

# Reading Times Christmas 2018





Behind many good films, there's often a great book.

This guide to films that are based on books on TV this Christmas gives a glimpse of the breadth of the human imagination in the stories that we tell: stories that comfort and inform us, that entertain and thrill us, that keep us on the edge of our seats or up late into the night as we read just one more page... stories that make us think about ourselves and others, and most often, about our place in our friendships, our families and society itself.

Most of you will come across this guide in your school libraries. Your librarians are the real superheroes - making sure that you are surrounded by stories that can transport you to new worlds and different times, make you laugh out loud, scare you silly or even make you cry (if that's what you want). Why not go along to your library and borrow a book for the holidays?

If you're not sure what to pick, just ask your librarian for help.

Happy viewing - and reading!

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This list covers a selection of films on Freeview TV over the festive period. Any mistakes are mine. The information used for this list is widely available via TV listing magazines and websites. All I have done is collate the information. Feel free to share this list.

#### Sunday 9th December

| Shrek the Third                                      | BBC1 | 2.35pm | U |
|--|------|--------|---|
| Based very loosely on Shrek by William Steig         |      |        |   |
| Father Christmas                                     | C4   | 4.05pm | U |
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs |      |        |   |
| The Snowman/The Snowman and the Snowdog              | C4   | 4.35pm | U |
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs |      |        |   |

#### Monday 10th December

| Beau Geste                                      | Film4 | 11.00am | PG |
|---|-------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by P.C. Wren |       |         |    |

#### Wednesday 12th December

| P.S. I Love You                                     | SMC    | 9.00pm  | 12 |
|---|--------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Cecelia Ahern |        |         |    |
| Dracula   | Horror | 10.55pm | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Bram Stoker   |        |         |    |

#### Thursday 13th December

| The Descendants   | Film4     | 1.10am  | 15   |
|---|-----------|---------|------|
| Based on the book of the same name by Kaui Hart Hemmings    |           |         |      |
| Journey to the Centre of the Earth                          | Film4     | 11.00am | U    |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jules Verne           |           |         |      |
| A Nutcracker Christmas                                      | Paramount | 4.25pm  | TV-G |
| Based on The Nutcracker and the Mouse King by E.T.A. Hoffma | n         |         |      |
| One Day   | Film4     | 6.40pm  | 12   |
| Based on the book of the same name by David Nicholls        |           |         |      |
| World War Z   | Film4     | 9.00pm  | 15   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Max Brooks            |           |         |      |

#### Friday 14th December

| Les Miserables  | SMC   | 3.20pm | 12 |
|---|-------|--------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Victor Hugo     |       |        |    |
| The Flight of the Phoenix                             | Film4 | 3.45pm | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Elleston Trevor |       |        |    |
| The Three Musketeers                                  | Film4 | 6.45pm | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Alexandre Dumas |       |        |    |
| Bridget Jones' Diary                                  | ITVBe | 9.00pm | 15 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Helen Fielding  |       |        |    |

## Librarian picks



#### Kirsty Hughes,

Learning Hub Manager at St Martin's School in Solihull chooses The Running Man, Never Go Back and The Rainmaker.

Having read every book by each author she loves their masterful

storytelling and fast paced plots which make their books impossible to put down.







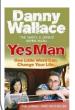


LRC Manager at Beauchamps High School chooses

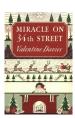


Yes Man which

made her say yes more often and led to lots of new adventures. She's also looking forward to the new adaptation of *Watership Down* having read that as a young child. Her final choice is *Miracle on 34th Street* as her ideal Christmas film!









#### Caroline Roche,

Eltham College chooses

The Jungle Book as a childhood favourite,

Hogfather as she is a huge Terry Pratchett fan, and although not in this guide but currently in the cinema - Mortal Engines, a wonderful steampunk fantasy, with a strong female heroine.







Sarah Seddon, Open
Learning Centre Manager
at Gillotts School chooses
Chitty Chitty Bang Bang a childhood favourite
that makes her laugh and
cry, We're Going on a

**Bear Hunt** - a magical story she read with her daughter, and Julie **and Julia** - as it inspired her to start writing her blog again.









#### Saturday 15th December

| The Thirty-Nine Steps  | Film4         | 11.00am | U  |
|--|---------------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by John Buchan              |               |         |    |
| Sink the Bismarck  | More4         | 12.10pm | U  |
| Based on The Last Nine Days of the Bismarck by C.S. Forester   |               |         |    |
| Diary of a Wimpy Kid 3: Dog Days                               | Film4         | 12.55pm | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jeff Kinney              |               |         |    |
| The Ipcress File   | BBC2          | 2.20pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Len Deighton             |               |         |    |
| Housewife, 49  | ITV3          | 2.45pm  | TV |
| Based on the diaries of Nella Last                             |               |         |    |
| The Jane Austen Book Club                                      | Film4         | 2.50pm  | 12 |
| Based on the life and books of Jane Austen                     |               |         |    |
| 101 Dalmatians   | C5            | 2.55pm  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Dodie Smith              |               |         |    |
| Miracle on 34th Street   | C4            | 3.10pm  | U  |
| Based on a story by Valentine Davies                           |               |         |    |
| Swallows and Amazons   | BBC2          | 5.00pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Arthur Ransome           |               |         |    |
| Yes Man  | ITV2          | 5.45pm  | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Danny Wallace            |               |         |    |
| King Solomon's Mines   | Paramount     | 6.55pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by H. Rider Haggard         |               |         |    |
| The Big Short  | BBC2          | 9.00pm  | 15 |
| Based on The Big Short: Inside the Doomsday Machine by Mich    | nael Lewis    |         |    |
| Bridget Jones: The Edge of Reason                              | ITVBe         | 9.00pm  | 15 |
| Based on characters from Bridget Jones' Diary by Helen Fieldin | g             |         |    |
| Cabaret  | Talk Pic      | 9.10pm  | 15 |
| Based on The Berlin Stories and Goodbye to Berlin by Christoph | her Isherwood | 1       |    |
| Ender's Game   | C4            | 11.45pm | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Orson Scott Card         |               |         |    |
|  |               |         |    |

