

Key information

We are open:

- **Mon, Wed, Thur:** 8am— 4pm
- **Tue:** 8am—3pm
- **Fri:** 8am-3.30pm

You can borrow:

- **Pre-School:** One book, for one week
- **Kindergarten-Grade 5:** Two books, for a one week
- **MS Students:** Up to six items, for two weeks
- **Parents:** Up to six items, for two weeks
- **HS students:** Up to twelve items, for four weeks



Our librarian Josie Crimp looks forward to meeting you.

Some Handy Library Hints

Fiction (story books)

These are organised alphabetically according to the author's last name.



Non-fiction (information books)

These are classified by number (by the Dewey system) so that all books on one subject are grouped together. Please ask library staff if you want help finding information on a particular topic.



Online Resources

We also subscribe to several online resources, so students can easily get reliable information online. If you or you child would like information on accessing these, they can check the library page on isa247, or speak to library staff. Our online resources cover a range for ES, MS and HS students, and include [Brain Pop](#), [World Book Online](#) and [EBSCO](#).



Welcome to ISA Library!



Great books, reliable information, reading ideas and more.

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Elementary children in the library

All Elementary School classes have a scheduled library class each week. These classes enable them to develop their research skills and explore a wide variety of books.



All children in Elementary school need to have a library bag to take books home in. If your child doesn't have one yet, you can buy one in the library for £3.50.

Your Elementary School child is welcome to come into the library with you after school, but you have to stay with them and supervise them the whole time.

A Quick Guide to the Library

The ISA Library is organized into three sections.

- ◆ The lower level is mainly for our youngest readers, Preschool to Grade 2
- ◆ The mid level is aimed at Grade 3-6
- ◆ The upstairs level is aimed at Grade 6-12 and adult readers

We have;

- Board books for babies and toddlers
- A great range of picturebooks
- Children's, teen and adult novels
- Books and magazines for information
- Books in different languages
- Audio CDs and DVDs
- Books to help EAL children develop their English
- A professional collection for teachers
- Storysacks, puppets and big books
- A range of online resources for research



MS/HS students in the library

MS students will visit the library with their Language Arts teacher every two weeks to choose new books. HS students are expected to visit the library in their own time to choose books to borrow. MS and HS students are welcome to use the library on their own after school.

The librarian, Ms Crimp, will come into MS and HS classrooms to teach research skills and strategies. The library can also arrange for students in Grades 11 and 12 to get access to the libraries at our local universities.

Parents can use the library too!

Parents are very welcome to use the library and borrow books—either extra books for your children, or for your own personal reading. It's a great way to model a good reading habit to your children.

You're welcome to come into the library whenever we're open, except when we have a class present. There's a timetable at the library entrance so you can check when is a good time to come.