

July 2021

# FCC LIBRARY BOOKENDS



## WELCOME!

Hello everyone and welcome to our July edition of FCC Library Bookends Newsletter!

It's been a while since our last newsletter but there's lots of exciting news and information inside our current instalment to keep you busy during the summer holidays.

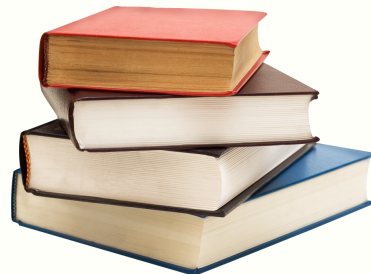
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## LIBRARY NEWS UPDATE

We are very sad to be saying goodbye to our fantastic librarian, Mrs Ikeda, and our wonderful Assistant Librarian, Mrs Randall. Mrs Ikeda is moving to another school closer to home to be their Library Manager. I'm certain the students will find her amazing knowledge and experience invaluable in their studies! Mrs Randall is retiring, although I'm sure her grandchildren will be keeping her busy!

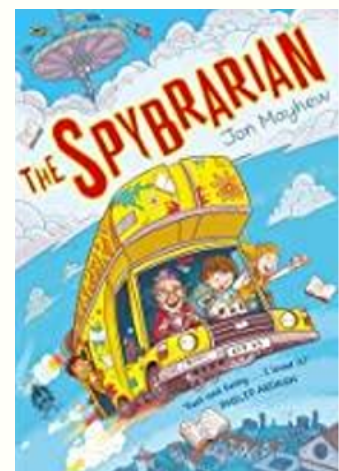
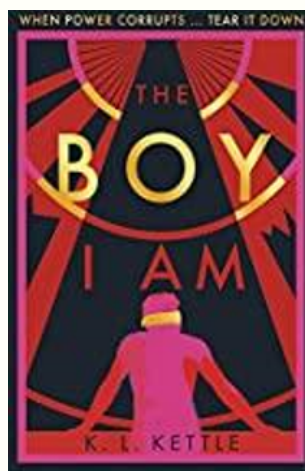
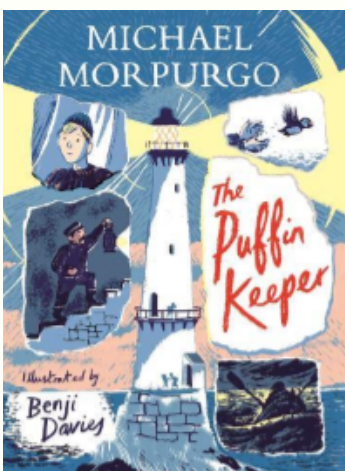
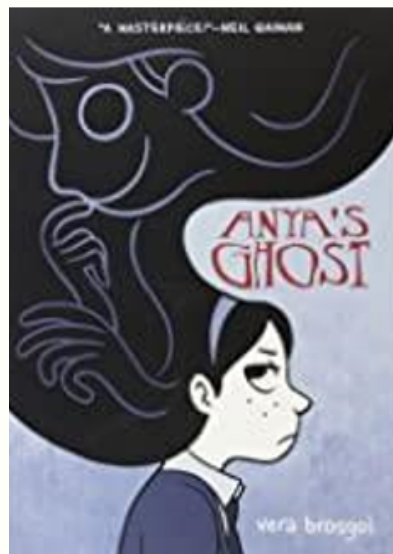
Both will be greatly missed by staff and students at FCC but we wish them both well for the future.



