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Read: This article about the Man Booker Prize 2018



Watch: <u>This video</u> to discover which books have been listed for the award and get some recommendations for which to read!



Do: Visit the <u>John Rylands Library</u> which, apart from being a beautiful example of Neo-Gothic architecture, has over 400,000 books for you to choose from!

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Read What does Great Britain need to do to reduce carbon dioxide emissions? Do you think fracking should have been given the go ahead last week?



Watch to find out how children in Iceland are helping to protect the endangered puffin.



Do The Manchester Science Festival runs from Thursday 18/10/18- Sunday 28/10/18. Why not plan a visit? RS

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<u>Read</u> this article from BBC News about the 40% surge in religious hate crimes in England and Wales in the past year.



Watch this episode of *Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild* which follows Julien who gave up his life in Canada to become a Buddhist monk and live in remote Thailand.

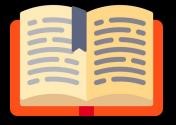


Do book yourself on to one of the Heritage Walks around the Jewish Quarter of Manchester looking at the history of Manchester's Jewish community.



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Read about the Splendid Theatre company



<u>Watch</u> trailers from some of their most recent productions



Do - see if you can go and watch some live theatre in the half term holidays Try the Palace Theatre, Opera House or Lowry theatres in Manchester. MFL

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<u>Read</u> this article about the Tsunami in Indonesia, particularly useful if you do Geography as well!



Watch this video about German music, you might find your next favourite artist - there are LOTS mentioned!



Do go to the Imperial War Museum and visit Chava Rosenzweig's exhibition which describes how the Holocaust has shaped people's identities.