2018-2019 FIS Host Program
Booklist

Books recommended by students participating in 2018-2019 FIS Host Program as a way to get a glimpse of life in their home countries

A Glimpse of China: An Outsider's Inside Look at the Middle Kingdom by David Robertson (a student from China)

A Thousand Hills by Stephen Kinzer (a student from Rwanda)

Bushido by Inazo Nitobe (a student from Japan)

China in 10 Words by Yu Hua (a student from China)

City of Djinns by William Dalrymple (a student from India)

Diary of an Expat in Singapore by Jennifer Gargiulo (a student from Singapore)

Doraemon by Fujiko F. Fujio (a student from Japan)

First, They Killed my Father by Loung Ung (a student from Cambodia)

Home Letters from Fulei: With His Son Fu Cong by Fu Lei

I Am An Old Communist Hag by Dan Lungu (a student from Romania)

I will betray my Homeland by Muhammad al-Maghout (a student from Syria)

Kanjian (Insight) by Chai Jing (a student from China)

Kruimeltje by Chris van Abkoude (a student from Amsterdam)

Les trépidantes aventures d'un Américain à Paris by Sebastian Marx (a student from France)

Ocular Farewelling (Mu Song) by Lung Ying-tai (a student from China)

Ordinary World by Lu Yao (a student from China)

Puerto Rico True Flavors by Wilo Benet (a student from Puerto Rico)

Reminiscences in Yashe by Liang Shiqui (a student from China)
Serengeti Home by Kay Turner (a student from Tanzania)

The Leopard by Giuseppe Tomasi di Lampedusa (a student from Italy)

The Secret River by Kate Grenville (a student from Australia)

The White Tiger by Aravind Adiga (a student from India)

Things Fall Apart by Chinua Achebe (a student from Nigeria)

To Live by Yu Hua (a student from China)

Trainspotting by Irvine Welsh (a student from England)

Vidas Sêcas by Graciliano Ramos (a student from Brazil)

Xala by Ousmane Sembene (a student from Niger)

Other Recommended Resources

Brainstorm: Between Shores, a documentary directed by Sandijs Semjonovs, Gundars Rēders, Audinga Kucinskaite (a student from Latvia)

Skins or Peaky Blinders, British television programs (a student from England)

To Live, a film based on the book by Yu Hua and directed by Zhang Yimou (a student from China)