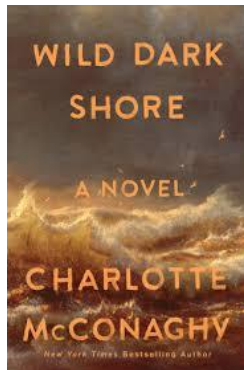
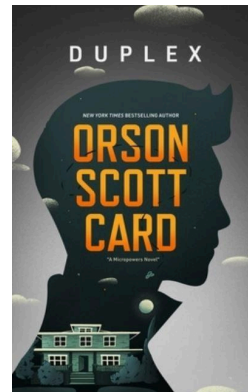


Books we are reading

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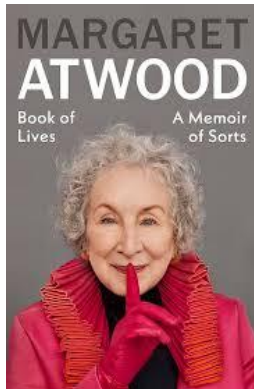


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Non-fiction



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Coming up in the library

Come and join our [Book Group on Friday lunchtime](#).

We want to have a time in our weeks where we can share book recommendations and chat about our love of reading.

Fiction or non-fiction, we don't care! Bring a drink and come and have a chat.

13:15 - 13:50 every Week B Friday.

Please email sixthlibrary@bohunt.hants.sch.uk if you would like to join.

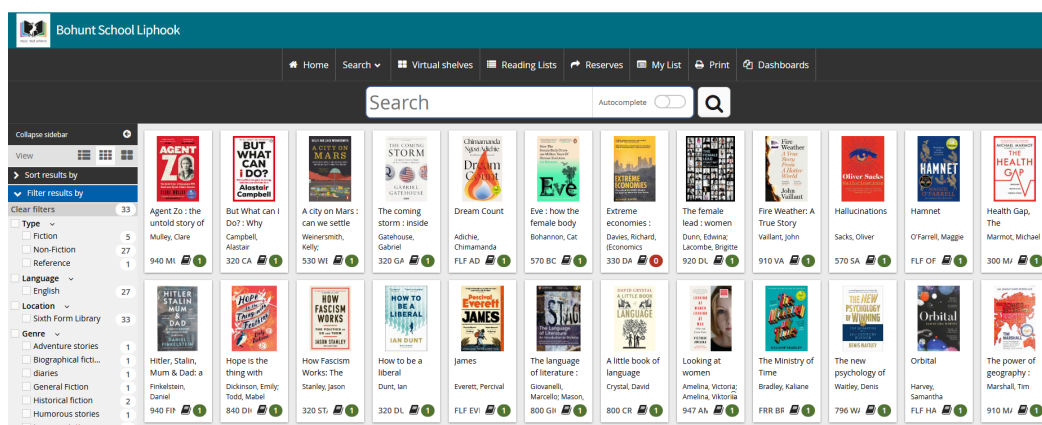
Don't forget we have a [Sixth Form Library page](#) on google classroom. To join, use code [r7fklzn](#). It has details of competitions, study skills and recommended reading.



The library has a new online catalogue (Accessit) where you can see what resources are available. You can access from the [sixth form library website](#)

- Login as a student or staff member – this way you will be able to access your loan record, create book lists and reserve books
- You will automatically be directed to the Sixth Form Library website but you can move to other pages by using the drop down list under “Dashboards”
- Use the top search bar to locate books by author, title or subject
- You can expand the search to search a curated list of websites using the “One Search” function
- Click on “Reading Lists” to access pre-defined lists so you can see at a glance relevant resources. One of these is New Books Autumn 2025 - [click here to see our new additions](#)

If you are having any issues logging in or have any questions please come and speak to a librarian.



Online access

Remember that we have access to some **online subscriptions**. Access details are below.

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Babel magazine https://babelzine.co.uk/	See Deb	
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Hampshire Libraries

You should definitely sign up for membership of Hampshire Libraries. They offer excellent online resources, all completely free of charge since you study in Hampshire. You can even now join the library online, and download the app BorrowBox to borrow up to 5 each of ebooks and audiobooks.

<https://www.hants.gov.uk/librariesandarchives/library>

By being a member of Hampshire Libraries you can also sign up for a free account with **Press Reader** which gives you access to newspapers and magazines.

Enhance Your Studies

There are a number of interesting [competitions](#) with submission deadlines over the next few months. Please take a look as there's something for everyone! As well as the prospect of winning a prize, entering competitions will look great on your personal statements and set you apart from the crowd.

[The Orwell Youth Prize](#)

The Orwell Youth Prize uses the writing of George Orwell to inspire you to write about your own ideas and experiences.

Far more than just a prize, the Orwell Youth Prize provides free feedback and online resources to support all young writers on every step of your writing journey.

Write about your world, in any form you choose, and get personalised feedback and the chance to win a cash prize and books for you and your school.

The Prize is open to anyone in years 7-13 who is at school or college in the United Kingdom.

Deadline April 2026

// "There was truth and there was untruth, and if you clung to the truth even against the whole world, you were not mad."

George Orwell, *Nineteen Eighty-Four*

What does truth mean to you?

What threats are there to truth, in this country and around the world?



