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Brand New Books for June

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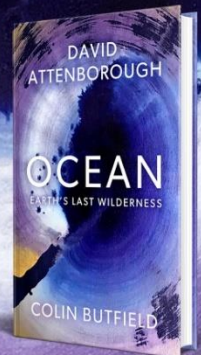
In 2008, the United Nations designated **8th June** as [World Oceans Day](https://www.un.org/en/observances/world-oceans-day), a day to celebrate the vital importance of our oceans and to raise awareness of our need to protect their resources for future generations. The theme for 2025 is *Wonder*.

A new book by David Attenborough & Colin Butfield has been published to coincide with World Oceans Day and we have been lucky enough to secure one of the copies gifted to schools by The Reading Agency for our Learning Resource Centre.

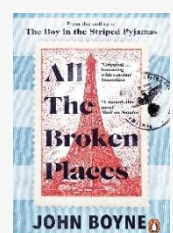
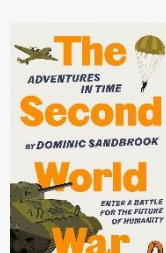
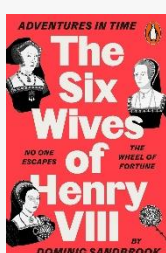
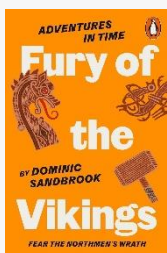
"A lifetime of discovery. A century in the making, *Ocean* is the landmark publication by the greatest natural history broadcaster of our times on how to save the ocean - and consequently our planet. It is a book almost a century in the making, but one that has never been more urgently needed."

'I have been fortunate enough to live for nearly a hundred years. During this time we have discovered more about our ocean than in any other span of human history'

David Attenborough

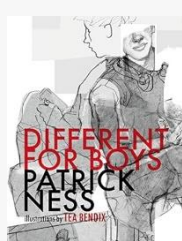
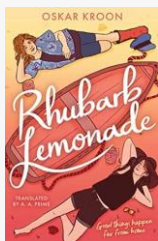


New reads for June: Among the new arrivals this term are history books in the Adventures in Time series by Dominic Sandbrook, some beautifully designed books for wellbeing from the team behind Teen Breath magazine and the long awaited follow up to *The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas* from author John Boyne. Discover these and more in the LRC.



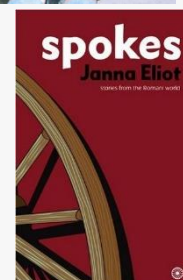
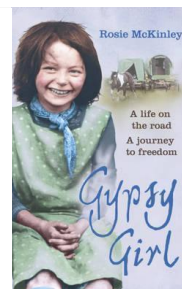
New reads for Pride Month

Pride month takes place annually in June worldwide to celebrate the LGBT community. In the UK, School Diversity Week is an annual celebration of LGBT+ equality in education and runs from 24-28 June. It is designed to make schools and colleges safer and more welcoming for pupils who are LGBT+ or who have LGBT+ families. Discover the wealth of LGBT fiction and non-fiction in the LRC representing everyone. For more information, see <https://www.justlikeus.org/>



Gypsy Roma Traveller History Month

This annual celebration helps to tackle prejudice, challenge myths surrounding the Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities, and to raise the voices of these communities in wider society. It is also used to celebrate their culture and heritage. This year's theme is Gypsy, Roma and Traveller 'Heroes' exploring what it means to be inspiring, why inspiration matters, and spotlight inspiring Romany, Roma, Irish Traveller, New Traveller, Showmen and Liveaboard Boater people. For more information, visit <https://www.gypsy-traveller.org/grthm/>



Empathy Day: 12 June

Empathy Day is an annual book-based movement to inspire young people to learn more about empathy – the ability to understand and share the feelings of another - and there is no better way to do this than to read about someone else's experiences through their stories.

Discover the Read for Empathy book list for 12-16 year olds online

<https://empathylab.uk/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/Read-for-Empathy-12-16-Guide-2025.pdf> or visit the LRC to browse the collection.



Did you know...?

...Refugee Week also takes place in June? This UK-wide arts and culture festival celebrates the contribution, creativity and resilience of refugees and people seeking sanctuary. Refugee Week 2025 will take place from **16th-22nd June** and the theme for this year is Community as Superpower. Explore the collection in the LRC.

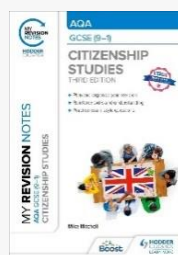


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...there are lots of revision resources on the LRC catalogue Accessit? Check the drop down menu under 'Dashboards' to find **Exam Revision UK**, a page full of links to past papers, YouTube videos to discover your learning style, and articles on how to stay on top of your mental health during the stressful exam season.

Did you know...?



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