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THE LIBRARY MONTHLY

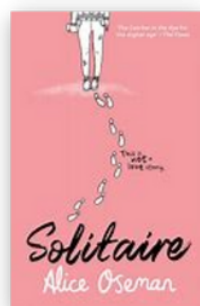
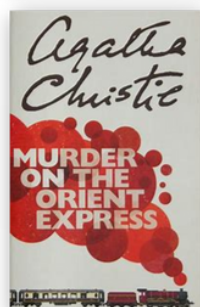
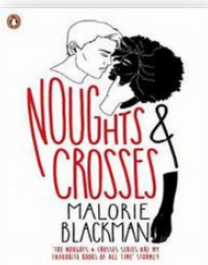
World Book Week

This year we are celebrating World Book Day all week long from Monday 27th Feb to Friday 3rd March with fun reading related activities across the school including tutor time quizzes and a character name quiz in the library. You have all been emailed your digital World Book Day voucher which allows you to purchase one of the special WBD £1 books for free from a local supermarket or bookshop. This is valid until the **26th March** so don't forget to go and choose your book!

Don't forget.....! Sign up for the Library Reading Challenge. Set yourself a target, pick up a bookmark from the library and get reading. There will be prizes and rewards for the books you read and recommendations you give!

Phenomenally Female

With International Women's Day celebrated this month why not pick up a book by one of these inspirational female authors. **Malorie Blackman** has written over 60 books for children and young people most notably her dystopian series Noughts and Crosses. Before being published she received 82 letters of rejection but her determination won out and she was later appointed The Children's Laureate, celebrating her outstanding achievement in children's writing. Detective crime writer **Dame Agatha Christie** is recognised by Guinness World Records as the best-selling fiction writer of all time, with her novels having sold more than two billion copies around the world. Famed for creating the fictional detectives Hercule Poirot and Miss Marple, she also wrote The Mousetrap, which has been running in the West End since 1952. **Alice Oseman** is an award-winning author, illustrator, and screenwriter who has written four YA contemporary novels about teenage disasters. She is the creator of LGBTQ+ YA romance webcomic Heartstopper and the writer, creator, and executive producer for the television adaptation on Netflix. Alice's first novel Solitaire was published when she was just nineteen. Find these authors and more on display in the library.



Dates to note this month:

WORLD
BOOK
DAY
2 MARCH 2023

World Book Day
2nd March

International Women's Day
8th March

Red Nose Day
17th March

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Mother's Day
19th March

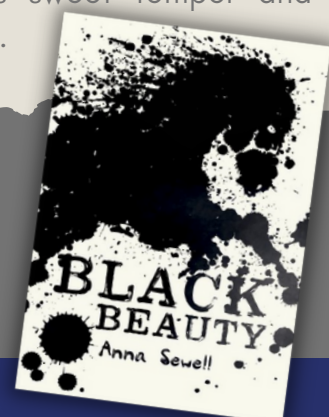
Shakespeare Week
20th March



Book of the Month

Black Beauty by Anna Sewell

From his simple beginnings under the shady trees in the meadow, Black Beauty's life takes many twists and turns from a riding horse on a country estate to a cab horse on the busy streets of London. Follow his journey and see how throughout it all he keeps his sweet temper and fine spirit.



The library is open at break, lunch and after school until 4:30pm Mon - Thurs, 4pm on Friday