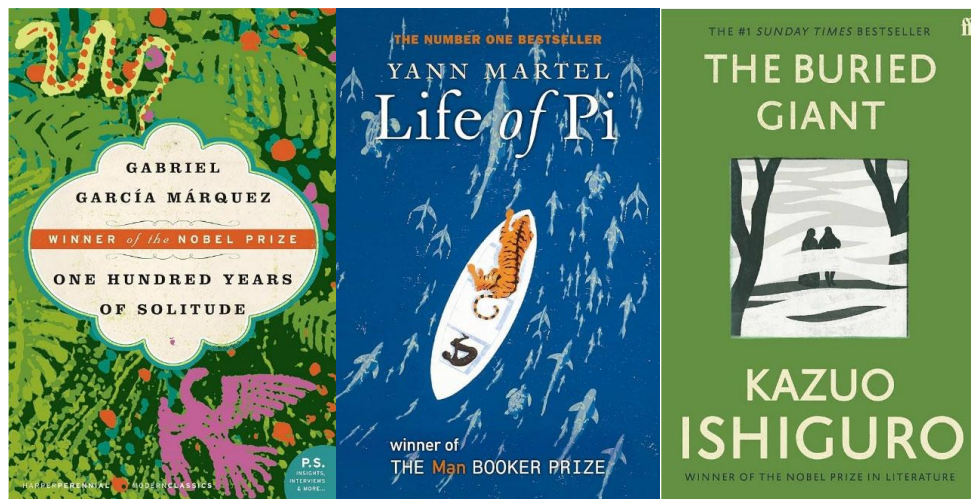


### A Level English Language and Literature *Activity 3*

For this activity you are invited to undertake some independent reading. The following is a short list of some famous 'classic' examples of Magical Realism (some of which are mentioned in the YouTube documentary), and some more recent examples. You could use this an opportunity to visit your local library to access books that you are interested in.



#### Recent novels:

Kazuo Ishiguro – The Buried Giant  
Eowyn Ivey – The Snow Child  
Yan Martel – The Life of Pi (also available as a film)

#### Classic and/or more challenging novels

Toni Morrison – Beloved  
Nikoloi Gogol – The Nose (short story)  
Gabriel Garcia Marquez – 100 Years of Solitude

You may wish to start a reading journal to keep a record of what you have read independently and your thoughts and feelings about what you have read.