



Phrasal Verbs for Books

I'm an avid reader so one of my favourite places is the local bookshop. I love **flicking through** pages to find my next read. I also love the smell of old pages when you **leaf through** them, they remind me of my childhood. It's important for me to find a really good read that I can get **stuck in to**, something I don't feel I have to **plough through**. I've read some really boring books before where you **wade through** the text and can't wait to finish.

My daughter is also an avid reader so occasionally we read together. We'll take it in turns to **read out** the text. We both love novel because you can **dive into** the characters and the story as you're **reading through** them. Whenever I have a spare moment, I'll find myself **dipping into** my books. That's why I find it so important to **skim over** the blurb, and **flip through** the pages when finding a new book to read. I also often **read up on** the authors to find out a bit more about how they came to write the novel.

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to flick through

transitive - inseparable

To look quickly through a book

I flick through magazines all the time.

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to leaf through

transitive - inseparable

To look quickly through a book

I leaf through books in the bookshop.

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to get stuck in to

transitive - inseparable

To start something new and put effort into it

I can't wait to get stuck into this new project.

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to plough through

transitive - inseparable

To try and finish something you find boring

Let's plough through our homework.

Phrasal Verbs for Books

to wade through

transitive - inseparable

To read through a long piece of writing

I was wading through my student's essay.

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to read out

transitive - separable

To read so the voice is audible

Can you read out the number for me?

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to dive into

transitive - inseparable

To start doing something with enthusiasm

I dove into this new book last week.

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to read through

transitive - inseparable

To read and pay attention to detail

Could you read through my homework?

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to dip into

transitive - inseparable

To read small parts of a book irregularly

I find it hard to dip into books.

Phrasal Verbs for Books

to skim over

transitive - inseparable

To quickly and briefly read

Could you skim over my essay?

Phrasal Verbs for Books

to flip through

transitive - inseparable

To look quickly through a book

I flipped through my notes after school.

Phrasal Verbs for Books

to read up on

transitive - inseparable

To research and learn

I've been reading up on marine life.