



Our Online Libraries!

As our school library remains closed, we have been working hard to source good quality online access to reading for every child in the school. We would now like to invite ALL of our readers – from Explorers to Year 6 – to use one of the following resources to get some valuable reading practise between now and September. These are all free and easy to use.



EXPLORERS & YEAR 1

This is already being used by Explorers and is NOW available for Year 1! Reading Planet gives access to reading books in your colour band.

How to log on:

1. Please visit my.risingstars-uk.com
2. User ID: Adventurer or Investigator followed by initials of your child (in capitals). So Joe Blogs would be AdventurerJB or InvestigatorJB depending on which class you are in.
3. Password: cat123
4. Centre ID: 354417



AR READERS – LEVELS 2, 3 and 4

Perfect for AR readers at Levels 2, 3, and 4, with lots of new fiction and non-fiction books plus five daily news articles. Available until Aug 31.

Please visit myon.co.uk and enter your login information as follows:

- **School Name:** Bishopsteignton Primary School
- **Username:** bishopsteignton962student
- **Password:** read

To choose a book, hit 

- Then use the filter to click on 'language' and then select **English (UK)** – this is IMPORTANT or you won't be able to quiz on the books!
- Click on ATOS and put in 2, 3 or 4, depending on your AR reading range.
- Year level – put in your year group here eg. Year 2.
- Click on  then choose a book and read!

When you've read your book you can take an AR quiz. Just hit the AR quiz button below the book icon and then log in with your usual school AR login. Watch your sunflower grow as you meet your target!



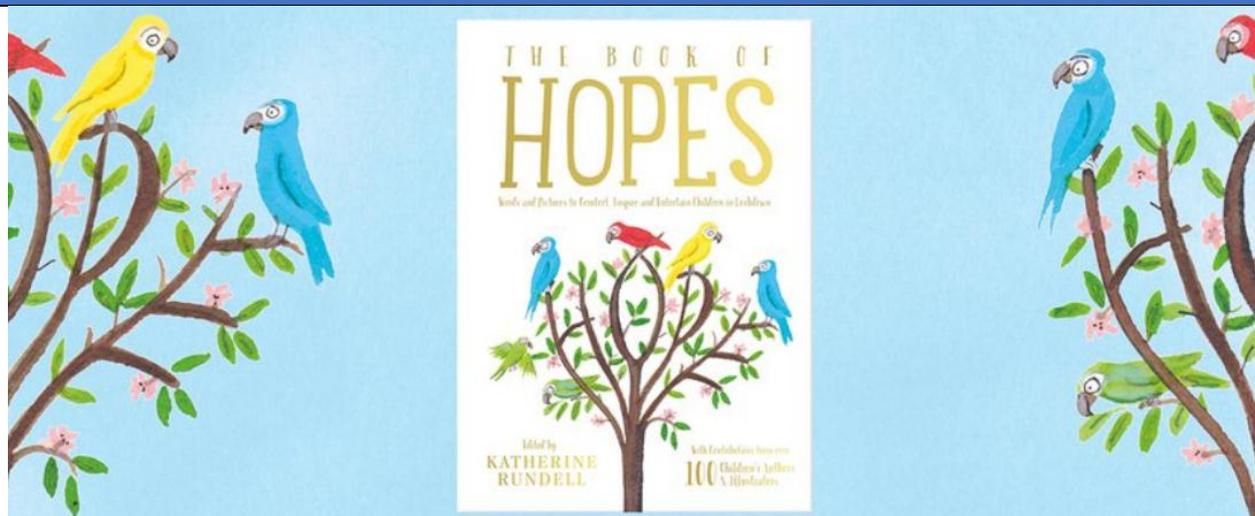
Level 5+ readers (and everyone else too!)

AR level 5+ can also read and quiz on books from myOn (above). In particular, there are lots of really interesting L4 non-fiction books you may like.

ALSO The Libraries Unlimited OVERDRIVE resource is an amazing free collection of ebooks - from Harry Potter to the Storey Treehouse collection. There is also a great selection of books for younger readers. To access these books you need to be a member of the local library, so you will need to ask your adult to go online and join for you. It's free and you can borrow straight away. Just click on this link:

<https://www.devonlibraries.org.uk/web/arena/ebooks>

The Book of Hopes – Read for FREE!



Completely free for all children and families, this extraordinary collection of short stories, poems, essays and pictures has contributions from more than 110 children's writers and illustrators, including Lauren Child, Anthony Horowitz, Greg James and Chris Smith, Michael Morpurgo, Liz Pichon, Axel Scheffler, Francesca Simon, Jacqueline Wilson – and Katherine Rundell herself.