#### Sunday 16th December

| Father Christmas                                     | E4    | 11.55am | U |
|--|-------|---------|---|
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs |       |         |   |
| The Cat Returns                                      | Film4 | 1.05pm  | U |
| Based on the book of the same name by Aoi Hiiragi    |       |         |   |
| The Borrowers  | C4    | 1.55pm  | U |
| Based on the book of the same name by Mary Norton    |       |         |   |



#### Sunday 16th December (continued)

| Shrek Forever After  | BBC1         | 3.10pm  | U  |
|--|--------------|---------|----|
| Loosely based on Shrek by William Steig                    |              |         |    |
| The Day After Tomorrow                                     | C4           | 5.45pm  | 12 |
| Based on The Coming Global Superstorm by Art Bell and Whit | ley Strieber |         |    |
| P.S. I Love You  | SMC          | 6.25pm  | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Cecelia Ahern        |              |         |    |
| Rise of the Planet of the Apes                             | Film4        | 6.55pm  | 12 |
| Based on La Planète des Singes by Pierre Boulle            |              |         |    |
| Brooklyn   | BBC2         | 8.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Colm Tóibín          |              |         |    |
| Iron Man   | ITV2         | 8.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on characters from Marvel comics                     |              |         |    |
| Eat, Pray, Love  | SMC          | 9.00pm  | 15 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Elizabeth Gilbert    |              |         |    |
| A Christmas Carol  | BBC4         | 10.00pm | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens      |              |         |    |
| The L-Shaped Room  | Talk Pic     | 10.10pm | 15 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Lynne Reid Banks     |              |         |    |
| Dracula Untold   | E4           | 11.20pm | 15 |
| Based on Dracula by Bram Stoker                            |              |         |    |
|  |              |         |    |

#### Monday 17th December

| Small Island  | BBC4      | 12.15am | TV |
|---|-----------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Andrea Levy           |           |         |    |
| King Solomon's Mines  | Talk Pic  | 10.35am | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by H. Rider Haggard      |           |         |    |
| Shane   | Film4     | 4.35pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jack Schaefer         |           |         |    |
| The Grinch  | ITV2      | 6.55pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of The Grinch Who Stole Christmas by Dr S | Seuss     |         |    |
| Circle of Friends   | Paramount | 9.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Maeve Binchy          |           |         |    |

#### Tuesday 18th December

| Roots (part 1 of 4)                               | BBC2  | 2.10am | 15 |
|---|-------|--------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Alex Haley  |       |        |    |
| The 39 Steps                                      | Film4 | 2.50pm | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by John Buchan |       | •      |    |



#### Tuesday 18th December (continued)

| Th | e Long Song (part 1 of 3)                       | BBC1 | 9.00pm | TV-G |
|----|---|------|--------|------|
| Ba | sed on the book of the same name by Andrea Levy |      |        |      |

#### Wednesday 19th December

| Arabian Nighta   | C4    | 2.40am | PG   |
|--|-------|--------|------|
| Arabian Nights   | C4    | 2.40am | PG   |
| Based on traditional stories from 1,001 Nights           |       |        |      |
| Roots (part 2 of 4)                                      | BBC2  | 2.40am | 15   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Alex Haley         |       |        |      |
| Mysterious Island  | Film4 | 1.40pm | U    |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jules Verne        |       |        |      |
| Journey to the Center of the Earth                       | Film4 | 3.50pm | PG   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jules Verne        |       |        |      |
| The Long Song (part 2 of 3)                              | BBC1  | 9.00pm | TV-G |
| Based on the book of the same name by Andrea Levy        |       |        |      |
| The Outlaw Josey Wales                                   | ITV4  | 9.00pm | 18   |
| Based on The Rebel Outlaw: Josey Wales by Forrest Carter |       |        |      |
| Breaking Dawn - Part Two                                 | E4    | 9.00pm | 12   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Stephenie Meyer    |       |        |      |

#### Thursday 20th December

| Young Sherlock Holmes  | C4        | 1.50am  | PG   |
|--|-----------|---------|------|
| Based on the Sherlock Holmes books by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle | e         |         |      |
| Roots (part 3 of 4)  | BBC2      | 2.15am  | 15   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Alex Haley             |           |         |      |
| Porco Rosso  | Film4     | 11.00am | PG   |
| Based on Hikotei Jidai by Hayao Miyazaki                     |           |         |      |
| The Perfect Catch  | Film4     | 4.40pm  | PG   |
| Based on Fever Pitch by Nick Hornby                          |           |         |      |
| The Long Song (part 3 of 3)                                  | BBC1      | 9.00pm  | TV-G |
| Based on the book of the same name by Andrea Levy            |           |         |      |
| The Bishop's Wife  | BBC4      | 9.00pm  | U    |
| Based on the book of the same name by Robert Nathan          |           |         |      |
| The Running Man  | 5 Spike   | 9.00pm  | 18   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Stephen King           |           |         |      |
| Cold Mountain  | Paramount | 9.00pm  | 15   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Frazier        |           |         |      |
|  |           |         |      |

#### Friday 21st December

| Roots (part 4 of 4)   | BBC2          | 2.45am  | 15 |
|---|---------------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Alex Haley                |               |         |    |
| The Cat Returns   | Film4         | 11.00am | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Aoi Hiiraji               |               |         |    |
| All Creatures Great and Small                                   | BBC2          | 12.00pm | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by James Herriot             |               |         |    |
| Journey to the Center of the Earth                              | Horror        | 4.00pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jules Verne               |               |         |    |
| Sherlock Holmes: Game of Shadows                                | ITV2          | 9.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on characters from the Sherlock Holmes books by Sir Art   | thur Conan Do | yle     |    |
| Bridget Jones: Edge of Reason                                   | ITVBe         | 9.00pm  | 15 |
| Based on characters from Bridget Jones' Diary by Helen Fielding | g             |         |    |
| Captain America: The First Avenger                              | Film4         | 9.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics                          |               |         |    |
| Circle of Friends   | Paramount     | 9.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Maeve Binchy              |               |         |    |

