

My reading list by Katy

This week's book is *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee.

I normally (not like)

historical books, but this novel is incredibly powerful. The story

(take) place over a three-year period in the

1930s in the USA. The main story (focus) on the

trial of a black man. However, for me the real story is about the man who

(try) to bring up two children on his own.

Atticus Finch is a lawyer with two young children. The story is told through the innocent eyes of

Scout, his daughter. The story (be) dark and complicated, and Harper

Lee (show) us a period of history that was full of racism and inequality.

However, Scout (bring) humour to the storytelling, so the book never

(get) depressing. My brother (read) this at the

moment. He has to read it for school. Unfortunately, he (hate) it!