The Book of Hopes aims to comfort, inspire and encourage children during lockdown through delight, new ideas, ridiculous jokes and heroic tales. There are true accounts of cats and hares and plastic-devouring caterpillars; there are doodles and flowers; revolting poems and beautiful poems; and there are stories of space travel and new shoes and dragons.

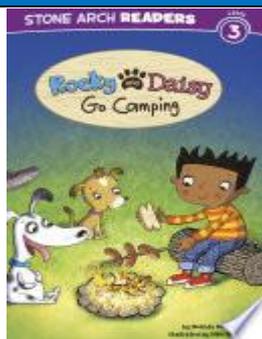
You can read the book by following this link:

<https://literacytrust.org.uk/family-zone/9-12/book-hopes/>

Feedback Welcome!

We would love to hear how you have got on with accessing books in our 'Online libraries' – please let us know how you get on! We look forward to seeing lots of quizzing taking place for children on AR!

We Recommend...



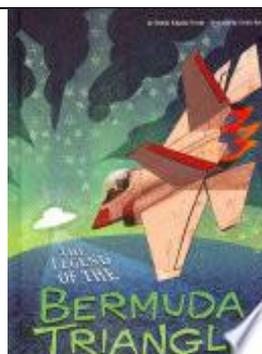
Rocky and Daisy go Camping by Melinda Crowe

This is the story of Owen and his dogs, Rocky and Daisy. It's summer and they are going camping. The book is all about their trip - and why they all end up in Mum and Dad's tent once it goes dark!

FIND THIS BOOK ON myOn L2



Recommended by
Miss Reddaway



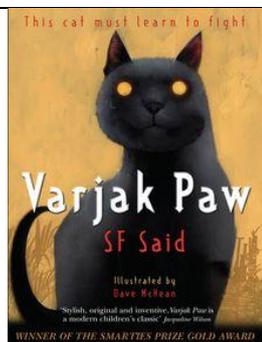
The Bermuda Triangle by Thomas Troupe

This fascinating non-fiction book is about an area in the Atlantic Ocean where planes and ships have disappeared mysteriously over the years. The book looks at all the different explanations. Could it be a time warp? Or aliens? This book is great to read and discuss.

FIND THIS BOOK ON myOn L4



Recommended by
Mr Jeffrey



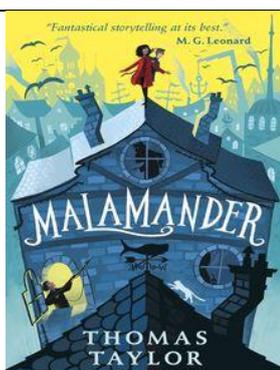
Varjak Paw by SF Said

We are reading this in our bubble and I love it. Varjak Paw is a cat who is bored by his posh life with the Contessa – he wants to explore outside and follow in the footsteps on his ancestor Jalal. I think I'm liking it because I love adventure and suspense – I can't wait to see what happens!

FIND THIS AS AN EBOOK at LIBRARIES UNLIMITED



Recommended by
Scarlett



Malamander by Thomas Taylor

I've just started reading this but I'm hooked already. I chose it because the front cover looks interesting – and Miss Leballeur told me it's great! It's about Herbert Lemon who lives in the Lost and Found cubbyhole of a hotel. He gets a visit from a girl called Violet who had been left there as a baby – and now she wants Herbert's help to find her parents. I'm really looking forward to seeing how the story ends

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Recommended by
Iona

Read, Read , Read!

Since March, we've all been brilliant at adapting to different learning styles, and keeping up with reading has been no exception. Remember, all reading is great practise – real books, online books, websites, comics, magazines and more!

Returning School Library Books

Thank you to all of you who have returned your school library books already. As books are an expensive resource it is really important for all books to be returned. There will be a box at the main school entrance every day until the end of Wednesday 8th July for children to return any books borrowed from the school, including AR books and book band readers.

Local Library Update!



Reopening News

Our local libraries will be opening up again (with a limited service) this week! Chudleigh library will be open to visit from July 6th. Others (including Teignmouth) will have a new Choose and Collect service. With this service you will telephone or email your local library and then collect your books at a prearranged time. Also – don't forget to check out their amazing online collection (see Libraries Unlimited on the previous page).

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE



This year, Silly Squad, the Summer Reading Challenge 2020, celebrates funny books, happiness and laughter. If you sign up, you will join the Silly Squad, an adventurous team of animals who love to have a laugh and get stuck in to all different kinds of funny books!

The challenge is digital, just follow this link <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>. It is free to access and features games, quizzes and digital and downloadable activities. From July, Devon libraries will be hosting lots of Silly Squad events and activities on their Facebook pages, so look out for those as well!

<http://facebook.com/teignmouthlibrary>