#### Saturday 22nd December

| -  |        |         |    |
|--|--------|---------|----|
| Bridge to Terabithia                                     | C4     | 8.45am  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Katherine Paterson |        |         |    |
| Dr Dolittle 2  | Film4  | 11.00am | PG |
| Based on characters from Dr Dolittle by Hugh Lofting     |        |         |    |
| Billionaire Boy  | Drama  | 11.45am | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by David Walliams     |        |         |    |
| Oliver Twist   | Drama  | 1.00pm  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens    |        |         |    |
| Wizard of Oz   | BBC2   | 1.00pm  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by L. Frank Baum      |        |         |    |
| Father of the Bride                                      | C4     | 1.45pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Edward Skeeter     |        |         |    |
| The Last Song  | SMC    | 1.50pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Nicholas Sparks    |        |         |    |
| 101 Dalmatians   | 5 Star | 2.45pm  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Dodie Smith        |        |         |    |
| Peter Pan  | ITV2   | 2.50pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by J.M. Barrie        |        |         |    |
| The Green Berets   | ITV4   | 4.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Robin Moore        |        |         |    |

#### Saturday 22nd December (continued)

| Finding Neverland  | BBC2           | 4.25pm      | PG   |
|--|----------------|-------------|------|
| Based on Peter Pan by J.M. Barrie                          |                |             |      |
| Epic   | E4             | 4.30pm      | U    |
| Based on The Leaf Men and Brave Good Bugs by William Joyce |                |             |      |
| The Bridge at Remagen                                      | 5 Spike        | 6.45pm      | PG   |
| Based on The Bridge at Remagen: The Amazing Story of March | n 7th, 1945 by | Ken Hechler |      |
| Percy Jackson and the Sea of Monsters                      | Film4          | 6.55pm      | PG   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Rick Riordan         |                |             |      |
| Watership Down (part 1 of 2)                               | BBC1           | 7.00pm      | TV-G |
| Based on the book of the same name by Richard Adams        |                |             |      |
| Iron Man   | ITV2           | 9.00pm      | 12A  |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics                     |                |             |      |
| The November Man   | SMC            | 9.00pm      | 15   |
| Based on There Are No Spies by Bill Granger                |                |             |      |
| Jaws: The Revenge  | ITV1           | 11.25pm     | 12   |
| Based on characters from Jaws by Peter Benchley            |                |             |      |
|  |                |             |      |

#### Sunday 23rd December

| The Spectacular Now  | BBC2     | 1.20am  | 15 |
|--|----------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Tim Tharp                    |          |         |    |
| Housewife, 49  | ITV3     | 7.40am  | TV |
| Based on the diaries of Nella Last                                 |          |         |    |
| The Sound of Music Live  | ITV3     | 9.40am  | TV |
| Based on The Story of the Von Trapp Family Singers by Maria V      | on Trapp |         |    |
| Ponyo  | Film4    | 11.00am | U  |
| Based on The Little Mermaid by Hans Christian Andersen             |          |         |    |
| Twelfth Night  | BBC2     | 1.10pm  | U  |
| Based on the play of the same name by William Shakespeare          |          |         |    |
| Night at the Museum  | Film4    | 1.10pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Milan Trenc                  |          |         |    |
| A Christmas Carol  | BBC1     | 1.30pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens              |          |         |    |
| Arabian Nights   | Horror   | 3.00pm  | PG |
| Based on traditional stories from 1,001 Nights                     |          |         |    |
| A Snow White Christmas   | C5       | 3.00pm  | U  |
| Based on the traditional fairy tale, first published by the Brothe | rs Grimm |         |    |
| Room on the Broom  | BBC1     | 3.00pm  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Julia Donaldson              |          |         |    |
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#### Sunday 23rd December (continued)

| Father Christmas   | C4        | 3.30pm | U  |
|--|-----------|--------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs       |           |        |    |
| Alice in Wonderland  | BBC2      | 5.20pm | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Lewis Carroll        |           |        |    |
| Exodus: Gods and Kings                                     | Film4     | 6.05pm | 12 |
| Based on the book of Exodus from the Bible                 |           |        |    |
| A Night to Remember  | Talk Pic  | 6.30pm | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Walter Lord          |           |        |    |
| Scrooge  | C5        | 6.40pm | U  |
| Based on A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens              |           |        |    |
| The Grinch   | ITV2      | 7.00pm | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Dr Seuss             |           |        |    |
| Watership Down (part 2 of 2)                               | BBC1      | 7.20pm | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Richard Adams        |           |        |    |
| Casino Royale  | ITV1      | 9.00pm | 12 |
| Based on characters from the James Bond books by Ian Flemi | ng        |        |    |
| Agatha and the Truth of Murder                             | C5        | 9.00pm | TV |
| Based on the life and books of Agatha Christie             |           |        |    |
| The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 2                    | E4        | 9.00pm | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Stephenie Meyer      |           |        |    |
| Jack Reacher: Never Go Back                                | Film4     | 9.00pm | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Lee Child            |           |        |    |
| Bride and Prejudice  | Paramount | 9.00pm | 12 |
| Loosely based on Pride and Prejudice by Jane Austen        |           |        |    |
|  |           |        |    |

#### Monday 24th December - Christmas Eve

| Tinker Bell and the Secret of the Wings                   | BBC2  | 7.15am  | U  |
|---|-------|---------|----|
| Based on characters from Peter Pan by J.M. Barrie         |       |         |    |
| Father Christmas  | C4    | 9.30am  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs      |       |         |    |
| A Christmas Carol   | C4    | 11.45am | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens     |       |         |    |
| Eragon  | Film4 | 12.40pm | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Christopher Paolini |       |         |    |
| The Grinch  | ITV1  | 12.55pm | PG |
| Based on How the Grinch Stole Christmas by Dr Seuss       |       |         |    |
| Romeo and Juliet  | BBC2  | 1.00pm  | PG |
| Based on the play of the same name by William Shakespeare |       |         |    |

