



Hull Schools' Library Service Core Offer: Primary and Secondary Schools 2023-2024

Please note, services and commitments are subject to changes made at a national and local level due to COVID-19. All resources are offered on a first-come, first-served basis, and subject to availability.

Service	Description	Entitlement
Annual Book Loan	2 books per child on roll, a mixture of fiction and non-fiction.	Dependent upon pupil numbers
Stock Rotation	Rotate your annual loan selection so the children always have something new to read or to complement your creative curriculum	When required
Library set-up/revamp	Set-up of a school library/library spaces, or reinvigoration of current areas. We offer assistance when planning library spaces, giving advice regarding suitable furniture and where to purchase from.	2 days per year. Should longer be required, a librarian rate will be charged (see below)
Book Corner revamp/creation NEW!	Complete audit of all stock across all classrooms. Redistribution of books to ensure age-appropriate titles are accessible in each classroom and demonstrate progression across the school. High quality texts delivered and book areas revamped to meet OFSTED requirements.	1 day per year. Should longer be required, a librarian rate will be charged (see below)
Class Reads	Set of 30 texts	1 box per class per term
Resource Boxes	A box full of artefacts and other kinaesthetic resources to support topic-based, enquiry learning.	1 box per year group per term
Topic Book Boxes	A set of 30 texts, selected to the topics you choose	1 box per class per term
Story Sacks	Contains a favourite children's book and supporting materials (e.g. toys, puppets, games etc) to make reading meaningful and fun	1 per class per term
Science Experiment Kits	Contains enough resources for a full class to do a range of experiments, matched to popular curriculum science topics, e.g. <i>Everyday Materials</i> , <i>Changing Circuits</i> , <i>Changing Materials etc</i>	1 box per year group per term
Sensory Story Boxes	Each box contains a specially written story and carefully selected resources to use with children, helping them to understand and experience the events within the story.	1 box per year group per term
NEW! Book Club in a Bag	Everything you need to run a book club...in a bag!	When required
Storytime Sessions*	Fun and exciting storytime sessions with a trained Literacy Engagement Officer	1 per year group per year
Author Visits*	A captivating author visit to enthuse the children about reading	1 visit per year
Library Visits	Visit your local library to find out what is really on offer!	1 librarian-supported visit per class per year
Librarian Assemblies*	An assembly aimed at different key stages to show the children what is on offer at their local libraries.	1 per key stage per year



Library Skills lessons*	A training session for pupils to enable them to use the library effectively and help you keep it organised.	Every class
Staff training*	'What is Hull Schools' Library Service?'	1 session per year
	'Developing a Whole-School Reading Culture'	1 session per year
	'Creating a Classroom for Reading'	1 session per year
	'Whole Class Guided Reading'	1 session per year
	'Using images and films to develop reading comprehension'	1 session per year
	'Using music and poetry to develop reading comprehension'	1 session per year
	'Games for Building your Pupils' Vocabulary'	1 session per year
	'Super Spellers- Spelling Games'	1 session per year
	'Grammar Games'	1 session per year
NEW! Building Reading Fluency	1 session per year	
Parent Sessions*	'FS/KS1 Reading at Home'	1 session per year
	'KS2 Reading at Home'	1 session per year
Planning, advice and guidance*	School Library Award assistance	When required
	Artsmark application assistance	When required
	Advice about curriculum-linked titles	When required
	Guidance choosing your reading spines	When required
	Assistance when completing your Foyles Funding Bid	When required
	Assistance when purchasing additional stock for your school from Peters, Browns etc.	When required
	<i>We aim to be a bespoke service. If there is any planning, advice or guidance that your school requires but is not listed, please do contact us and we will do our best to help.</i>	
Exclusive access to selected Hull Libraries events*	Attendance at The Big Malarkey	June 2023
	Provision of 'James Reckitt Children's Book Award' titles, author visits and access to voting day.	January-June 2023
	Entry into our city-wide World Book Day initiative.	March 2023
Hull Central Library Visit	Bring classes to Central Library for a morning or afternoon to experience what the library <i>really</i> has to offer!	One visit per class.

*may be delivered virtually due to the impact of COVID-19.



Additional Services

For an additional (discounted) fee, SLS subscription provides you with access to the following:

Service	Description	Cost
500 books	500 books for £500	£500*
Sirsi Library Management System	Manage your library stock.	Price upon application
Librarian Hire (over the 2 days per year entitlement)	'Author of the Term' and other bespoke library displays; bespoke rotation and labelling services.	£40 per hour (to include travelling time) £240 per day (to include travelling time)

*The cost is payable on a yearly basis and schools who wish to take up this service may change their 500 books at the start of a new school year. Schools may 'opt-out' at the time of renewal. Should the subscribing school wish to terminate their subscription with Hull SLS, the books will be removed from the school, alongside any other items belonging to Hull SLS.