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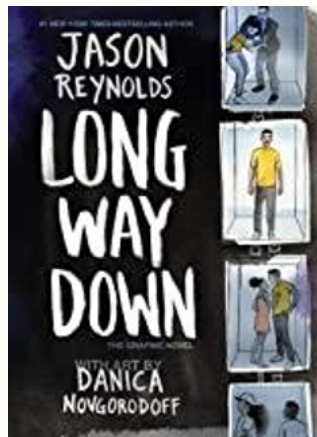
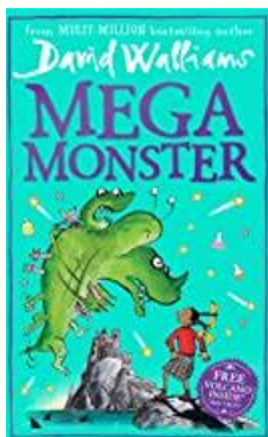
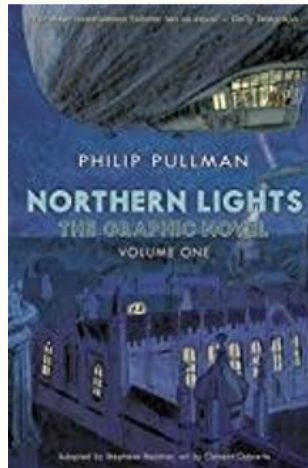
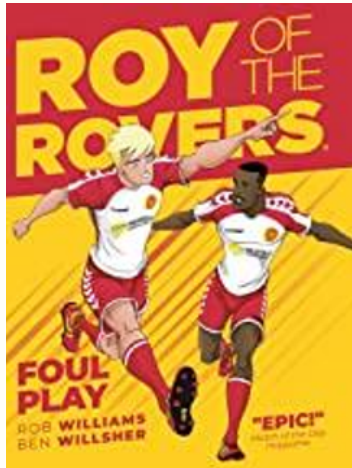
The library has been open for all students to borrow and return books via various methods this term. We hope that we will be able to welcome all year groups back to the physical library in September but this will be confirmed when we return.

Here are some of the latest additions to our catalogue, including some fantastic new Manga and graphic novels.



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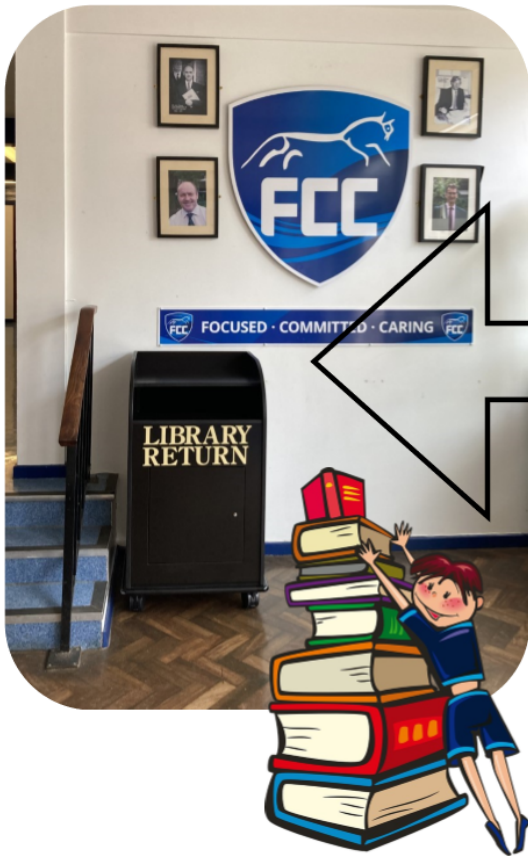
Even more amazing books to borrow (check out additional books via Oliver)!



# LIBRARY NEWS UPDATE

Please check out our Oliver catalogue by clicking on the link below. This will take you to our Home page. From there you can search for any of our books by title, author, genre, subject or series. **There is no need to log in.**

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## **ATTENTION STUDENTS WITH OVERDUE LIBRARY BOOKS**

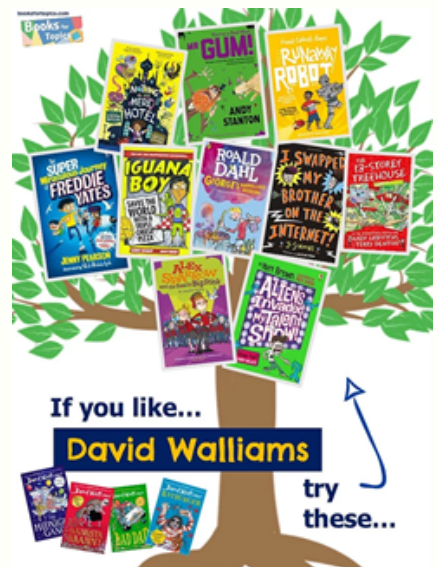
All students are now able to drop  
Library books into our

## **NEW LIBRARY BOOK RETURN BOX**

Located in the  
**FOYER OUTSIDE THE MAIN HALL**



# Branching Out



For more information on these and other fantastic reads, check out

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# DINGBATS

Thank you for all of your fantastic entries to the Dingbats Quiz.

