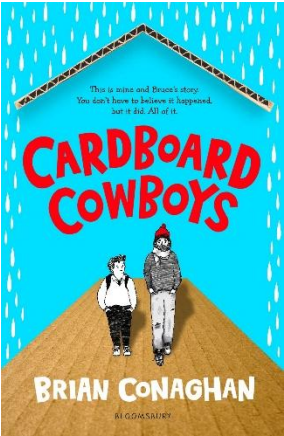
		<p>resource includes in-depth literacy and cross-curricular activities.</p>
	<p><u>Little Bang</u> by Kelly McCaughrain</p>	<p><i>Little Bang</i> is set in 2018 against the background of the Irish referendum on abortion rights. After their first date, Mel discovers she is pregnant with Sid's baby, and the book follows them and their families as they navigate what this means. This class text resource contains in depth literacy and cross-curricular activities to use alongside a class reading of <i>Little Bang</i>. Resources developed in partnership with Empathy Lab.</p>
	<p><u>LOUD!</u> by Rose Robbins</p>	<p>LOUD! is a picture-book full of sounds and textures, making it perfect for sensory-storytelling. The recommended props and actions described in this resource will bring the book to life for all ages and abilities. Suitable for first to fourth level.</p>
	<p><u>No Matter What</u> by Debi Gliori</p>	<p>Explore body language connected to different emotions and practise being a good listener using this picture book as a prompt. These health and wellbeing activities are part of a resource to support children through grief and loss. Suitable for early to third level.</p>

	<p><u>Northern Soul</u> by Phil Earle</p>	<p>Developed in partnership with Empathy Lab, this resource for <i>Northern Soul</i> allows you to explore the book as a set text with a focus on developing empathy skills and an understanding of other people's feelings. Become a music journalist, learn about Otis Redding and explore healthy relationships through these in depth Literacy and cross-curricular activities connected to this Barrington Stoke dyslexia friendly text.</p>
	<p><u>Noughts and Crosses</u> by Malorie Blackman</p>	<p>Develop a news broadcast, research the civil rights movement, and write your own powerful political speech using these five cross-curricular activities suitable for third, fourth and senior phase.</p>
	<p><u>Selection of Poems</u> by Michael Rosen</p>	<p>Build confidence discussing, writing and performing poetry using these fun cross-curricular activities. These activities have been designed to be used with five poems by Michael Rosen which are included in the resource.</p>

	<p><u><i>The Arrival</i></u> by Shaun Tan</p>	<p>Write an interactive story about a journey, discuss and create your own 'citizenship test', and make a scrap album of things you'd want to look at to remind you of home using these cross-curricular activities. This resource can be used for intense week or day activities, or as a yearlong project. It is designed to promote multi-disciplinary connection and collaboration and is suitable for third and fourth level.</p>
	<p><u><i>The Garden of Hope</i></u> by Isabel Otter and Katie Rewse</p>	<p>Using this picture book, explore how worries feel and make your own worry doll. These health and wellbeing activities are part of a resource to support children through grief and loss. Suitable for early to third level.</p>
	<p><u><i>The Hunger Games</i></u> by Suzanne Collins</p>	<p>Have a camouflage challenge, make music like a mockingjay, learn basic first aid and how body systems work, and design your own outfit for the games using these cross-curricular activities. This resource can be used for intense week or day activities, or as a yearlong project. It can be used with one class or across the whole school and is suitable for third to senior phase.</p>

	<p><u><i>The Memory Tree</i></u> by Britta Teckentrup</p>	<p>Explore how memories make us feel and make a memory box for Fox using these health and wellbeing activities. This resource can be used to support children through grief and loss. Suitable for early to third level.</p>
	<p><u><i>What Starts Here Stops Here</i></u> by Hope Street Collective</p>	<p>The book follows a robin who is blown off course by a gale, and journeys back in time through the history of Glasgow. It focuses on the connection between colonialism and climate change. This resource will help you create your own version of the book to reflect on your local area. Each activity is designed to help you gather material for the book and learn more about colonialism, protest and climate change.</p>
	<p><u><i>You Could Be So Pretty</i></u> by Holly Bourne</p>	<p>In partnership with Empathy Lab, this class text resource focuses on developing empathy skills. <i>You Could Be So Pretty</i> is a feminist dystopian novel which follows Belle and Joni, two very different young girls who live under the Doctrine, a sexist system that divides women and girls into Prettys and Objectionables. Explore dystopian fiction, misogyny and human rights through our literacy and cross-curricular activities. See content warnings in resource.</p>

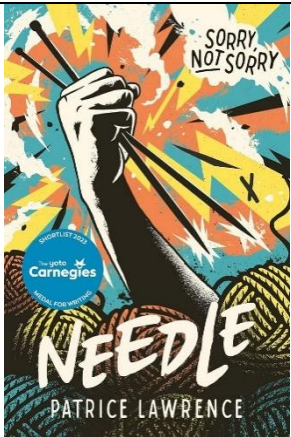
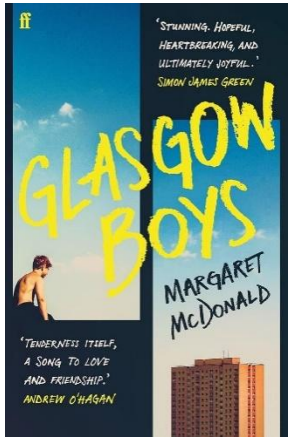
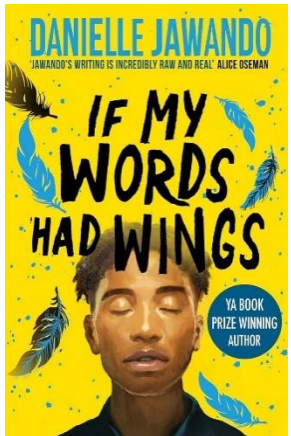
Teen Discussion Guides		
	<p><i><u>The Climbers</u></i> by Keith Gray</p>	<p>Part of our <u>Teen discussion guides</u>. Various titles suitable for 12+ readers. Each guide contains 3-4 discussion prompts and 2 creative writing prompts, as well as suggestions of other books that readers might like.</p>
	<p><i><u>Hide and Seek</u></i> by Robin Scott-Elliott</p>	<p>Part of our <u>Teen discussion guides</u>. Various titles suitable for 12+ readers. Each guide contains 3-4 discussion prompts and 2 creative writing prompts, as well as suggestions of other books that readers might like.</p>
	<p><i><u>The Summer We Turned Green</u></i> by William Sutcliffe</p>	<p>Part of our <u>Teen discussion guides</u>. Various titles suitable for 12+ readers. Each guide contains 3-4 discussion prompts and 2 creative writing prompts, as well as suggestions of other books that readers might like.</p>
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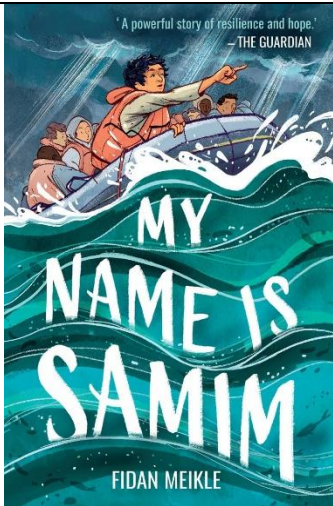
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