

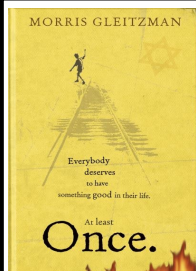
### **Yours From the Tower** **by Sally Nicholls**

It's 1896, Tirzah, Sophia and Polly are best friends who have left boarding school, and gone back to very different lives.

Polly is teaching in an orphanage. Sophia is looking for a rich husband at the London Season. Tirzah is stuck acting as an unpaid companion to her grandmother.

In a series of letters, they share their hopes, their frustrations, their dramas... and their romances. Can these three very different young women find happiness?

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### **Once.** **by Morris Gleitzman**

Once, I escaped from an orphanage to find Mum and Dad.

Once, I saved a girl called Zelda from a burning house.

Once, I made a Nazi with toothache laugh. My name is Felix and this is my story.

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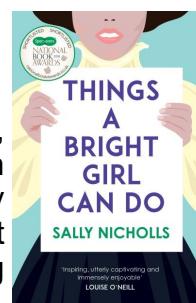
### **All Quiet on the Western Front** **by Erich Maria Remarque**

One by one, the boys begin to fall...

In 1914 a room full of German schoolboys, fresh-faced and idealistic, are goaded by their schoolmaster to troop off to the 'glorious war'. With the fire and patriotism of youth, they sign up. What follows is the moving story of a young 'unknown soldier' experiencing all the horror and disillusionment of life in the trenches.

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### **Things a Bright Girl Can Do** **by Sally Nicholls**

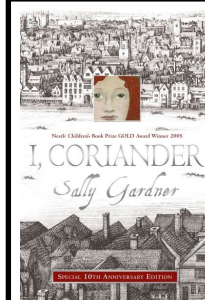


Through rallies and marches, in polite drawing rooms, in prison cells and the poverty stricken slums of the East End, three courageous young women join the fight to vote.

Evelyn is 17, rich and clever, but rather than be allowed to follow her older brother to university she is expected to get married, not educated. Enraged by this, she joins the Suffragettes.

May is 15 and has already sworn to the cause but refuses to use violence. She meets Nell who has grown up in hardship, but she sees a kindred spirit. Together and in love, they start to dream of a world where all kinds of women have their place.

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### **I, Coriander** **by Sally Gardner**

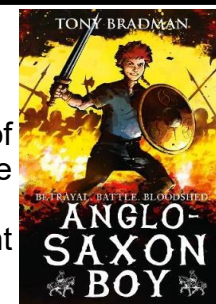
Set during the English Civil War, this is the story is told by Coriander, daughter of a silk merchant.

When her Coriander's mother dies, and her father goes away,

Coriander is left with her stepmother, a widow who is in cahoots with a fundamentalist Puritan preacher. They shut Coriander away in a chest and leave her to die, but she emerges into the fairy world from which her mother came. Here, time has no meaning. When she returns, she is 17 and is charged with a task that will transform her life...

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### **Anglo-Saxon Boy** **by Tony Bradman**



1065: Magnus is the son of Harold Godwinson, lord of the Southern Saxons, and the ruthlessly ambitious claimant to the English throne.

Overnight, Magnus finds himself cast centre stage in the blood-soaked family feud that leads to one of history's most famous battles.

This is the family tragedy behind 1066, and the story of one Anglo-Saxon boy's journey to the Battle of Hastings.

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Based on the powerful true story of a Holocaust survivor

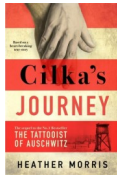
The Sunday Times Bestseller

THE  
tattooist  
OF  
AUSCHWITZ

HEATHER MORRIS

In 1942, Lale Sokolov arrived in Auschwitz-Birkenau. He was given the job of tattooing the prisoners marked for survival. The mark that would become the most potent symbol of the Holocaust. Waiting in line to be tattooed was a terrified young girl. For Lale, it was love at first sight. He was determined to not only survive himself, but to make sure this woman, Gita, survived too.

The other books in the series are:



The Windrush generation are named after one of the first ships that arrived in the UK from Jamaica in 1948.



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