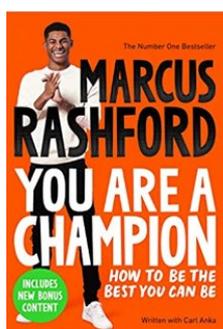


# Library Newsletter June '22



## New non-fiction in the library:

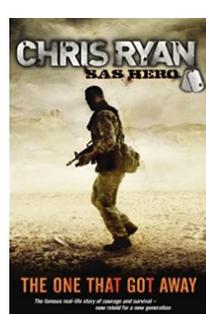
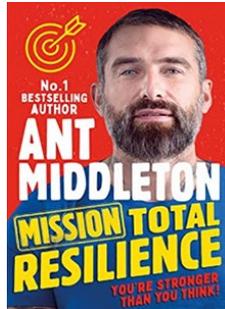


“It’s hard to know what’s possible until you start. You have to be able to dream big and be prepared to work towards your dreams. I’ve achieved a lot so far, but it didn’t come in one go; big things rarely happen overnight, and good things rarely happen as if by magic ...”

Packed full of stories from Marcus’s own life, brilliant advice and top-tips from performance psychologist Katie Warriner, you’ll discover how to:  
Find your team—build your confidence—navigate adversity—dream big—use your voice—be comfortable with who you are—and never stop learning.

“You might have see me on the TV, jumping out of helicopters and travelling through the wildest, most extreme places on the planet. But I wasn’t born brave. I was a shy kid who sometimes felt overwhelmed by life. Over the years I’ve learned some awesome skills that helped me handle whatever the world chucks at me. And I want to share them with you!”

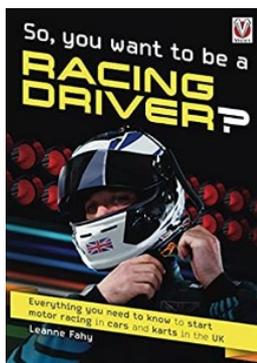
Your mission, if you choose to accept it, is to learn how to become super resilient.



“It was a tough decision. My last friend had disappeared ... I checked my compass and started walking north. Alone.”

During the Gulf War in 1991, Chris Ryan became separated from the other members of the SAS patrol, Bravo Two Zero. Alone, he beat off an Iraqi attack and set out for Syria. Over the next seven days he walked almost 200 miles, his life constantly in danger. Of the eight SAS members involved in this famous mission only one escaped capture. This is his story ...

“Let’s dispel the myth that becoming a racing driver is an unobtainable dream ...”  
Although not cheap, it is probably a lot more accessible than you think. This informative book guides the reader through the early processes of becoming a racing driver, from karting through to car racing. It covers everything from basic equipment to how to make the most of track time, utilise instruction, and use professional race simulator centres. You will also learn how to deal with motorsport press, and how to use social media to your advantage.



## League tables:

### Top English Groups

(highest % of students borrowing books)

#### Year 7

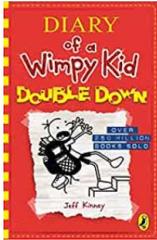
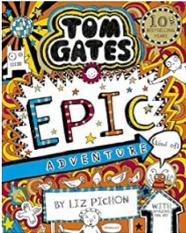
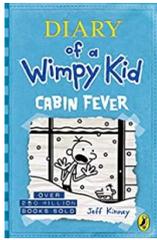
- 1) 7BEA 79%
- 2) 7MYA 59%
- 2) 7LHB 39%

#### Year 8

- 1) 8BLA 71%

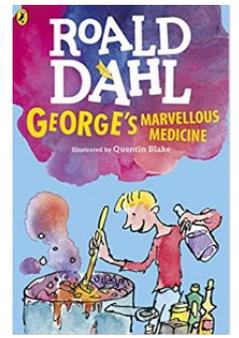
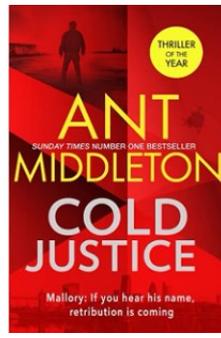
All other library lessons cancelled due to exams

### Most Popular Library Books

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| <p>1) </p> | <p>2) </p> |
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| <p>5) </p> | <p>6) </p> |

## Talking to:

### Mr Lowdon



Q) What book are you reading?

'Cold Justice' by Ant Middleton

(Middleton's debut thriller is described by Waterstones as 'so real it hurts'.)

For me this is a way of relaxing—I can get lost in Ant Middleton's world of espionage.

Q) When you were a child, who was your favourite author?

Roald Dahl.

Q) What is the one book you think everyone should read and why?

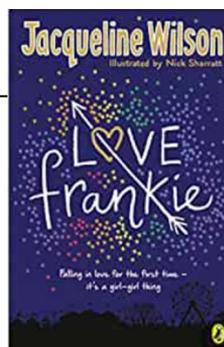
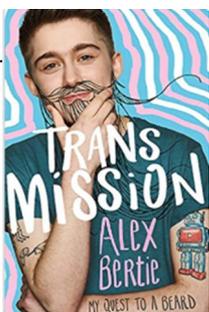
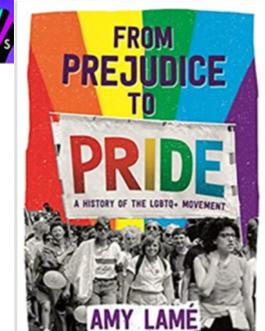
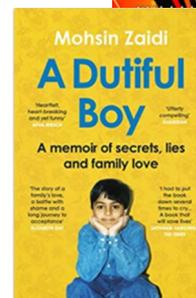
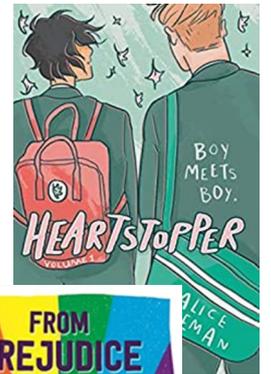
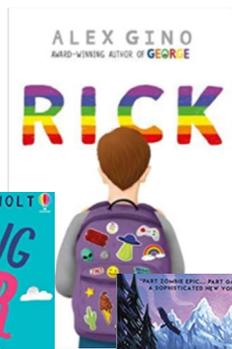
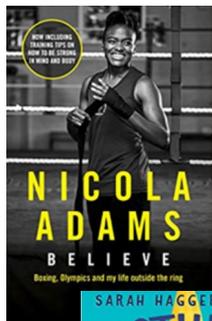
'George's Marvellous Medicine' by Roald Dahl

This book plays into everyone's imagination, creating all kinds of potions to deal with anything and anyone!

Q) What advice do you have for students?

Take advantage of all opportunities that come your way, never let one slip away.

## Focus: LGBT+ books



## Coming Soon!

Dystopian Fiction Event

Uno tournament