

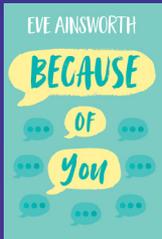
Reading Rampage challenge!
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2020

READING RAMPAGE

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE





Because of You
by Eve Ainsworth
Barrington Stoke

Poppy's having a nightmare at home. Her parents have split up and her mum's new boyfriend is moving in. Dad is the one who's always been there for Poppy, but now he's drifting further and further away. It seems like things can't get any worse until it all goes wrong at school.

I have READ this book
and RATE it...



The Disconnect
by Keren David
Barrington Stoke

Could you last six whole weeks without your phone? Six weeks without sharing photos, without group messages, without being kept in the social media loop? An eccentric entrepreneur has challenged Esther's year group to do just that, and the winners will walk away with £1,000.

I have READ this book
and RATE it...



The Longest Night of Charlie Noon
by Christopher Edge
Nosy Crow

Secrets, spies or maybe even a monster... What lies in the heart of the wood? Charlie, Dizzy and Johnny are determined to discover the truth, but when night falls without warning they find themselves trapped in a nightmare.

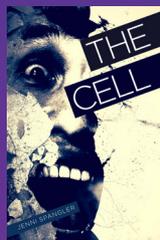
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Oh My Gods
by Alexandra Sheppard
Scholastic

Life as a half-mortal teenager should be epic. But, for Helen Thomas, it's tragic. She's just moved in with her dorky dad and self-absorbed older siblings - who happen to be the ancient Greek gods, living incognito in London!

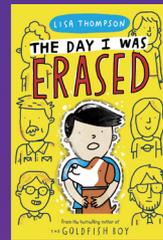
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The Cell
by Jenni Spangler
Badger Publishing

When urban explorer, Raheem, is arrested for trespass, he panics about being locked in a cell — he hates small spaces. But something far worse is happening beyond the police station walls, and the cell might be the only thing keeping him alive.

I have READ this book
and RATE it...



The Day I Was Erased
by Lisa Thompson
Scholastic

Eleven-year-old Maxwell is always, always in trouble. Roaming the town with his beloved pet dog Monster as a way to escape his parents' constant sniping at home, he's a menace to the neighbours and teachers at school.

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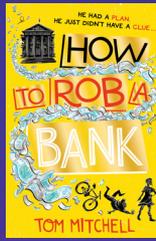




The Closest Thing to Flying
by Gill Lewis
OUP Oxford

Present day: Semira doesn't know where to call home.
1891: Hen knows exactly where to call home. When Semira discovers Hen's diary, she finds the inspiration to be brave, to fight for her place in the world, and maybe even to uncover the secrets of her own past.

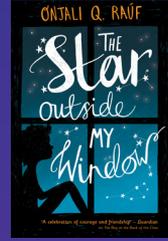
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How to Rob a Bank
by Tom Mitchell
HarperCollins Children's Books

Some people rob banks because they're greedy. Others enjoy the adrenalin rush. Me? I robbed a bank because of guilt. Specifically: guilt and a Nepalese scented candle...

I have READ this book
and RATE it...



The Star Outside my Window
by Onjali Q Rauf
Orion Children's Books

My mum is up there somewhere. She's waiting - I can feel it. I just have to find her in time, that's all ... Because when I do, I'll know the truth about who stole her. Told through the innocent voice of a child, this is a story that celebrates the power of hope and resilience.

I have READ this book
and RATE it...



The Switching Hour
by Damaris Young
Scholastic

A bewitchingly beautiful, spine-chillingly beautiful, friendship and fears that come alive after dark... Never stay out after the Switching Hour... Never let the outside in... Amaya must journey into the terrifying forest to find her brother before she forgets him.

I have READ this book
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My Top 3 Reading Rampage Books

Don't forget to think about the NARRATIVE, CHARACTERS and THEMES

1

2

3

Your Name

Your Form

Reading Rampage 2020

Reading Rampage, a challenge for secondary school pupils in participating Leicester and Leicestershire schools, is co-ordinated by Whatever it Takes (WiT), Leicester Neighbourhood Services: Libraries, Creative Learning Services and School Development Support Agency (SDSA) and supported by the Leicester City Education Improvement Partnership (EIP), Leicestershire County Council, LLR English Research Partnership and PBS Office. From February to June 2020 these 10 great books will be showcased to young people in year 7 and 8 in schools across Leicester and Leicestershire. The top book will be announced at an awards event in June 2020.

Which book will win and become the Reading Rampage most read and rated? Use the stars by each book to give your views [3 stars = great].

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