



May 2023 Reading news fit for a King!

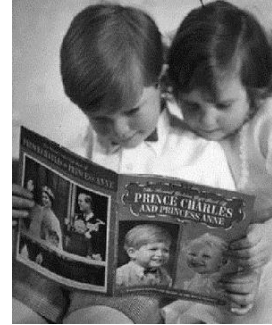
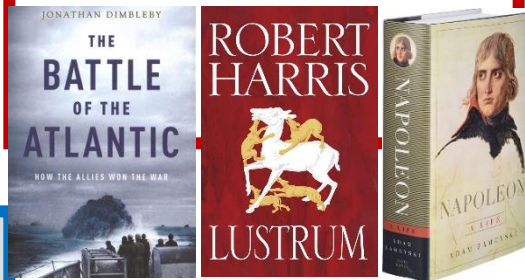
What's YA and NA Fiction?

In libraries and bookshops everywhere, you will hear about 'YA (Young Adult) Fiction'. This is a genre of books that are written to appeal to young people aged between 12 – 18 and will often cover the issues that affect them the most: school-life, relationships, identity, romance, diversity, and responsibility.

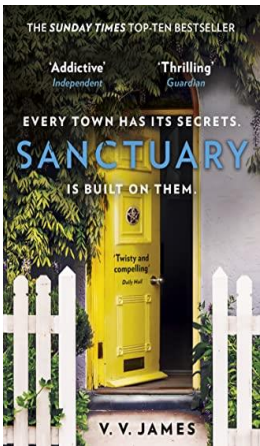
NA Fiction is an emerging genre for **New Adults** (aged 18 – 29) which aims to introduce other issues such as leaving home, starting work, independence, loss and more intimate relationships. Books by the author Colleen Hoover would be a good example. A genre to keep an eye out for in the future.

King Charles III is an avid reader who also writes books himself (usually about nature, sustainability and architecture). Now a grandfather, the King enjoys reading children's books like the *Harry Potter* series with his grandchildren. A history lover, the King's favourite books include:

The Battle Of The Atlantic by Jonathan Dimbleby
Lustrum by Robert Harris
Napoleon by Adam Zamoyski.



The King and his sister reading, 70 years ago!



Y10/11 and DofE Book Club have recently read...

Sanctuary

by VV James

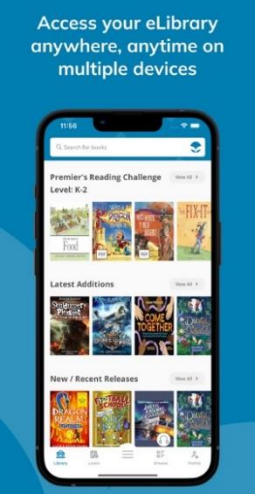
The American town of *Sanctuary* has been shaken to the core by the murder of Dan, a popular high school student.

Local gossip is rife as secrets are discovered, friends and neighbours turn against each other, then spells and witchcraft are thrown into the chaos! Who killed Dan? Why, how, and were the dark arts involved?

Copies in the library for older readers.

If you are a Y10 or 11 student and would like to join the club, just let Miss Derbyshire or Mrs Waldron (D of E) know.

Using tech for reading convenience and choice



All year 7 and 8 students have had the chance to try the JF online library. They've learnt how to find books, ebooks and audiobooks, change background colours (particularly useful for our dyslexic students), font style and size.

A link to the library can be found on the student hub. Emails have also been sent to all students with both a link and instruction video. Pop into the library if you need more help.