#### Monday 24th December - Christmas Eve (continued)

| The King and I  | C5             | 1.30pm    | U  |
|---|----------------|-----------|----|
| Based on Anna and the King of Siam by Margaret Landon       |                |           |    |
| We Bought a Zoo   | C4             | 1.45pm    | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Benjamin Mee          |                |           |    |
| Ratburger   | Sky 1          | 2.00pm    | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by David Walliams        |                |           |    |
| The Last Airbender  | Film4          | 2.45pm    | PG |
| Based on Avatar: The Last Airbender by Michael Dante DiMart | tino and Bryan | Konietzko |    |
| Escape to Victory   | ITV4           | 3.55pm    | PG |
| Based on Two Half Times in Hell by Zoltán Fábri             |                |           |    |
| We're Going on a Bear Hunt                                  | C4             | 4.10pm    | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Michael Rosen         |                |           |    |
| Scrooge: A Christmas Carol                                  | C5             | 4.20pm    | U  |
| Based on A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens               |                |           |    |
| The Snowman   | C4             | 4.40pm    | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs        |                |           |    |
| Mary Poppins  | BBC1           | 5.00pm    | U  |
| Based on the Mary Poppins series of books by P.L. Travers   |                |           |    |
| The Snowman and the Snowdog                                 | C4             | 5.10pm    | U  |
| Based on The Snowman by Raymond Briggs                      |                |           |    |
| Great Expectations  | Talk Pic       | 5.30pm    | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens       |                |           |    |
| The Queen and I   | Sky 1          | 6.00pm    | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Sue Townsend          |                |           |    |
| Miracle on 34th Street                                      | C4             | 6.00pm    | U  |
| Based on a story by Valentine Davies                        |                |           |    |
| Matilda   | SMC            | 6.55pm    | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl            |                |           |    |
| Kingsman: The Secret Service                                | Film4          | 9.00pm    | 15 |
| Based on the comic book series The Secret Service by Dave G | Gibbons and Ma | rk Millar |    |
| The Lady in the Van   | BBC2           | 10.00pm   | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Alan Bennett          |                |           |    |
|   |                |           |    |

#### Tuesday 25th December - Christmas Day

| Tinker Bell and the Legend of the Never Beast         | BBC2 | 6.25am | U  |
|---|------|--------|----|
| Based on characters from Peter Pan by J.M. Barrie     |      |        |    |
| The Colour of Magic                                   | Pick | 7.15am | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Terry Pratchett |      |        |    |

## Librarian picks



Mrs Day from Falinge
Park High School in
Rochdale chooses
Wuthering Heights as
it reminds her of home,
War and Peace as she
studied that period of
history at university and
Matilda - her favourite

Roald Dahl story about a girl who loves to read!



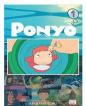






Áine Garvey,
Librarian at
King Edward VI
Camp Hill School
for Boys,
Birmingham
chooses

**Ponyo** - a funny, magical introduction to anime, **Brooklyn** - a compelling and moving story about a young girl who immigrates to New York in the 1950s, and **Young Sherlock Holmes** - part Sherlock, part Indiana Jones... look out for the dancing cakes!









Stella Chevalier, Librarian at Old Palace of John Whitgift School in Croydon chooses The Princess Bride a heartwarming,

modern fairytale for all the family,

The Invention of Hugo Cabret - a
unique book that takes you on Hugo's
quest to uncover a mystery through
it's amazing illustrations, and Mary

Poppins - Mary is very different in
character in the books. Why not read
and compare to see which version of
Mary Poppins you like best?





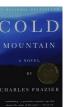


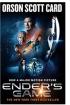


Tom Neilsen, Librarian at The Grange Senior School, Cheshire chooses Jaws - both the book and film catapult you with the unrelenting momentum

of a shark attack, **Cold Mountain** - it's a long time since Tom read this book, but he still remembers the way it made him feel, **and Ender's Game** - this book is impossible to sum up in a few sentences, but it draws you in and captivates you like few others with characters that live long in the memory.









### Tuesday 25th December - Christmas Day (continued)

| Rise of the Guardians BBC2 7.30am  **Based on the Guardians of Childhood series by William Joyce**  The Gruffalo BBC1 9.00am | PG<br>U |
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| The Gruffalo BBC1 9.00am   |         |
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| Based on the book of the same name by Julia Donaldson  |         |
| The Gruffalo's Child BBC1 9.25am   | U       |
| Based on the book of the same name by Julia Donaldson  |         |
| The Snow Queen Paramount 9.45am  | U       |
| Based on the book of the same name by Hans Christian Andersen  |         |
| Epic E4 10.00am  | U       |
| Based on The Leaf Men and Brave Good Bugs by William Joyce   |         |
| Scrooge C5 10.45am   | U       |
| Based on A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens  |         |
| Going Postal Pick 11.00am  | TV      |
| Based on the book of the same name by Terry Pratchett  |         |
| Peter Pan ITV2 11.20am   | PG      |
| Based on the book of the same name by J.M. Barrie  |         |
| We're Going on a Bear Hunt C4 11.30am  | U       |
| Based on the book of the same name by Michael Rosen  |         |
| Father Christmas C4 12.05pm  | U       |
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs   |         |
| The Snowman C4 12.40pm   | U       |
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs   |         |
| Guys and Dolls BBC2 12.45pm  | U       |
| Based on short stories 'The Idyll of Miss Sarah Brown' and 'Blood Pressure' by Damon Runya                                   | n       |
| Seven Brides for Seven Brothers C5 1.05pm  | U       |
| Based on These Sobbin' Women by Stephen Vincent Benét  |         |
| The Snowman and the Snowdog C4 1.15pm  | U       |
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs   |         |
| Scrooge: A Christmas Carol Talk Pic 1.50pm   | U       |
| Based on A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens  |         |
| Hogfather Pick 3.00pm  | TV      |
| Based on the book of the same name by Terry Pratchett  |         |
| The Jungle Book BBC1 3.10pm  | PG      |
| Based on the book of the same name by Rudyard Kipling  |         |
| Chitty Chitty Bang Bang C5 3.10pm  | U       |
| Based on the book of the same name by Ian Fleming  |         |
| The Guns of Navarone SMC 3.10pm  | PG      |
| Based on the book of the same name by Alistair MacLean   |         |

