

# SPRING RECOMMENDED READING



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The fascinating tales follow elements on the table as they play out their parts in human history, finance, mythology, conflict, the arts, medicine, and the lives of the (frequently) mad scientists who discovered them.

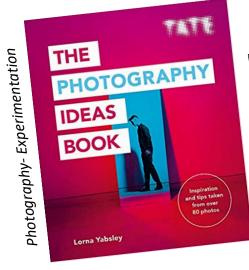
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Simon Singh explains how the brilliant writers, some of them mathematicians, have smuggled in mathematical jokes throughout the cartoon's twenty-five-year history, exploring everything from to Mersenne primes, from Euler's equation to the unsolved riddle of P vs. NP, from perfect numbers to narcissistic numbers, and much more.

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Chemistry- Periodic Table

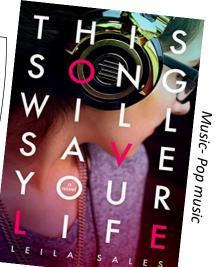


### THE ARTS

This little book is full of big ideas that will inspire you to think differently. With a new concept on every page, you will discover fresh ways of tackling your subjects to create work that is original and exciting.

All her life, Elise Dembowski has been an outsider. Starting a new school, she dreams of fitting in at last - but when her best attempts at popularity fail, she almost gives up.

But then she stumbles upon a secret warehouse party. There, at night, Elise can be a different person, making real friends, falling in love for the first time, and finding her true passion - DJing.



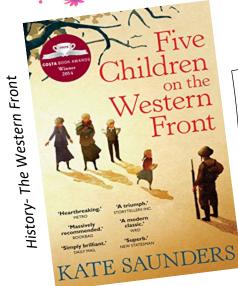


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# **ENGLISH & HISTORY**

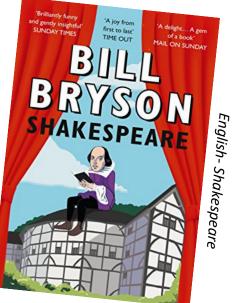






A novel focusing on the different perspectives of war. By the end the children will have seen the Great War from every possible viewpoint - factory-workers, soldiers and sailors, nurses and ambulance drivers, and the people left at home, and the war's impact will be felt right at the heart of their family.

Join Bill as he takes you on a journey through Elizabethan England, tackling the myths, half-truths and downright lies to make sense of the man behind the masterpieces.



BLUE PLANET II

A New World of Hidden Depths

JAMES HONEYBORNE

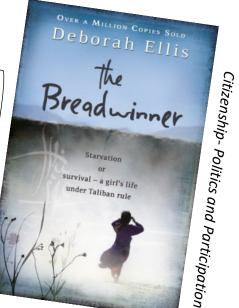
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Sporting a foreword
by David
Attenborough, Blue Planet
II brims with behind-thescenes accounts from
both scientists and crew,
drawn from five years of
extraordinary filmmaking.

Afghanistan: Parvana's father is arrested and taken away by Taliban soldiers. Under Taliban law, women and girls are not allowed to leave the house on their own. Parvana, her mother, own home. With no man to go out to buy food, they face starvation. So Parvana must pretend to be a dangerous plan, but their only



the success of the tough,

bold and fearless women

include well-known figures

like tennis player Serena

Williams and broadcaster

Clare Balding, as well as lesser-known pioneers.

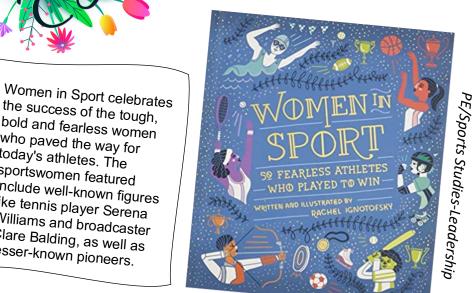
who paved the way for

today's athletes. The

sportswomen featured

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YEAR 9 **SCIENCES & SPORTS** 



GCSE PE- Fitness & Wellbeing THINK, TRAIN, JIM AFREMOW, PHD

The ultimate guide for student athletes to train, play, and feel their best, from an expert in sports psychology.

Sports psychologist Jim Afremow has earned accolades from Olympians to professional athletes for his insightful approach to training the mind, body, and spirit of a competitor.

## TECHNOLOGY, **BUSINESS & MEDIA**

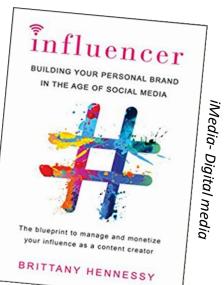




Book of Ideas is just that: an outpouring of what one creative director and designer has discovered from many years working in the strange and endlessly fascinating world of the creative industry.

Social media has changed the face of advertising. So how is it achieved?

If you've ever scrolled through your Instagram feed and thought, I wear clothes, eat avocado toast and like sunsets, why can't someone pay me to live my best life? this book is for you . . .



Graphic Design, Design Technology, Food Technology, Catering, Media, iMedia and Business