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# Summer 2021 Scrapbook Challenge



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please hand your scrapbook to your Form Teacher by Friday 10 September 2021.**



Welcome to NOA,

We are very excited to welcome you to North Oxfordshire Academy in September, and we hope you enjoy your summer break making memories. We would like you to create a fantastic scrapbook using the activities below as a guide. You can add your own ideas as well if you want to.

Each scrapbook will be carefully read to decide who the winners will be and there will be prizes for the winning scrapbooks.

We hope you enjoy creating something wonderful that you can keep and look back at in years to come.

Mrs. Faulconbridge,

Assistant Principal

### **What to include in your scrapbook?**

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## Your Profile

In your scrapbook, you can include a picture or drawing of yourself.

Write your answers to these questions in your profile section.



What do you enjoy?

What are you good at?

What do you like doing in your spare time?

What else would you like to share with your Form Tutor ?

Can you draw a family tree?



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## Get Creative

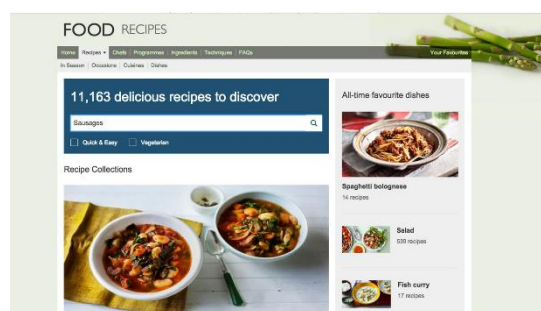
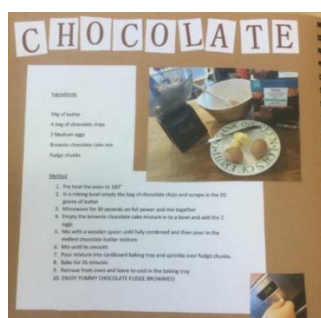
In your scrapbook, create a sketch/ painting/collage of somewhere you visited or someone important to your summer. If you are not very artistic, find a drawing or a painting that you like and write a paragraph telling us what you like about it.



## Kitchen Challenge

Write down your favourite meal/food, include the recipe and explain how to make it.

It would be great to include a photograph of your culinary masterpiece in your scrapbook.



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## Write a story

Write a story, in your scrapbook, about your favourite memory or the best place you visited.

You need to include:

- A beginning
- A middle
- An end
- A setting
- Characters



Try and include the follow where possible:

### **Simile**

When an object is compared to something similar in behaviour or appearance. A simile is often introduced by 'like' or 'as'

E.g. 'He was as quiet as a mouse'

### **Metaphor**

We use a metaphor when we describe something with a word or phrase that means something in our imagination but does not really apply

E.g. Life is a box of chocolates or Bob is a lion.

### **Personification**

When something that is not human is given thoughts, feelings and emotions that only a human can have, or when something is called he or she

E.g. The sun is smiling at us or the streets are calling me.

### **Alliteration**

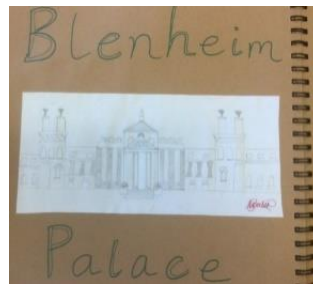
This is the repetition of the same letter or sound

E.g. They were furry-faced female foxes, or Seven silly snails sat singing silly songs

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## Write about an adventure/trip

Here are some places you could visit over the summer. In your scrapbook, stick in photographs, ticket stubs, flyers etc. from places you have visited with explanations of what they are and what they show about your summer.



Local	Further afield	London and beyond
Banbury Museum	Motor Museum – Gaydon	Any famous London landmark
Upton House	Cotswold Farm Park	Any famous palace or castle
Broughton Castle	Cotswold Wildlife Centre	Museum – Natural History Museum, V & A Museum
Sulgrave Manor	Shakespeare’s House, Stratford Upon Avon	Art Gallery
The Dassett Hills	Warwick Castle	Park/Woodland
National Herb Centre	Pump Rooms, Leamington Spa	
	Ashmolean Museum, Oxford	
	Bourton-on-the-Water	
	Blenheim Palace	

## Language Challenge

Research which countries in the world speak Spanish.  
Write down the names of the countries in your scrapbook.

Choose a famous Spanish person (footballer, singer etc) and add key facts; for example, name, birthplace etc to your scrapbook.



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## Musical Challenge

Use Google Chrome to search for Musiclab and use SongMaker to create a short piece of music.

<https://musiclab.chromeexperiments.com/Song-Maker>

Screenshot your work and include it in your scrapbook. Ask a parent/carer to listen to your work and review it, and write their comments next to the screenshot.



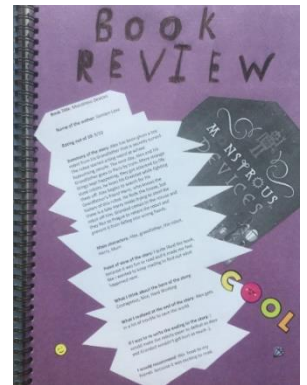
## Reading the Rainbow Challenge.

**Full details of this challenge can be found on the Read a Rainbow narrated PowerPoint and the Read a Rainbow PDF booklet.**

The reading challenge is inspired by the rainbow motif as a symbol of hope, thanks, love, pride and solidarity.

Each colour of the rainbow has its own reading challenge for you to complete.