#### Tuesday 25th December - Christmas Day (continued)

| Ring of Bright Water  | Talk Pic        | 3.35pm     | U  |
|---|-----------------|------------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Gavin Maxwell         |                 |            |    |
| A Muppet Christmas Carol                                    | C4              | 4.00pm     | U  |
| Based on A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens               |                 |            |    |
| The Spiderwick Chronicles                                   | Film4           | 4.45pm     | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Holly Black and Tony  | DiTerlizzi      |            |    |
| Zog   | BBC1            | 4.50pm     | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Julia Donaldson       |                 |            |    |
| All Quiet on the Western Front                              | 5 Spike         | 5.35pm     | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Erich Maria Remarqu   | e               |            |    |
| Pride and Prejudice   | More4           | 5.40pm     | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jane Austen           |                 |            |    |
| Oliver Twist  | Talk Pic        | 5.40pm     | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens       |                 |            |    |
| Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves                               | 5Star           | 5.55pm     | 12 |
| Based on traditional stories                                |                 |            |    |
| Apollo 13   | ITV4            | 6.30pm     | PG |
| Based on Lost Moon: The Perilous Voyage of Apollo 13 by Jim | Lovell and Jeff | rey Kluger |    |
| Captain America: The First Avenger                          | Film4           | 6.35pm     | 12 |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics                      |                 |            |    |
| Mirror Mirror   | E4              | 7.10pm     | PG |
| Based on traditional fairy tales                            |                 |            |    |
| Call the Midwife  | BBC1            | 7.45pm     | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jennifer Worth        |                 |            |    |
| Jurassic World  | ITV2            | 7.45pm     | 12 |
| Based on Jurassic Park by Michael Crichton                  |                 |            |    |
| The Devil Wears Prada                                       | E4              | 9.15pm     | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Lauren Weisberger     |                 |            |    |
| The Duchess   | BBC2            | 10.15pm    | 12 |
| Based on Georgiana, Duchess of Devonshire by Amanda Forer   | man             |            |    |
| The Silence of the Lambs                                    | ITV4            | 11.20pm    | 18 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Thomas Harris         |                 |            |    |

#### Wednesday 26th December - Boxing Day

| The Adventures of Tintin: Secret of the Unicorn                   | BBC2 | 7.45pm | PG |
|---|------|--------|----|
| Based on the Tintin series of books by Hergé                      |      |        |    |
| Strange Magic   | BBC1 | 9.00am | U  |
| Loosely based on A Midsummer's Night Dream by William Shakespeare |      |        |    |



## Wednesday 26th December - Boxing Day (continued)

| Legends of Oz: Dorothy's Return  Based on The Wizard of Oz by L. Frank Baum  The Princess and the Frog  BBC1 10.30am U  Based on The Frog Princess by E.D. Baker  James and the Giant Peach  Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl  Miracle on 34th Street  The Witches  The Witches  Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl  The Dirty Dozen  Based on the book of the same name by E.M. Nathanson  Matilda  Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl  A Bridge Too Far  Based on the book of the same name by Cornelius Ryan  Saving Mr Banks  BBC2 2.30pm U  Based on the life and books of P.L. Travers  Ben-Hur  Based on the book of the same name by Lew Wallace  Nanny McPhee  ITV2 2.50pm U  Based on the book of the same name by Christianna Brand |
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| The Highway Rat BBC1 3.15pm U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Julia Donaldson  |
| Percy Jackson and the Sea of Monsters Film4 4.55pm PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Rick Riordan   |
| The BFG BBC1 5.40pm PG   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl   |
| Mrs Doubtfire C4 5.45pm 12   |
| Based on Madame Doubtfire by Anne Fine   |
| Where Eagles Dare ITV4 6.55pm PG   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Alistair MacLean   |
| The Midnight Gang BBC1 7.00pm TV   |
| Based on the book of the same name by David Walliams   |
| Life of Pi E4 8.00pm PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Yann Martel  |
| Quantum of Solace ITV1 8.00pm 12   |
| Based on the James Bond series of books by Ian Fleming   |

#### Wednesday 26th December - Boxing Day (continued)

| ABC Murders (part 1 of 3)                             | BBC1      | 9.00pm  | TV  |
|---|-----------|---------|-----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Agatha Christie |           |         |     |
| The Running Man                                       | 5 Spike   | 9.00pm  | 18  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Stephen King    |           |         |     |
| Cold Mountain   | Paramount | 9.00pm  | 15  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Frazier |           |         |     |
| Jaws  | ITV4      | 10.00pm | 12A |
| Based on the book of the same name by Peter Benchley  |           |         |     |
| The Green Mile  | C4        | 11.00pm | 18  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Stephen King    |           |         |     |

#### Thursday 27th December

| The Hundred Foot Journey  | C5      | 11.55am | PG |
|---|---------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Stephen Knight              |         |         |    |
| The Wizard of Oz  | ITV3    | 12.30pm | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by L. Frank Baum               |         |         |    |
| A Christmas Carol   | Film4   | 12.50pm | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens             |         |         |    |
| Ever After: A Cinderella Story                                    | C4      | 1.10pm  | PG |
| Based on the traditional fairy tale first published by Charles Pe | rrault  |         |    |
| Desert Fox  | BBC2    | 1.30pm  | PG |
| Based on Rommel: The Desert Fox by Brigadier Desmond Your         | ng      |         |    |
| Nanny McPhee and the Big Bang                                     | ITV2    | 2.30pm  | U  |
| Based on the Nanny McPhee series of books by Christianna Bra      | and     |         |    |
| Heroes of Telemark  | BBC2    | 2.55pm  | U  |
| Based on Skies Against the Atom by Knut Haukelid                  |         |         |    |
| Revolting Rhymes  | BBC1    | 3.20pm  | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl                  |         |         |    |
| 633 Squadron  | ITV4    | 3.30pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Frederick E. Smith          |         |         |    |
| From Time to Time   | C5      | 4.35pm  | PG |
| Based on The Chimneys of Green Knowe by Lucy M. Boston            |         |         |    |
| Ella Enchanted  | ITV2    | 4.45pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Gail Carson Levine          |         |         |    |
| Dr Dolittle 2   | Film4   | 5.05pm  | PG |
| Based on characters from the book of the same name by Hugh        | Lofting |         |    |
| The Last Dragonslayer   | Pick    | 6.00pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jasper Fforde               |         |         |    |



