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Book Reviews!

I recommend this book as it is very interesting. It is about realising who you are, the start of a budding romance and the daily struggle of a teenage girl—Year 8 This is an amazing book with a great storyline and so many plot twists - one of the best fantasy books I have read!! -Year 9

> Not too great, had a good plot sometimes but the writing wasn't great and some plot points were just a bit odd. - Year 7

Write and submit your own reviews on Oliver. Maybe you loved the book, or maybe you didn't—all opinions are good opinions! Just because a book has had a less favourable review doesn't mean that it's not worth trying. Everyone likes different things!

Reading for pleasure

Skylarks

KAREN GREGORY

Research has shown that reading for pleasure has many benefits:

- ⇒ Regularly reading stories or novels outside of school is associated with higher scores in reading assessments
- ⇒ Evidence suggests that reading for pleasure is an activity that has emotional and social advantages
- ⇒ Other benefits to reading for pleasure include: text comprehension and grammar, positive reading attitudes, pleasure in reading in later life, increased general knowledge

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INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP DAY

30th July is the International Day of Friendship. It was started in 2011 by the UN General Assembly with the idea that friendship between peoples, countries, cultures and individuals can inspire peace efforts and build bridges between communities.

The resolution places emphasis on involving young people, as future leaders, in community activities that include different cultures and promote international understanding and respect for diversity.

There are lots of books in the library that celebrate diversity and inclusion—have a look at the Diversity reading list on Oliver.

"One benefit of Summer was that each day we had more light to read by." -Jeannette Walls

BEST BORROWERS

This year's best borrowers will be announced during assembly...

Best class for the year is 7A with 1572 loans!



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HOLIDAY DESTINATIONS

If you are travelling during the summer holidays have a look at Dewey 914-915 in the non-fiction section for books about different countries, including:

- *The Art of Travel*—Alain de Botton
- Fodor's Essential Germany
- Bali & Lombok—Eyewitness Travel
- Spain: Barcelona—Spiral Guide series
- *The Dark Tourist*—Dom Joly
- *Philippines*—Lonely Planet
- *Iceland*—Globetrotter



WHEELERS EPLATFORM

Don't forget that you can download ebooks from the Wheelers ePlatorm for yourself or any family members. There are lots of books that siblings at home might enjoy!

https://cchslibrary.eplatform.co/

Your username and password will be the same as you use for Oliver: normal computer username, and password is <u>student</u>

27th August: World Rock, Paper, Scissors Day!

SUBJECT FOCUS: OLYMPIC GAMES

The 2024 Olympic Games will start on 26th July, in Paris. Olympics books are under Dewey 796.48

- The 2012 London Olympics-Nick Hunter
- *Beijing, Olympic Games* 2008–Melanie Guile
- Born out of Wenlock—Catherine Beale
- Flaming Olympics—Michael Coleman
- The History of the Olympic Games: faster, higher, stronger
- How to watch the Olympics—David Goldblatt



COMPETITION

LOGIC SEQUENCE

The lower row of shapes, which is hidden, is in a different sequence than the top row. The hidden row does, however, conform to the following rules:

- Neither the cross nor the circle is next to the hexagon.
- Neither the cross nor the circle is next to the triangle.
- Neither the circle nor the hexagon is next to the square.
- The triangle is just to the right of the square.

Can you work out the hidden sequence?

Please email answers to <u>library@cchs.co.uk</u> by 4pm on Friday 12th July.

A winner will be chosen at random to win a fantastic prize! Good luck!

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