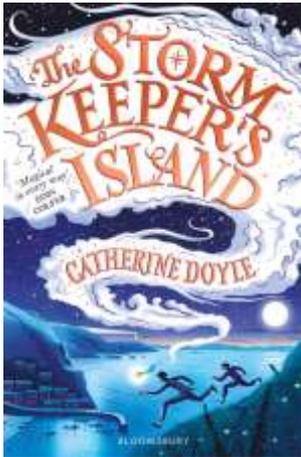


# All I want for Christmas is ~~you~~

From Miss Blandford



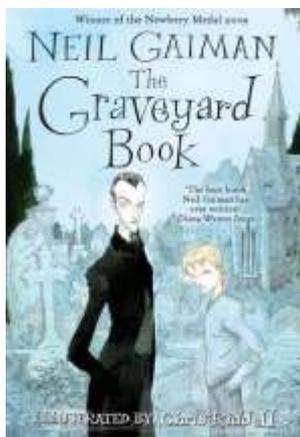
This is a truly **magical** story! The Storm Keeper's Island follows young Fionn as he travels to the island of Arranmore, with his sister Tara, to stay with their grandfather. Little does Fionn know just how magical and full of secrets the island of Arranmore is and, most of all, the dangers that are stirring within it...

This book is a rollercoaster of emotions and the author (Catherine Doyle) has developed her characters and their relationships so well, you feel like you know them and you find yourself rooting for them the whole way through! A must read!

If you enjoyed reading 'Street Child' in English this half term, then you **MUST** give this fantastic follow up, 'Far from Home', a read.

It is written by the same author and follows the moving story of Emily and Lizzie (Jim's sisters) and what happened to them after their mother died and the family was split up – we were all desperate to find out!

Was Rosie telling Jim the truth?  
Did they get their fairy tale ending?  
You'll have to read it and find out!



If you're a fan of spooky stories, this is the book for you. The Graveyard book follows the story of Bod (Nobody Owens) who would be completely normal if he didn't live in a sprawling graveyard being

raised by ghosts. Described as a 'deathly delight', the opening chapter is not for the faint-hearted!

Here's the first line...

*'There was a hand in the darkness, and it held a knife.'*

Roll up, roll up!  
The ceremony is about to begin!  
This book celebrates people throughout history, from all over the world,

who have achieved amazing things. Learn more about these wonderful people, why they have been given their awards and the obstacles they had to overcome. Most of all, be inspired by these men and women who have pursued their passions.