As you read the rainbow, simply log your completed challenges in your scrapbook or **create a digital scrapbook**. **There is a fantastic student example on the Transition website.**



Make sure you record:

- The reading you did (title/author)
- The date you completed it
- Your thoughts on your reading
- Make sure your name is on your log

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Rainbow Colour	Reading Challenge	Web Link
Red	Visit The British Library's online project 'Discovering Children's Books' to explore the books that influenced our reading at the start of our lives.	<a href="#">Discovering Children's Books - The British Library (bl.uk)</a>
Orange	Read something from 'The Book of Hopes'. The collection, published by Bloomsbury, is dedicated to the doctors, nurses, carers, porters, cleaners and everyone currently working in hospitals.	<a href="#">The Book of Hopes   National Literacy Trust</a>
Yellow	Take a photo of yourself reading in the summer sunshine.	
Green	Read a fiction, non-fiction or poetry collection about the environment.	Google 'eco books for teens UK'
Blue	Create your own piece of art inspired by something you read. You could illustrate a poem, paint a scene, compose a song, create a scratch animation- the choice is yours.	
Indigo	Read a book from the list below.	
Violet	Read a book as recommended by The Reading Well Website or read a poem a day for a week.	<a href="#">Poem of the Day   Poetry Foundation</a>

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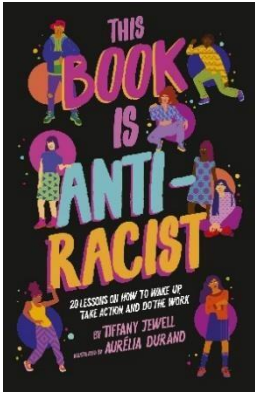


Some examples of scrapbooks from last year

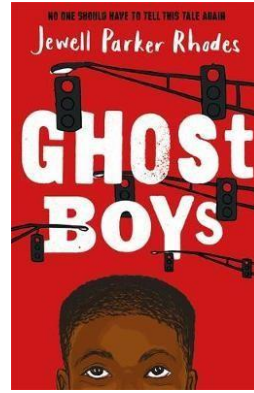


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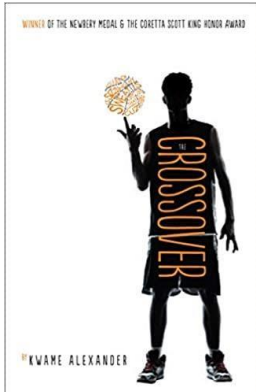
# Book list for ages 9-12



**This Book is Anti-Racist**  
**Author:** Tiffany Jewell  
**Illustrator:** Aurelia Durand  
**Publisher:** White Lion Publishing  
**Age:** 9+  
*Also available as an ebook*



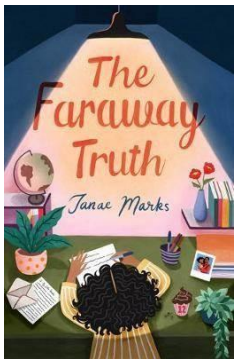
**Ghost Boys**  
**Author:** Jewell Parker Rhodes  
**Publisher:** Orion Children's Books  
**Age:** 9+  
*Also available as an ebook*



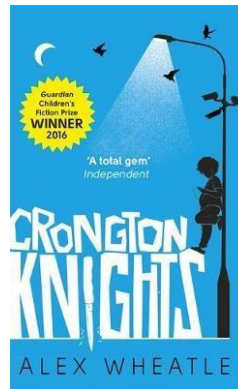
**The Crossover**  
**Author:** Kwame Alexander  
**Publisher:** Andersen Press  
**Age:** 9+  
*Also available as an ebook and audiobook*



**Clean Getaway**  
**Author:** Nic Stone  
**Illustrator:** Camilla Ru  
**Publisher:** Knights Of  
**Age:** 9+  
*Also available as an ebook*



**The Faraway Truth**  
**Author:** Janae Marks  
**Publisher:** Chicken House  
**Age:** 9+  
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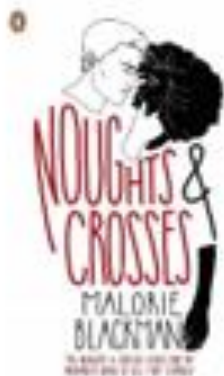
**Crongton Knights**  
**Author:** Alex Wheatle  
**Publisher:** Little Brown Books  
**Age:** 11+  
*Also available as an ebook*



**Children of Blood And Bone**  
**Author:** Tomi Adeyemi  
**Publisher:** Pan Macmillan  
**Age:** 11+  
*Also available as an ebook, Audio CD and audiobook*



## Book list for ages 13-16



### Noughts & Crosses

**Author:** Malorie Blackman

**Publisher:** Penguin

**Age:** 11+

*Also available as an ebook,  
Audio CD and audiobook*



### Slay

**Author:** Brittney Morris

**Publisher:** Hachette

**Age:** 13+



### How High The Moon

**Author:** Karyn Parsons

**Publisher:** Penguin

**Age:** 13+

*Also available as an ebook*



### American Street

**Author:** Ibi Zoboi

**Publisher:** HarperCollins

**Age:** 13+

*Also available as an ebook*



### On The Come Up

**Author:** Angie Thomas

**Publisher:** Walker Books

**Age:** 13+ *Also available as  
an ebook and audiobook*



### The Hate U Give

**Author:** Angie Thomas

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### Dear Martin

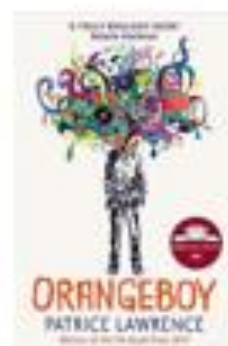
**Author:** Nic Stone

**Publisher:** Simon &

Schuster

**Age:** 13+

*Also available as an ebook*



### Orangeboy

**Author:** Patrice Lawrence

**Publisher:** Hodder

Children's Books

**Age:** 13+ *Also available as  
an ebook and audiobook*