

Library Newsletter

April 2024

ACHIEVEMENTS

March Top Borrowing Students

Year 7

Holly H, Hayley K, Lacey M, Michelle O, Elsie A, Ruby A, Freya B, Millie M, Ocean N, Nic P, Elijah P, Esandi R, Rubieann T, Alison V, Rae W

Year 8

Caiden O, Vinul R, Ellie MJ, Millie O, Daisy W, Macala Y, Kira I, Seb K, Elizabeth L, Hector P, Kayden T, Caitlin W

Year 9

Theo U, Methaya K, Mia B, JJ D, Ava S, Laila A, Seth C, Dexter R, Kyle S, Talitha W

Year 10 Eleni O

Year 11 Tommy A

Book Reviewers of the Month

Caitlin W, Methaya K, Holly H, Daisy W, Millie O, Michelle O, Elijah P, Ellie J, Kayden T, Hector P, Caiden O, Theo U, Eleni O and Mrs Webb

Easter Quiz Winner Nora C

Get Caught Reading

We caught a massive 71 students in March reading in school during their free time. Every student received achievement points for their efforts.

Prize draw winners this month are:

Carsten M, Mia B, Laila A, Lacey M

March Lexia Legends

Laila A, Scarlett D, Mia B, Charlotte A, Jorja P, Amelia M, Grace W, Skye B, Julia K, Nick LG, Evie T, Kieran H, Alex G, Charlie J, Bonnie MP, Morgan C, Jess L, JJ D. Elizabeth L, Alisa KR, Michal M, Daniel C, Shaun W, Oliver M, Hannah L, Jake D, Macala Y, Moli C, Alfie G, Leon J, Luke A, Alfie P, Noah C, Ruby P, Grace A, Isabella F, Ade A, Valentino C, George A

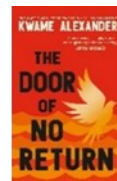
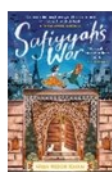
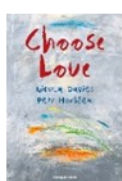
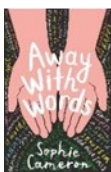
Lexia Streaks of the Month

Leon J, Noah C, Evie T, Neo N, Shaun W, Nick LG, JJ D, Mia B, Jonny M, Anton A, Luke A

CARNEGIE SHADOWING BOOK GROUP



Meet some of the VISTA Academy YOTO Carnegie Shadowing group. We currently have 28 students and 5 staff signed up to take part. The group are working their way through 8 shortlisted books (see below) and along the way they are reviewing and discussing the books during our Tuesday break time sessions. In June the group will choose their overall winner and will take part in a celebration awards ceremony to see the Judge's winner.



The group will also be virtually meeting the shortlisted Author Nicola Davies of 'Choose Love'. They will have the opportunity to ask her questions.

For all the information about the awards go to www.yotocarnegies.co.uk

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Features to support **digital literacy outcomes**

eBooks & Audiobooks



Built in dictionary enables students to become more independent readers



Highlights and notes features for study support



Word Search feature shows results throughout the book



Students can increase font size to aid reading

You can access them the following ways:

1. Via the eplatform app (see infographic to the left)
2. Click on the link below
<https://vista.eplatform.co/account/logon>

3. Click on the QR code



4. Access the catalogue via our Library webpage see instructions below

For more information, contact to Mrs Burley.

HOW TO SEARCH FOR RESOURCES IN YOUR SCHOOL LIBRARY

Check out the VISTA Library Webpage

Did you know you can access our library catalogue from your computer, tablet or phone?

You can access it by typing in your web browser:

uk.accessit.online/ltt03/#!dashboard

Or going to the [VISTA Academy Littleport website/Student Life/Vista Library](#)

You will be able to explore the book catalogue, find out what new books we have in, what books have been recently read, search for resources to help with homework, reserve books and write a book review.

You can also look up your account to see what you have borrowed and when they are due for return.

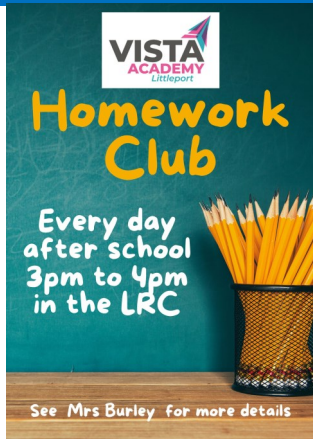


You can log in by using the same Username and password you use for logging onto your school computer.

To keep up to date with everything we are doing in the VISTA Library follow us on

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CLUBS & NOTICES

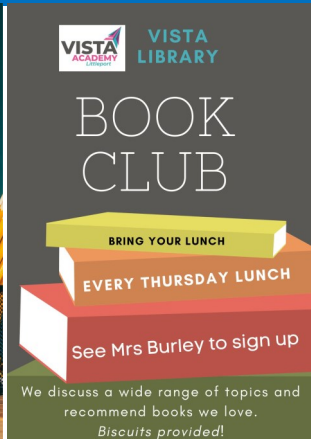


VISTA ACADEMY Littleport

Homework Club

Every day after school
3pm to 4pm
in the LRC

See Mrs Burley for more details



VISTA ACADEMY VISTA LIBRARY

BOOK CLUB

BRING YOUR LUNCH
EVERY THURSDAY LUNCH

See Mrs Burley to sign up

We discuss a wide range of topics and recommend books we love.
Biscuits provided!



VISTA ACADEMY

BOARD GAMES CLUB

EVERY FRIDAY LUNCH
IN THE LRC

SEE MRS BURLEY FOR MORE DETAILS



WANTED!

YOUR LIBRARY NEEDS YOU!

Visit the library for more details and an application form.

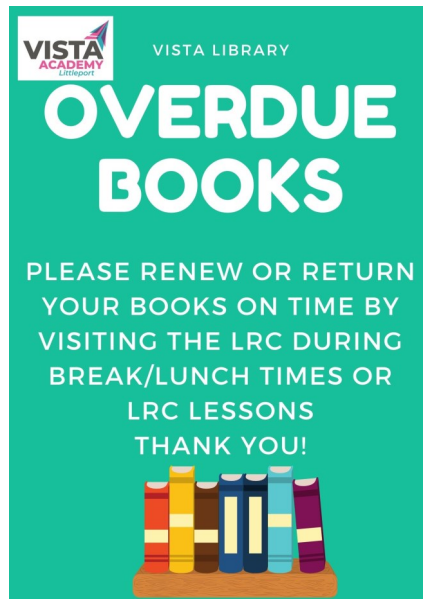
Have you got what it takes?

Are you...

- Friendly, cheerful, reliable and polite?
- Energetic, enthusiastic and full of ideas?
- Keen to help other pupils and staff?
- A good team worker?
- Calm under pressure?

We need **YOU** to play an exciting and important role in the day-to-day running of your school library.

Pupil library assistants work at break and lunchtime in the library and work closely with the library staff and other pupil assistants. Full training will be given.



VISTA ACADEMY VISTA LIBRARY

OVERDUE BOOKS

PLEASE RENEW OR RETURN YOUR BOOKS ON TIME BY VISITING THE LRC DURING BREAK/LUNCH TIMES OR LRC LESSONS

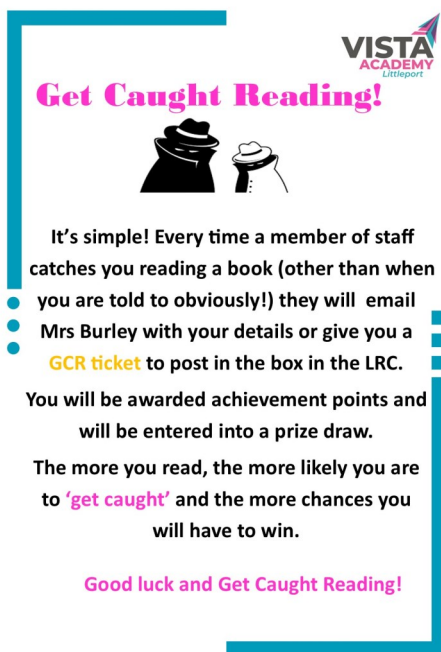
THANK YOU!

APRIL AWARENESS

DATES

- 1st- Easter Monday
- 1st—April Fools Day
- 2nd—World Autism Awareness Day
- 2nd—Children’s Book Day
- 9th —Eid al-Far
- 10th— Siblings Day
- 11th—National Pet Day
- 13th— National Scrabble Day
- 17th— International Haiku Poetry Day
- 18th– World Heritage Day
- 22nd— Earth Day
- 22nd—30th Passover
- 23rd— National Shakespeare Day
- 23rd—St George’s Day
- 23rd – World Book Night
- 23rd— World Book & Copyright Day
- 25th— Penguin Day
- 29th— International Dance Day
- 30th– International Jazz Day

COMPETITIONS



VISTA ACADEMY Littleport

Get Caught Reading!

It’s simple! Every time a member of staff catches you reading a book (other than when you are told to obviously!) they will email Mrs Burley with your details or give you a **GCR ticket** to post in the box in the LRC.

You will be awarded achievement points and will be entered into a prize draw.

The more you read, the more likely you are to ‘get caught’ and the more chances you will have to win.

Good luck and Get Caught Reading!



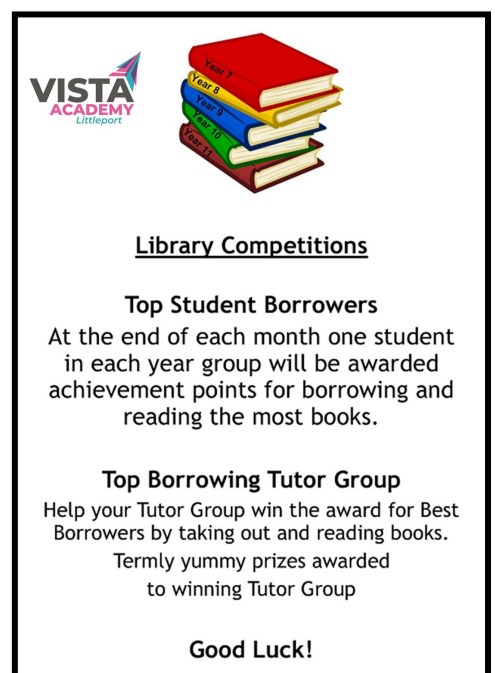
BOOK REVIEWER of the Month

Complete a Book Review after every book you read. Either type it on your school Library account or collect and complete a review sheet from Mrs Burley.

Achievement points for every great review.

An extra reward for Book review of the Month!

READ, GROW & INSPIRE!



VISTA ACADEMY Littleport

Library Competitions

Top Student Borrowers
At the end of each month one student in each year group will be awarded achievement points for borrowing and reading the most books.

Top Borrowing Tutor Group
Help your Tutor Group win the award for Best Borrowers by taking out and reading books.
Termly yummy prizes awarded to winning Tutor Group

Good Luck!

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