#### Thursday 27th December (continued)

| The Golden Compass                                     | ITV2 | 6.40pm | PG |
|--|------|--------|----|
| Based on Northern Lights by Philip Pullman             |      |        |    |
| Skyfall  | ITV1 | 8.00pm | 12 |
| Based on the James Bond series of books by Ian Fleming |      |        |    |
| The ABC Murders (part 2 of 3)                          | BBC1 | 9.00pm | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Agatha Christie  |      |        |    |
| November Man   | SMC  | 9.00pm | 15 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Bill Granger     |      |        |    |

#### Friday 28th December

| Hogfather   | Sky 1 | 6.00am  | TV |
|---|-------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Terry Pratchett       |       |         |    |
| The Cowboys   | C5    | 9.15am  | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by William Dale Jennings |       |         |    |
| Tora! Tora!   | More4 | 9.15am  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Gordon W Prange       |       |         |    |
| The Lorax   | ITV2  | 12.35pm | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Dr Seuss              |       |         |    |
| The Last Dragonslayer                                       | Sky 1 | 1.00pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jasper Fforde         |       |         |    |
| Night at the Museum   | Film4 | 4.25pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Milan Trenc           |       |         |    |
| Ratburger   | Pick  | 6.00pm  | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by David Walliams        |       |         |    |
| Agatha Christie's Crooked House                             | C5    | 6.00pm  | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Agatha Christie       |       |         |    |
| Iron Man 2  | ITV4  | 6.25pm  | 12 |
| Based on the characters from Marvel Comics                  |       |         |    |
| Journey 2: The Mysterious Island                            | 5Star | 7.10pm  | PG |
| Based on The Mysterious Island by Jules Verne               |       |         |    |
| The Queen and I   | Sky 1 | 7.30pm  | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Sue Townsend          |       |         |    |
| The ABC Murders (part 3 of 3)                               | BBC1  | 9.00pm  | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Agatha Christie       |       |         |    |
| Sherlock Holmes: A Game of Shadows                          | ITV2  | 9.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on the Sherlock Homes books by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle |       |         |    |
| Stand By Me   | SMC   | 9.00pm  | 15 |
| Based on The Body by Stephen King                           |       |         |    |

#### Saturday 29th December

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|---|------------------|------------|-----|
| James and the Giant Peach                                     | SMC              | 10.00am    | U   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl              |                  |            |     |
| The Last Airbender  | Film4            | 11.00am    | PG  |
| Based on Avatar: The Last Airbender comics by Michael Dante   | DiMartino        |            |     |
| Dunkirk   | BBC2             | 1.00pm     | 12  |
| Based on The Big Pick Up by Elleston Trevor                   |                  |            |     |
| Hugo  | C4               | 2.10pm     | U   |
| Based on The Invention of Hugo Cabret by Brian Selznick       |                  |            |     |
| Open Range  | Paramount        | 2.40pm     | 12  |
| Based on The Open Range Men by Lauran Paine                   |                  |            |     |
| Ella Enchanted  | ITV2             | 2.45pm     | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Gail Carson Levine      |                  |            |     |
| Sense and Sensibility   | Drama            | 3.10pm     | U   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jane Austen             |                  |            |     |
| Escape to Victory   | ITV4             | 4.00pm     | PG  |
| Based on Two Half Times in Hell by Zoltán Fábri               |                  |            |     |
| The Legend of Zorro   | SMC              | 4.15pm     | PG  |
| Based on character created by Johnston McCulley               |                  |            |     |
| Nanny McPhee and the Big Bang                                 | ITV2             | 4.40pm     | U   |
| Based on the Nanny McPhee series by Christianna Brand         |                  |            |     |
| Eragon  | Film4            | 4.40pm     | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Christopher Paolini     |                  |            |     |
| Dances With Wolves  | Paramount        | 5.25pm     | 15  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Michael Blake           |                  |            |     |
| Apollo 13   | ITV4             | 6.15pm     | PG  |
| Based on Lost Moon: The Perilous Voyage of Apollo 13 by Jim I | Lovell and Jeffi | rey Kluger |     |
| Mirror, Mirror  | E4               | 6.55pm     | PG  |
| Based on traditional fairytales                               |                  |            |     |
| Ant Man   | BBC1             | 7.50pm     | 12A |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics                        |                  |            |     |
| Philomena   | BBC2             | 9.00pm     | 12  |
| Based on The Lost Child of Philomena Lee by Martin Sixsmith   |                  |            |     |
| X-Men: The Last Stand   | E4               | 9.00pm     | 12A |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics                        |                  |            |     |
| Jack Reacher: Never Go Back                                   | Film4            | 9.00pm     | 12  |
| Based on Never Let Go by Lee Chlid                            |                  |            |     |
| The Fifth Wave  | SMC              | 9.00pm     | 15  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Rick Yancey             | <b>,</b>         |            |     |
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#### Sunday 30th December

| The Little Vampire  | SMC           | 9.45am  | U  |
|---|---------------|---------|----|
| Based on The Little Vampire series of books by Angela Somme       | er-Bodenburg  |         |    |
| The BFG   | BBC1          | 10.45am | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl                  |               |         |    |
| Little Women  | True Ent      | 12.45pm | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Louisa May Alcott           |               |         |    |
| Cinderella  | BBC1          | 2.25pm  | U  |
| Based on the traditional fairy tale first published by Charles Pe | errault       |         |    |
| Wuthering Heights   | Drama         | 3.55pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Emily Bronte                |               |         |    |
| How to Train Your Dragon 2  | BBC1          | 4.05pm  | PG |
| Based on the How to Train Your Dragon series of books by Cre      | essida Cowell |         |    |
| Seabiscuit  | SMC           | 4.10pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Laura Hillenbrand           |               |         |    |
| Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory                             | C5            | 5.00pm  | U  |
| Based on Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl          |               |         |    |
| Paddington  | C4            | 5.40pm  | U  |
| Based on the Paddington series of books by Michael Bond           |               |         |    |
| Jurassic World  | ITV2          | 5.40pm  | 12 |
| Based on Jurassic Park by Michael Crichton                        |               |         |    |
| A Beautiful Mind  | Film4         | 5.40pm  | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Sylvia Nasar                |               |         |    |
| The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel                                    | More4         | 7.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on These Foolish Things by Deborah Moggach                  |               |         |    |
| Heroes of Telemark  | BBC4          | 8.00pm  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Knut Haukelid               |               |         |    |
| Les Miserables (part 1 of 6)                                      | BBC1          | 9.00pm  | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by Victor Hugo                 |               |         |    |
| Kingsman: The Secret Service                                      | Film4         | 9.00pm  | 15 |
| Based on the comic book series by Dave Gibbons and Mark Mi        | llar          |         |    |
| The Silence of the Lambs  | ITV4          | 10.00pm | 18 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Thomas Harris               |               |         |    |
| The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey                                 | ITV1          | 10.50pm | 12 |
| Based on The Hobbit by J.R.R. Tolkien                             |               |         |    |
| War of the Worlds   | BBC1          | 11.45pm | 12 |
| Based on the book of the same name by H.G. Wells                  |               |         |    |



Ms O'Brien, School Librarian at Arden Academy in Solihull chooses The Grinch - as it makes her laugh as much now

as it did when she first read it,
Nim's Island - as she loved the
film's message about bravery it
inspired her to read the book
after seeing the film, and
Bridget Jones' Diary - as it
makes her laugh and has a
perfect Christmassy ending.





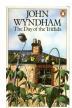


## Librarian picks



Helen Farrar, Librarian at Cockermouth School chooses The Day of the Triffids - a classic dystopian novel that

was well ahead of its time, **Bridge**to **Terabithia** - a wonderful,
heartbreaking read that was banned in
some US states, and **Mary Poppins** books which communicates the magic
of Mary Poppins, even though they tell
a very different story to the film.







Jayne Gold, Librarian at Broke Hall Community Primary School in Ipswich chooses *Ethel and Ernest* - a funny, evocative and poignant story, Matilda - a life affirming, joyous story, and Zog - a wonderful tale of a small dragon desperate to do well.









Ms Berry from Stanley Park High School near Croydon chooses Little Women as it's one of her favourite books,

**Housewife,49** an extraordinary housewife living in exceptional times, and **Dr Dolittle** as a book which fired her imagination as a



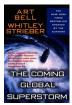




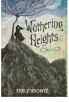




Dominic Carney, Library Manager at Mill Chase Academy in Bordon, Hampshire chooses the book that inspired **The Day After Tomorrow** as he's interested in climate change, **A Christmas Carol** as it's







so utterly redemptive and **Wuthering Heights** as a gripping Gothic romance.

#### Monday 31st December - New Year's Eve

| The Woman in Black   | C4        | 12.05am | 15  |
|--|-----------|---------|-----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Susan Hill             |           |         |     |
| Dr Dolittle  | C4        | 5.25am  | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Hugh Lofting           |           |         |     |
| Flash Gordon   | C4        | 11.10am | 12  |
| Based on the comic books by Alex Raymond                     |           |         |     |
| To Sir, With Love  | SMC       | 11.50am | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by E.R. Braithwaite       |           |         |     |
| Death on the Nile  | BBC2      | 12.50pm | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Agatha Christie        |           |         |     |
| Vice Versa   | C4        | 1.20pm  | PG  |
| Based on Vice Versa: A Lesson to Fathers by Thomas Antsy Gu  | uthrie    | - [     |     |
| War and Peace  | Drama     | 2.00pm  | 12  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Leo Tolstoy            | 214       | p       |     |
| The Spiderwick Chronicles                                    | Film4     | 2.50pm  | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Holly Black and Tony   |           | 2.50pm  | 10  |
| Great Expectations   | Talk Pic  | 3.00pm  | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens        | I dik Fic | 3.00pm  | ru  |
| The Dam Busters  | C4        | 3.20pm  | U   |
| Based on the book of the same name by Paul Brickhill and Ene | _         | •       |     |
| Maleficent   | BBC1      | 4.15pm  | PG  |
| Based on characters from traditional fairytales              | DDCI      | 4.13pm  | ru  |
| Journey 2: Mysterious Island                                 | <br>5Star | 5.05pm  | PG  |
| Based on The Mysterious Island by Jules Verne                | JStai     | 3.03pm  | 10  |
| Pan  | C5        | 5.45pm  | PG  |
| Based on Peter Pan by J.M. Barrie                            | CS        | 3. 13pm | 10  |
| 633 Squadron   | ITV4      | 5.45pm  | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Frederick E. Smith     |           | 51.15p  |     |
| X-Men  | Film4     | 6.55pm  | 12  |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics                       |           |         |     |
| Ethel and Ernest   | BBC2      | 7.30pm  | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Raymond Briggs         |           | •       |     |
| Spectre  | ITV1      | 8.00pm  | 12A |
| Based on the James Bond series of books by Ian Fleming       |           | -       |     |
| Les Miserables   | More4     | 8.00pm  | 12  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Victor Hugo            |           |         |     |
|  |           |         |     |

