

Throughout 2018, as part of the Peterborough Celebrates 900 campaign, we collected 900 book recommendations from the people of Peterborough. We've collated all those recommended titles to find the 50 most recommended adult reads.

How many of Peterborough's favourite books for adults have you read?

1. *Jane Eyre*, Charlotte Bronte
2. *To Kill a Mockingbird*, Harper Lee
3. *Rivers of London*, Ben Aaronvitch
4. *The Girl on the Train*, Paula Hawkins
5. *The Pillars of the Earth*, Ken Follett
6. *Neverwhere*, Neil Gaiman
7. *Rebecca*, Daphne Du Maurier
8. *The Kite Runner*, Khaled Hosseini
9. *1984*, George Orwell
10. *A Game of Thrones*, George R R Martin
11. *A Man Called Ove*, Fredrik Bachman
12. *Behind Closed Doors*, B A Paris
13. *Down and Out in Paris and London*, George Orwell
14. *It*, Stephen King
15. *Precious Bane*, Mary Webb
16. *Pride and Prejudice*, Jane Austen
17. *The Book Thief*, Markus Zusak
18. *The Fellowship of the Ring*, J R R Tolkein
19. *The Help*, Kathryn Stockett
20. *The Island*, Victoria Hislop
21. *The Poisonwood Bible*, Barbara Kingslover
22. *The Name of the Wind*, Patrick Rothfuss
23. *A Christmas Carol*, Charles Dickens
24. *A Far Cry from Kensington*, Muriel Spark
25. *A God in Ruins*, Kate Atkinson
26. *A Prayer for Owen Meaney*, John Irving
27. *A Short History of Tractors in Ukrainian*, Mariana Lewycka
28. *A Spot of Bother*, Mark Haddon
29. *A Thousand Splendid Suns*, Khaled Hosseini
30. *Betrayal*, Martina Cole
31. *Birdsong*, Sebastian Faulks
32. *Catch 22*, Joseph Heller
33. *Cider with Rosie*, Laurie Lee
34. *Conclave*, Robert Harris
35. *End Game*, David Baldacci
36. *Flowers in the Attic*, V C Andrews
37. *Frankenstein*, Mary Shelley
38. *Home Fire*, Kamila Shamsie
39. *Into the Water*, Paula Hawkins
40. *Labyrinth*, Kate Mosse
41. *Me Before You*, Jojo Moyes
42. *Miss Carter's War*, Shelia Hancock
43. *Oliver Twist*, Charles Dickens
44. *One Kind Man*, Anna Jacobs
45. *Slaughterhouse 5*, Kurt Vonnegut
46. *Tess of the D'Urbervilles*, Thomas Hardy
47. *The Colour of Magic*, Terry Pratchett
48. *The Crucifix Killer*, Chris Carter
49. *The Cuckoo's Calling*, Robert Galbraith
50. *The Glass Castle*, Jeanette Walls

Throughout 2018, as part of the Peterborough Celebrates 900 campaign, we collected 900 book recommendations from the people of Peterborough. We've collated all those recommended titles to find the 50 most recommended children's reads. How many of Peterborough's favourite books for children have you read?

1. *The Gruffalo*, Julia Donaldson
2. *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone*, J K Rowling
3. *The Secret Garden*, Frances Hodgson Burnett
4. *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*, Roald Dahl
5. *Ratburger*, David Walliams
6. *Matilda*, Roald Dahl
7. *Harry Potter and the Cursed Child*, J K Rowling
8. *The Hunger Games*, Suzanne Collins
9. *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland*, Lewis Carroll
10. *Divergent*, Veronica Roth
11. *Northern Lights*, Philip Pullman
12. *Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief*, Rick Riordan
13. *The Fault in Our Stars*, John Green
14. *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*, Eric Carle
15. *Bad Dad*, David Walliams
16. *George's Marvellous Medicine*, Roald Dahl
17. *Goodnight Mr Tom*, Michelle Magorian
18. *Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince*, J K Rowling
19. *Stick Man*, Julia Donaldson
20. *The BFG*, Roald Dahl
21. *The Gruffalo's Child*, Julia Donaldson
22. *The Wind in the Willows*, Kenneth Graham
23. *Wonder*, R J Palacio
24. *Allegiant*, Veronica Roth
25. *Dear Zoo*, Rod Campbell
26. *Diary of a Wimpy Kid*, Jeff Kinney
27. *Doctor Who: Time Lord Fairy Tales*, Justin Richards
28. *Double Act*, Jacqueline Wilson
29. *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows*, J K Rowling
30. *Gangsta Granny*, David Walliams
31. *Girl Online*, Zoe Sugg
32. *Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix*, J K Rowling
33. *Horrid Henry*, Francesca Simon
34. *Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban*, J K Rowling
35. *Insurgent*, Veronica Roth
36. *Little Women*, Louisa May Alcott
37. *Mr Stink*, David Walliams
38. *Private Peaceful*, Michael Morpurgo
39. *Room on the Broom*, Julia Donaldson
40. *Tales from a Not-So-Fabulous Life*, Rachel Ren Russell
41. *That's Not My Bear*, Fiona Watt
42. *The Apprentice Witch*, James Nicol
43. *The Brilliant World of Tom Gates*, Liz Pichon
44. *The Flying Bath*, Julia Donaldson
45. *The Goldfish Boy*, Lisa Thompson
46. *The Graveyard Book*, Neil Gaiman
47. *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*, C S Lewis
48. *The Magic Faraway Tree*, Enid Blyton
49. *The Midnight Gang*, David Walliams
50. *The Perks of Being a Wallflower*, Stephen Chbosky