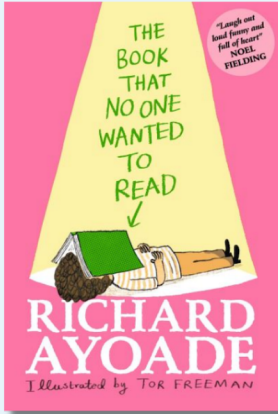


The Book That No One Wanted To Read

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BOOK TALK CARDS



KS3

THEMES:

- Understanding
- Overcoming challenges
- Personal growth
- Humour

TIME TO TALK

- 1 How does the book in the story feel about its existence? What are its opinions about being left unread and collecting dust?
- 2 Think about the phrase "you can't judge a book by its cover". Does this apply to this book and to all books?
- 3 How does the book's journey mirror real-life experiences of feeling overlooked or undervalued?
- 4 The book is filled with references to other books. Can you identify any of these references?
- 5 How does the character of the book change when it meets the curious reader?
- 6 Tor Freeman's illustrations play a significant role in the book. How do they enhance the storytelling experience?
- 7 Have you ever encountered a book that you initially didn't want to read but ended up enjoying? What made you want to carry on reading it?

ABOUT THE BOOK

Have you ever thought about how it feels to be a book? This is the story of the sadly neglected Book That No One Wanted To Read. Can its destiny change when it finally meets the right reader?



OUR THOUGHTS

"A clever concept that works brilliantly and it's very funny. The humour is quite sophisticated in parts and the illustrations hilarious. There's lots to digest and the passion for books/writing really shines through."

TAKE THE TEXT FURTHER WITH OUR TOP 5 TITLES TO CONTINUE THE THEME:

