

## Non-Fiction

*A Boy in the Water*, Tom Gregory

Remarkable bond between the boy who swam the English Channel aged eleven and his coach. £8.99 (7 March)

*The Cut Out Girl*, Bart van Es

A young Jewish girl hidden and fostered by the author's grandparents in occupied Amsterdam. War, love and misunderstanding. Costa Book Awards winner. £9.99

*Elisabeth's Lists*, Lulah Ellender

A book of handwritten lists builds up a picture of the author's long dead grandmother – ambassador's daughter, diplomat's wife, opulent excess, deprivations of wartime England. £9.99 (7 March)

*Gentleman Jack*, Angela Steidele

A true English eccentric – Regency landowner, heiress, world traveller, seducer and proud lesbian. £8.99 (7 March)

*The Stopping Places*, by Damian le Bas

A life on the road, somewhere between the romanticised Gypsies of old, and their much-maligned descendants of today. £8.99

*Talking to My Daughter About the Economy*, Yanis Varoufakis

Aims to answer his daughter's deceptively simple question: "Why is there so much inequality?" £8.99 (7 March)

*Language of Kindness*, Christine Watson

After many recent books by doctors here is the one about what it is to be a nurse. £8.99

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## Books for Reading Groups 2019

All the books on this list are either already available in paperback or should be after the date shown in brackets.

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If four or more copies of a book are ordered and collected by one member of a group we offer a 15% discount (cannot be used with our customer loyalty card scheme).

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6 February *Ballad of Peckham Rye* by Muriel Spark

19 March *Educated* by Tara Westover

24 April *Census* by Jesse Ball

## Fiction

*All Among the Barley*, Melissa Harrison

Growing up between the wars in a long-gone rural England with hints of things to come. £8.99 (7 March)

*An American Marriage*, Tayari Jones

Celestial and Roy embody both the American Dream and the New South. One of Barack Obama's best books of 2018. £8.99 (7 March)

*Census*, Jesse Ball

An American road trip undertaken by a dying census taker and his son, who has Down's syndrome. £9.99

*Her Body and Other Parties*, Carmen Machado

Short stories unlike anything else you've ever read – a mixture of magic realism, science fiction, fantasy, comedy and horror. £8.99

*The Illumination of Ursula Flight*, Anne-Marie Crowhurst

Spirited 17<sup>th</sup> century heroine in a world of actors and aristocrats. Intriguing mix of narrative, letters, diary entries, playscripts. £8.99

*Juniper Tree*, Barbara Comyns

Reissued 1980s classic from the author of *Our Spoons Came From Woolworths*. £8.99 (21 February)

*The Librarian*, Sally Vickers

The joy of reading and the power of books to change. A small 1950s town reacts to a young librarian trying to inspire a love of books in children and her affair with the local GP. £8.99

*Little*, Edward Carey

Macabre tale of an ambitious orphan in revolutionary France. "Don't miss this eccentric charmer, narrated by Madam Tussaud of waxworks fame" – Margaret Atwood. £10.99

*The Mars Room*, Rachel Kushner

Romy is serving two life sentences for killing her stalker – love, friendship and incarceration. Booker shortlisted. £8.99 (7 March)

*Milkman*, Anna Burns

"A wholly original take on Ireland in the time of the Troubles through the mind of a young girl. Stunning" – Booker Prize judges. 2018 Booker winner. £8.99

*Old Baggage*, Lissa Evan

Matilda Simpkin was a militant suffragette – now middle aged in 1928 she is looking for fresh excitement. Funny and bittersweet portrait of a woman who has never given up the fight. £8.99

*Snap*, Belinda Bauer

"The best crime novel I've read in a very long time" – Val McDermid. £8.99

*Something Like Breathing*, Angela Readman

1950s friendship of two young women on a Scottish island. Mix of the fabulous and the every day: Angela Carter meets Kafka. £10

*An Unremarkable Body*, Elisa Lodato

Laura is consumed by her mother's life after she is found dead at the foot of her stairs. Costa Book Awards shortlisted. £8.99