

Do you remember the books you read at school?

*Carson was right, only First
 Fourth, Fifth, and*
My Little Dinosaur
Raven Bonney
Greatest Expectations
Charles Dickens
Just for the
Charlotte Brontë
My Paper for Galt
JB Pennington
Lord of the Flies
William Golding
To Kill a Mockingbird
Harcourt
I know why the Caged Bird Sings
Mary McLeod Bethune

Carol Atherton

READING LESSONS

The books we read at school, the conversations
 they spark and why they matter

My Little Dinosaur
My Little Blackboard
Book of a Seagull
Arthur Miller
Green Eggs
James Joyce
Macbeth
William Shakespeare
A hardened man's heart
George Orwell
The Thin Red Line
Timothy Olyphant
Of Mice and Men
John Steinbeck
Little Boy for James Joyce

- My Last Duchess by Robert Browning
- To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee
- An Inspector Calls by J.B. Priestly
- Of Mice and Men by John Steinbeck
- Jane Eyre by Charlotte Bronte
- Macbeth by William Shakespeare

Atherton introduces ways of looking at the writings and their relevancy to contemporary life. Many fundamental questions and dilemmas are raised and the book asks readers to consider their importance.

The book generated much discussion by the members present and highlighted many past reading experiences and books that engaged us as readers.

Other Books We Read

Signs of Damage by Diana Reid, 2.5

The Echo Chamber by John Boyne, 3
Jude, The Obscure by Thomas Hardy, 4
The Lost Heart of Asia by Colin Thurbon, 3.5
Stone Yard Devotional by Charlotte Wood, 4
Juice by Tim Winton, 4
The Gigolo by Françoise Sagan, 3
The One Day by David Malouf, 4
We'll Prescribe You a Cat by Syou Ishida, 3
The sunbird by Sarah Haddad, 5 essential reading
Language of Limbs by Dylín Hardcastle, 4
The son's story by Marie-Hélène Lafon, 4
Unsheltered by Barbara Kingsolver, 3.5
Nest by Inga Simpson, 3.5
Under Story by Inga Simpson, 3
The American wife by Curtis Sittenfeld, 2.5