[BBC Young Writers Award 2026 with Cambridge University](#)

[Radio 1's Life Hacks](#) Lauren Layfield is joined by an incredible judging panel for the 2026 BBC Young Writers' Award with Cambridge University. Entries close at 9am (GMT), Monday 23rd March 2026. If you are 14-18 and in the UK, all you need to do is write a story of up to 1,000 words – no theme, no subject: as long as it's a story and your own work, you can submit it.



[John Locke Institute Essay Competition](#)

This prestigious essay writing competition has now launched. With questions covering economics, psychology, law, history, science, theology and philosophy it is definitely worth considering. You must pre-register with a submission deadline of 31/5/26.



Fancy a trip?

[Farnham Literary Festival](#)

5th - 15th March 2026



[Farnham Literary Festival](#)

Farnham Library is excited to announce it is once again taking part in Farnham Literary Festival with our most ambitious programme so far. The Festival takes place from 5th-15th March with events at venues across Farnham. We are hosting a range of events from dance performance and creative competitions to talks for adults, young adults and families.

LGBTQ+ Stories Through Movement and Words: Matthew Bourne's New Adventures and Stephen Daly, 7th March 12-1.30pm

An original movement piece inspired by *The Red Shoes*, created and performed by LGBTQ+ adults with dance professionals from New Adventures, and followed by an author talk from Stephen Daly. Tickets: [LGBTQ+ Stories Through Movement and Words Tickets, Sat, 7 Mar 2026 at 12:00 | Eventbrite](#)

Celebrating Local Authors, 10th March 7.30-8.30pm

Come along to meet four local authors as they share their journey and their books with you. The authors taking part this year are Margot Shepherd, Damiano Polcaro, Jerry Timmins and Sally Ann Melia. Tickets: [Local Authors Showcase Tickets, Tue, Mar 10, 2026 at 7:30 PM | Eventbrite](#)

Flash Fiction: Big Stories, Small Spaces, 11th March 2.30-4pm

Celebrate the power of short fiction with readings from the award-winning Farnham Flash Fiction competition, running annually since 2017. Enjoy fast, funny and surprising stories of 500 words or fewer, meet local

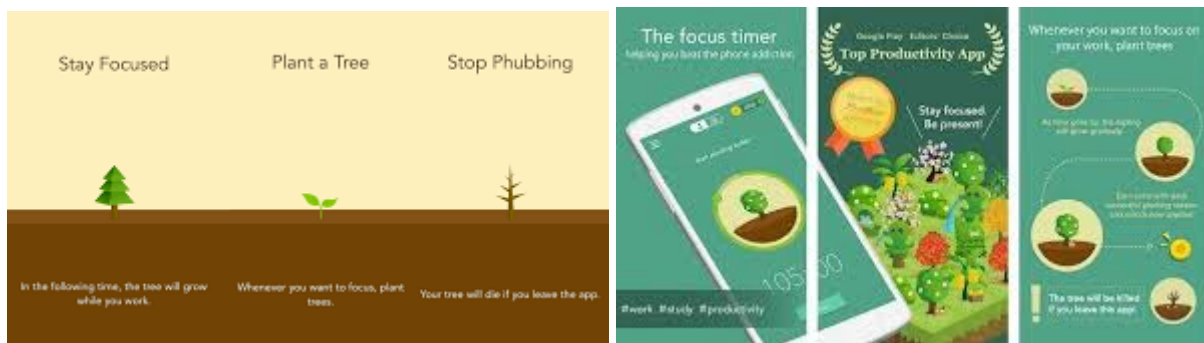
writers, and discover the joy of concise storytelling. Tickets: [Flash Fiction: Big Stories, Small Spaces Tickets, Wed, Mar 11, 2026 at 2:30 PM | Eventbrite](#)

Faeries and Fantasy: An author talk with Bex Hogan, 12th March 6.30-7.30pm

Join Bex Hogan for a magical evening of stories and secrets! Discover the inspiration behind her bestselling YA fantasy novels in an exclusive interview, followed by an audience Q&A. Tickets: [Faeries and Fantasy: An author talk with Bex Hogan Tickets, Thu, Mar 12, 2026 at 6:30 PM | Eventbrite](#)

Study tip of the month: use an app, like Forest

Sometimes it is so hard to maintain motivation. Some students find **The Forest App** really helps to keep them on track as you can see your progress, and compete with others! It can really help to combat that tendency we all have to get distracted by our devices.



Words in the news

National Year of Reading

This year has been designated the National Year of Reading. You are invited to "Go All In" in what inspires you - delve deeper into your interests by developing your reading - whether that's through books, ebooks, audiobooks or magazines. To find out more visit the [National Year of Reading](http://www.nationalyearofreading.org) website.



NATIONAL YEAR OF READING 2026

HOW MANY OF THESE ARE YOU LOOKING
AT OR LISTENING TO REGULARLY?

magazines **GRAPHIC NOVELS**
fiction books
audiobooks **non-fiction books**
EBOOKS **newspapers**

YOU MAY BE READING MORE
THAN YOU THINK



Poetry corner

Today's Forecast, by Brian Bilston

After a wet start, rain will give way
to intermittent showers, interspersed
with outbreaks of rain.

As the day progresses, rainclouds
will blow in from the west, bringing with them
the chance of rain-based precipitation
until the early evening,
when the weather will finally settle down
and it will rain constantly.

Tomorrow's outlook: rain,
with occasional intervals of rain.