

List of Suggested Fictions / novels for english Language by the CBSE

For classes V and VI:

1. **The Noddy Series** – *Enid Blyton*
2. **Tales from Panchtantra**
3. **Karadi Tales**
4. **The Young Visitors-** *Daisy Ashford*
5. **The wind in the Willows-***Kenneth Graham*
6. **The Tale of Mr. Tod-** *Beatrix Potter*
7. **Gulliver's Travels-** *Jonathan Swift*
8. **The Famous Five Series** - *Enid Blyton*
9. **The Happy Prince** – *Oscar Wilde*
10. **Charlie and the Chocolate Factory-** *Roald Dahl*

For classes VII and VIII:

1. **The Adventures of Tom Sawyer** – *Mark Twain*
2. **The Adventures of Hucklebury Finn** – *Mark Twain*
3. **Treasure Island** – *Robert Louis Stevenson*
4. **Around the World in 80 Days** – *Jules Verne*
5. **The Time Machine** – *H.G. Wells*
6. **Harry Potter – The Series** – *J K Rowling*
7. **Twenty Thousand Leagues under the sea** – *H.G. Wells*
8. Books by **George Herriott**
9. **The Curious Case of a Dog in the Nighttime** – *Alexander McCall Smith*
10. Stories by **Roald Dahl**

For classes IX and X

1. Books by **Agatha Christie**
2. Books by **Arthur Conan Doyle**
3. **The Room on the Roof** – *Ruskin Bond*
4. **Little Women** – *Louisa May Alcott*
5. **The Call of the Wild** – *Jack London*
6. **Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm** – *Kate Douglas Wiggin*
7. **The Canterville Ghost** – *Oscar Wilde*
8. **The Great Grammatizator and other Stories** – *Roald Dahl*
9. **Snappy Surprises** – *Ruskin Bond*
10. **Moby Dick** – *Herman Melville*
11. **Artemis Fowl series** - *Eoin Colfer*
12. **Daddy Long Legs** - *Jean Webster*
13. School Stories by **P.G. Wodehouse**

For classes XI and XII

1. **Father Brown** – *GK Chesterton*
2. **Pay It Forward**
3. **Uncle Tom's cabin** – *Harriet Beecher Stowe*
4. **To kill a Mocking Bird** – *Harper Lee*
5. **Animal Farm** – *George Orwell*
6. **Nineteen eighty four**-*George Orwell*
7. **Short Story Collections By Indian Authors**
8. Books by **Jane Austen**
9. Books by **George Elliot**
10. Books by **Charlotte Bronte**
11. Books by **Emily Bronte**
12. **Pickwick Papers** - *Charles Dickens*
13. **The Diary of a Young Girl** - *Anne Frank*
14. **Three men in a Boat** - *Jerome K Jerome*
15. **My Family and Other Animals** - *Gerald Durrell*
16. **Rosie is my Relative** - *Gerald Durrell*
17. **One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest**

Other Books and Authors suggested by the Committee:

1. **Satyajeet Ray**
2. **RK Narayan**
3. **Sudha Murthy**
4. **Ismat Chughtai**
5. **Vikas Swaroop**
6. **APJ Abdul Kalam**
7. **Mark Twain**
8. **Guy de Maupassant**
9. **O'Henry**

List of Suggested Indian Authors Books by CBSE

Classes 5 & 6

Title	Author	Category
Adventure Stories (Prize- winners)	Arup K. Dutta	Mystery-adventure
5 Mystery Stories (Prize-winners)	Nilima Sinha	5 novels in one
Bridge at Borim	Surekha Panandikar	Long Fiction
A Pinch of Salt Shakes an Empire	Sarojini Sinha	Historical
Biological Clocks	Manorama Jafa	Non-Fiction (Environment)
A for Adventure	Surekha Panandiker	Adventure
The Story of Writing	Nita Berry	Information
There's Another Way	Different writers	Short Stories
Pyarelal Stories	Indira Ananthakrishnan	Humorous Stories
Juneli Series	Swapna Dutta	School Stories
Once Upon a Time in India	Different Writers	Indian folk tales
Gandhi for the Millennium Child	Different writer	Short Stories
The Road to Peace	Different writers	Short Stories

Classes 7 & 8

Title	Author	Category
Race to Win (Prize winner)	Loveleen Kakkar	Fiction
Now or Never	Ramendra Kumar	Fiction (sports)
Caravan to Tibet (IBBY Honor)	Deepa Aggarwal	Adventure
Harshavardhan	Devika Rangachari	Historical fiction
Scientists of India	Dilip Salwi	Information
The Sword of Dara Shikoh	Subhadra Sen Gupta	Historical Stories
The Wonder of Water (Prize Winner)	Nita Berry	Non- fiction
Young Uncle Comes to Town	Vandana Singh	Humour
Indira Priyadarshini (Children's Choice)	Manorama Jafa	Biography
A bridge Inside a Casket and Other Tales	Manoj Das	Folk Tales
Mystery of the Falling Mountains	Niima Sinha	Mystery-adventure
Tiger Tiger	Pratibha Nath	Collection
Together We Marched	Nilima Sinha, Ira Saxena	Historical Stories
Letters from Grandparents	Eminent personalities	Collection
6 Plays (Prize winners)	Different authors	Short Plays

Classes 9 & 10

Title	Author	Category
The Virus Trap (Prize winner)	Ira Saxena	Fiction
No Guns at my Son's Funeral (IBBY Honor)	Para Anand	Fiction
Somewhere Out There (IBBY Honor)	Karthika Das	Science fiction
Ranthambore Adventure	Deepak Dalal	Adventure
The Swamp (Prize winner)	A.K. Srikumar	Adventure
How I taught my Grandmother to Read	Sudha Murthy	Short Stories
The Story of Time (Prize winner)	Nita Berry	Non-fiction

Jodha Bai	Subhadra Sen Gupta	Historical fiction
Not Out	Nimish Dubey	Sports stories
Mystery of the Ancient Platter	Deepavali Debroy	Mystery Adventure
Indian Folk Tales and Legends	Pratibha Nath	Folk Tales
Curse of Grass	Ira Saxena	Environment
Children who Made it Big	Uma Anand	Play
Let's Do a Play	Uma Anand	Play

Classes 11 & 12

Title	Author	Category
I am Sona	Manorama Jafa	Fiction
Sahyadri Adventure Vol. 1 Anirudh's Dream Vol. 2 Koleshwar	Deepak Dalal	Historical fiction