

Mt Roskill Intermediate School Library

Newsletter #1, May 2021



Hi MRI Students!

Welcome to the first Library newsletter of 2021 and haven't we got off to an interesting start!

Reading is a really important habit to create for yourself. You should be setting yourself some reading goals for 2021. What might your reading goals be?

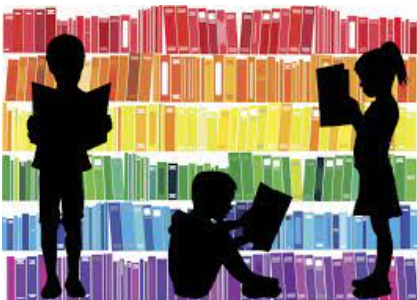
- Read longer books
- Start reading chapter books
- Try a different genre
- Read more non-fiction
- Read 10 books this year
- Read 20 books this year

Reading should be enjoyable and it should interest you, as this makes the practice of reading much easier.

When you read more, you get better at it. A good reader can manage their homework better and do their homework faster. A good reader knows more about the world and how it works.

As an adult, there are so many places and situations that require you to be a good reader to understand what is going on. Do your future self a favour and practice your reading now.

Happy Reading!
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World Poetry Day

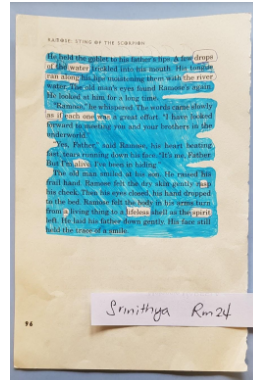
World Poetry Day was the 21st March and the Library ran a Black Out Poetry competition.. Black Out Poetry takes old book pages and upcycles them into intriguing poetry and illustration.

Despite the logistics of a Covid lockdown, we had over 70 Black Out Poems entered in our competition, so thank you to everyone who contributed. Whaea Rachel was impressed by the poetical attempts and some were beautifully illustrated.

Winners of the Competition:

Srinithya, Rm 24

Zohra, Rm 18



All the poems are available in a pdf booklet that you can download and keep. (Please note, the pdf is a very large file of images so choose carefully before deciding to download it).

Black Out Poetry



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Instructions for Library Catalogue Online Access

NEW BOOKS

[Library Catalogue link.](#)

To access your Library account online, you will have received a login username and password in your school email.

A. Log into the online Library catalogue using the 'Log-in' link to the right of the navigation bar on the Library webpage.

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B. You can search for books using the quick search or detail search, and by clicking on highlighted books that appear on the Library webpage, such as new or popular books. You can reserve from that screen. You can reserve up to 2 books. *Please note that if a book is highlighted red, it is unavailable - it can be reserved but when it turns up depends on where the book is, and if the book has been quarantined.*

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