

Training courses from **Norfolk School Library Service** Supporting literacy and learning for your school

Using eBooks to promote reading for pleasure at Key Stage 3, 4 & 5

A half day course for Literacy leaders and school Librarians in secondary schools.

Make sure your school library continues to support literacy and promote reading for pleasure, complementing and incorporating the use of eBooks in your school.

Includes free access to Norfolk SLS eBook platform for a whole term!

Course Date: Thursday 19th November, 12:45 – 15:45

Venue: The Space, Roundtree Way, Norwich, NR7 8SQ

Cost: 1 SLS Token

Course leader: Georgie Brigden

- There is a growing body of evidence which illustrates the importance of reading for pleasure for both educational purposes as well as personal development (cited in Clark and Rumbold, 2006).
- Evidence suggests that there is a positive relationship between reading frequency, reading enjoyment and attainment (Clark 2011; Clark and Douglas 2011)
- PISA reports that young people who are extensively engaged in online reading activities are generally found to be more proficient readers (OECD, 2010).

Course Objectives:

- You will be better informed on how to use electronic resources to enhance students' reading experiences
- A toolkit of digital resources & ideas will help to spark interest in even the most reluctant of readers
- Ideas for popular titles that you can add to your stock, with advice on incorporating them into your AR programme

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Curriculum: Pupils should be taught to read fluently, understand extended prose (both fiction and non-fiction) and be encouraged to read for pleasure. Schools should do everything to promote wider reading. They should provide library facilities and set ambitious expectations for reading at home **NC**, **KS4**

Course closing date: Friday 6th November

To book a place on the course please complete a booking form and return to the School Library Service via email, fax, or post. Or book through the SLA online website www.s4s.norfolk.gov.uk