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Dear parent/carer,

At Little Ilford School, we are keen to support our students and families with ideas and resources to encourage reading during Lockdown. Please find below **Top ten resources to support reading for pleasure at home.**

1. At Little Ilford School we have eBooks and audiobooks available on Library ePlatform. These books can be read on any device. You can access it via this link: <https://littleilford.eplatform.co/>. To login in, for Years 8-11, use your first name & last name (e.g. John Smith = john.smith) to log in and the password is lis1 (change this once you have logged in successfully). For Year 7, use your school login but your password is Library (e.g Username shaha806.316. Password - Library (change this once you have logged in successfully)
2. You can join your local library online. Please [click here to sign up](#). This will give you access to a collection of eBooks and audio books.
3. Audible is offering free access to some of their audio books. You can [access it here](#). Some suggestions : [The Lurking Fear & other stories](#) / [All Eyes on Us](#) / [Les Miserables](#) /
4. Authorfy has interactive resources, videos and activities to support children's reading and writing <https://authorfy.com/about/>. These 10 minute videos with challenges by acclaimed children's authors are brilliant <https://authorfy.com/10minutechallenges/>, as are these Masterclasses (you can filter by age): <https://authorfy.com/masterclasses/>
5. The World Book Day site has an 'Author and Illustrator Academy' with videos, resources and book extracts for all ages and stages. <https://www.worldbookday.com/online-masterclasses/>
6. The World Book Day site has also just started a 'Book Ideas Hub' with links and resources to encourage children (of all ages) to read, write and draw for pleasure.

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<https://www.worldbookday.com/2020/03/book-ideas-hub-brilliant-stay-at-home-ideas-free-resources/>

7. The Book of Hopes is a free eBook with short stories, poems & drawings is the perfect tonic during a time of crisis; it is great for KS3. <https://literacytrust.org.uk/family-zone/9-12/book-hopes/>.
8. Enjoy some [Classical Tales](#) or explore many [Myths & Legends](#)
9. [Original books from the British Library](#) - including the Lindisfane Gospels, Leonardo da Vinci's notebook, Mozart's musical diary, Jane Austen's early work in her own hand and the first atlas of Europe
10. You can use the [Education Endowment Foundation's 7 Top tips](#) to support Reading at home.

Yours faithfully

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