

HONOURABLE MENTIONS

Here are some of the bookshops that we didn't have the time to tell you about, but we think are well worth your attention.

CORNWALL

The Edge of the World Bookshop - Located in Penzance, this quirky bookshop sells a variety of books including classics, local Cornish picks and novelties.

Beerwolf Books - Both a pub and a bookshop in one, Beerwolf Books in Falmouth offers the best of both worlds!

Falmouth Bookseller - Tied with the Padstow and St Ives Booksellers, this shop owned by Mabecron Books stocks a range of books including several Cornish and South West-inspired publications.

DEVON

Curious Otter Bookshop - Based in Ottery St Mary, the birthplace of early nineteenth-century poet Samuel Taylor Coleridge, this bookshop offers books on local interests such as history and wildlife, alongside a large children's section.

Liznojan - This bookshop in Tiverton boasts a coffee shop, a Tolkien-inspired therapy room and an events space, and was opened by a mother and daughter team.

Paragon Books - Sidmouth's oldest independent bookshop. Their small team regularly selects a book of the month and holds frequent events, including author signings and late-night shopping.

BATH

Mr. B's Emporium of Reading Delights - This beautiful bookshop in the heart of Bath is a paradise for any book lover. Opened in 2006, Mr. B's Emporium has continued to stay true to its name, delighting readers with their favourite books.

Topping & Company Booksellers - This family-run independent bookshop is one of the biggest independent bookshops in England, reaching over two floors and a gallery. It hosts regular author events and an Autumn Literary Festival every year.

BRISTOL

Excelsior! Comics - This independent comic book shop on Bond Street in the heart of Bristol is run by comic enthusiasts for anyone interested in comics. The shop also stocks a wide array of board games.

Gloucester Road Books - Opened in 2021, Gloucester Road Books offers a wide variety of titles with particular attention drawn to books by small independent publishers.

The Last Bookshop - This bookshop, where you get books for the dream price of £3, began with the aim of regulating the huge amount of waste created by the publishing industry.

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