Prizes will be awarded next term.

Here are the answers for those of you who may have struggled to work them all out.

1.	HCATAT	The Cat In The Hat – Dr Seuss
2.		Aliens Love Underpants - Claire Freedman and Ben Cort
3.	84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84	1984 – George Orwell
4.		Northern Lights – Philip Pullman
5.	Bellatrix Le Strange Mildred Hubble Morgan Le Fey Winnie Tiffany Aching Baba Yaga	The Witches – Roald Dahl
6.		Lord of The Flies – William Golding
7.	WAONLDEIRLCANED	Alice in Wonderland – Lewis Carroll
8.	d	Heidi - Johanna Spyri
9.		The Color Purple – Alice Walker
10.	OUR STRAS 	The Fault In Our Stars



# Accelerated Reader

Congratulations to the following students for their achievements!

**AR STARS THIS TERM**



**Evelyn**  
7AK

**Isla**  
7AMD

**Hanna**  
7SDI

**Dario**  
7AL

**Sharnee**  
7KSM

**Ronni**  
7GH

**AR STARS THIS TERM**



**Ruben**  
7KSM

**William**  
7AL

**Ben**  
7JC

**Callum**  
7JC

**Marcus**  
7PR

# Accelerated Reader



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Accelerated Reader

Word Millionaires

CHARLOTTE 7JC	LEWIS 7GH	WILLIAM 7JC
RUBEN 7KMS	NIAMH 7SDi	LILY 7RJA

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

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The certificate features a blue background with a white rounded rectangle in the center. The title 'Word Millionaires' is underlined in green. Six blue stars are arranged in two rows of three, each containing a student's name and grade. The word 'CONGRATULATIONS!' is written in red at the bottom of the white area. The Renaissance Learning logo is at the bottom left, and the Accelerated Reader logo is at the top right. Colorful starburst graphics are in the top left and bottom right corners.

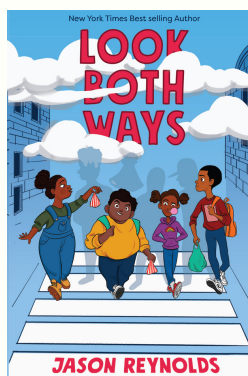
# CARNEGIE SHADOWING

On Wednesday 7th July, we held our Carnegie Shadowing Celebration Party in the library. This year, our Shadowers consisted of 14 fantastic year 7 students who each read a selection of the 8 Carnegie shortlisted books then voted for their favourite. We had 2 equal favourites: *Run, Rebel* by Manjeet Mann, and *On Midnight Beach* by Marie-Louise Fitzpatrick. The official national Shadowers' choice was *Run, Rebel*. We also celebrated the Carnegie Medal 2021 winner, Jason Reynolds for his book *Look Both Ways*.

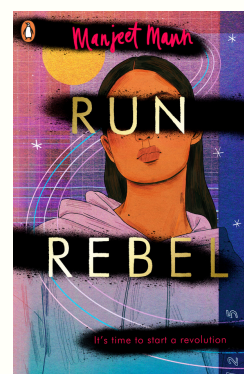
The students watched a recorded interview with both winners, where they each explained their inspirations for their stories and answered questions from a student panel. Each Shadower received a magazine containing all of the FCC book reviews, a certificate of participation, and a new book. We then enjoyed lots of party food.

In addition, we awarded some special certificates in recognition for some of the reviews. Star Review: Ellie 7GH, Best Review of the Winning Title: Charlie 7SDI, Best Review of Shadowers' Choice Winning Title: Charlie 7SDI, Most Informative Review: Quinnie 7KSM.

Extra copies of our FCC Carnegie Shadowers' review magazine are available from the library. Well done to all our Shadowers!



The CILIP Carnegie & Kate Greenaway Children's Book Awards



# HAPPY SUMMER HOLIDAYS!

