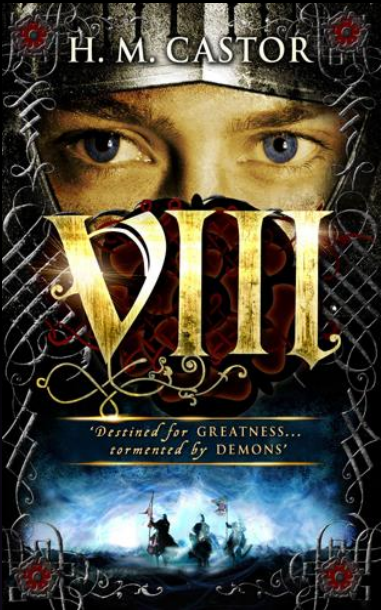


Weekly reading recommendations

This half term's focus = escapist reading for the revision season

for this week:

Historical – escape into the past

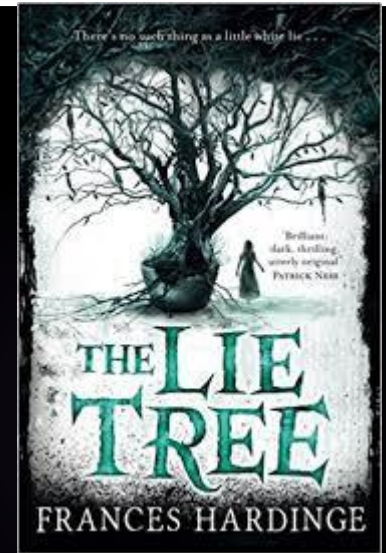


VIII, H M Castor

Henry (of course!) but long before he was – or ever could be – King. Fascinating intrigue!

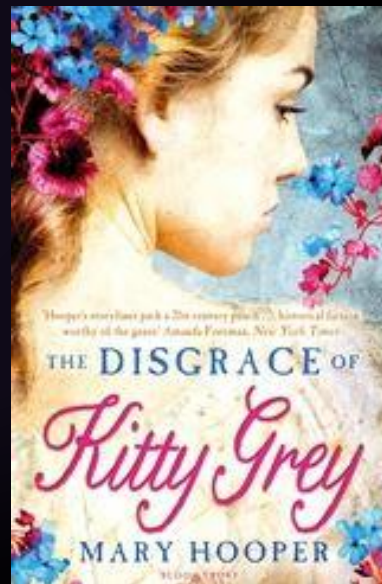
The Lie Tree, Frances Hardinge

Victorians, science debates, feminism and maybe some magic (or is it science?). Brilliant stuff!



The Disgrace of Kitty Grey, Mary Hooper

Victorian story of class and the ease with which a servant girl can slip. Misfortune and mayhem abound in this tale of woe.



The Curious Tale of the Lady Caraboo, Catherine Johnson

Weird, based-on-a-true-story Victorian tale of a young black girl who claims to be an exotic princess. Race, colonialism and privilege explored in a gripping story.

