

The Coleshill School Tutor Reading Programme



At The Coleshill School we believe that every child should leave school able to read well and with confidence. To enable our students to become competent readers our students read every Thursday during an extended tutor time. Every student reads a short story or extract with their tutor and their tutor group. Below is a taster of the types of texts the students are reading. All texts have been carefully selected to encourage and foster a love of reading, as well as being rich in culture, diversity, and history.

‘Windows to the World’ – Autumn Term

Excerpt taken from ‘The Elephant Man and Other Reminiscences’ by Sir Frederick Treves.

‘My Left Foot’ by Christy Brown.

‘The Midnight Library’ by Matt Haig.

‘Wild: From Lost to Found on the Pacific Crest Trail’ by Cheryl Strayed.

‘Red Dust: A Path Through China’ by Ma Jian.

‘About Helen’ profile from her website.