#### Tuesday 1st January - New Year's Day

| The Secret Garden  | ITV3  | 6.25am  | PG |
|--|-------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Frances Hodgson Burn |       |         |    |
| Zog  | BBC2  | 6.30am  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Julia Donaldson      |       |         |    |
| Diary of a Wimpy Kid                                       | C4    | 8.10am  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jeff Kinney          |       |         |    |
| Murder on the Orient Express                               | ITV3  | 8.25am  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Agatha Christie      |       |         |    |
| The Golden Compass   | ITV2  | 10.35am | PG |
| Based on Northern Lights by Philip Pullman                 |       |         |    |
| James and the Giant Peach                                  | SMC   | 10.45am | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl           |       |         |    |
| Ferngully The Last Rainforest                              | Film4 | 11.00am | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Diana Young          |       |         |    |
| Ratburger  | Pick  | 11.00am | TV |
| Based on the book of the same name by David Walliams       |       |         |    |
| Chitty Chitty Bang Bang                                    | C5    | 11.30pm | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Ian Fleming          |       |         |    |
| The Last Dragonslayer                                      | Pick  | 12.30pm | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jasper Fforde        |       |         |    |
| A Muppet's Christmas Carol                                 | Film4 | 12.35pm | U  |
| Based on A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens              |       | Į.      |    |
| The Railway Children                                       | BBC1  | 1.00pm  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by E. Nesbit            |       | ,       |    |
| Splash   | C4    | 1.25pm  | PG |
| Based on The Little Mermaid by Hans Christian Andersen     |       | ·       |    |
| Pride and Prejudice  | Pick  | 1.40pm  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jane Austen          |       | ·       |    |
| Night at the Museum: Secret of the Tomb                    | Film4 | 2.20pm  | PG |
| Based on Night at the Museum by Milan Trenc                |       | ·       |    |
| Oliver   | C5    | 2.25pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens      |       | •       |    |
| Ben-Hur  | ITV4  | 2.35pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Lew Wallace          |       | •       |    |
| The Eagle Has Landed                                       | BBC2  | 2.50pm  | 15 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jack Higgins         |       | •       |    |
| The Jungle Book  | BBC1  | 3.45pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Rudyard Kipling      | g     | ·       |    |

#### Tuesday 1st January - New Year's Day (continued)

| Nanny McPhee  | ITV2             | 3.45pm         | U   |
|---|------------------|----------------|-----|
| Based on the Nanny McPhee series by Christianna Brand                         |                  |                |     |
| The Devil Wears Prada   | E4               | 4.45pm         | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Lauren Weisberger                       |                  |                |     |
| Matilda   | SMC              | 4.50pm         | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Roald Dahl                              |                  |                |     |
| The Finest Hours  | BBC2             | 5.00pm         | 12A |
| Based on The Finest Hours: The True Story of the US Coast (by Michael J. Toug | Guard's Most Dai | ring Sea Rescu | e   |
| Dances With Wolves  | Paramount        | 5.25pm         | 15  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Michael Black                           |                  |                |     |
| Snow White and the Huntsman   | Film4            | 6.25pm         | 12  |
| Based on the traditional fairytale published by the Brothers'                 | Grimm            |                |     |
| Where Eagles Dare   | ITV4             | 6.50pm         | PG  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Alistair MacLean                        |                  |                |     |
| Iron Man  | ITV2             | 8.00pm         | 12  |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics  |                  |                |     |
| Man of Steel  | Film4            | 9.00pm         | 12  |
| Based on characters from DC Comics  |                  |                |     |
| The Revenant  | BBC2             | 10.00pm        | 15  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Michael Punke                           |                  |                |     |
| Avengers: Age of Ultron   | BBC1             | 10.55pm        | 12  |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics  |                  |                |     |
|   |                  |                |     |

#### Wednesday 2nd January

| Swallows and Amazons                                       | BBC2      | 8.10am  | PG |
|--|-----------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Arthur Ransome       |           |         |    |
| From Up on Poppy Hill                                      | Film4     | 11.00am | U  |
| Based on Kokuriko-zaka kara by Chizuru Takahashi and Tetsu | rō Sayama |         |    |
| The Indian in the Cupboard                                 | BBC1      | 1.45pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Lynne Reid Banks     |           |         |    |
| Jane Eyre  | C4        | 1.25pm  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charlotte Bronte     |           |         |    |
| Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good,             | BBC2      | 3.55pm  | PG |
| Very Bad Day   |           |         |    |
| Based on the book of the same name by Judith Viorst        |           |         |    |

#### Thursday 3rd January

| Angels One Five                                       | BBC2     | 8.05am  | U  |
|---|----------|---------|----|
| Based on What Are Your Angels Now by Pelham Groom     |          |         |    |
| Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days                        | Film4    | 11.00am | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jeff Kinney     |          |         |    |
| The Princess Bride                                    | C4       | 12.15pm | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by William Goldman |          |         |    |
| The History of Mr Polly                               | Talk Pic | 2.15pm  | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by H.G. Wells      |          |         |    |
| The Fifth Wave  | SMC      | 9.00pm  | 15 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Rick Yancey     |          |         |    |

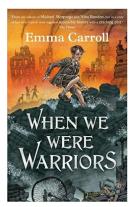
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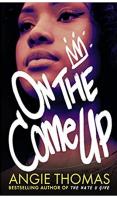
| Great Expectations                                    | BBC2      | 7.45am  | PG |
|---|-----------|---------|----|
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens |           |         |    |
| A Tale of Two Cities                                  | Talk Pic  | 9.25am  | PG |
| Based on the book of the same name by Charles Dickens |           |         |    |
| The Lorax   | ITV2      | 10.15am | U  |
| Based on the book of the same name by Dr Seuss        |           |         |    |
| Into the Woods  | BBC2      | 3.20pm  | PG |
| Based on traditional fairytales                       |           |         |    |
| X-Men   | Film4     | 6.55pm  | 12 |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics                |           |         |    |
| X-Men: Last Stand                                     | E4        | 9.00pm  | 12 |
| Based on characters from Marvel Comics                |           |         |    |
| The Wolf of Wall Street                               | More4     | 9.00pm  | 18 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jordan Belfort  |           |         |    |
| The Hunger Games                                      | Film4     | 9.00pm  | 15 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Suzanne Collins |           |         |    |
| A Civil Action  | Paramount | 9.00pm  | 15 |
| Based on the book of the same name by Jonathan Harr   |           |         |    |





## Which of these dazzling 2019 books will become the next blockbuster movie?



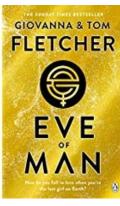




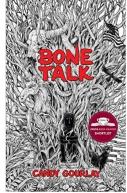




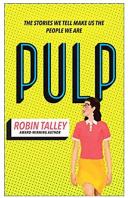




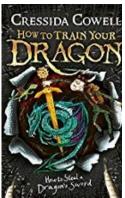






















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