

# PUTNOE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Library News - Autumn term 2024

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### Autumn term...

We have had a busy term in the library! In this newsletter we will discuss what we have been up to.

from author visits, to the introduction of 'Book of the Week'. Year 1 visited Putnoe Library in November and we also held a writing competition which had over 60 entries, amazing!

Thank you for all your hard work, keep reading!



### Author visits



### B. Ware



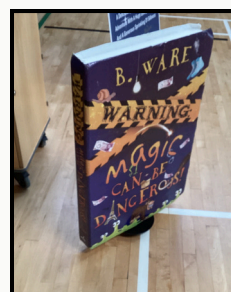
In October, we were visited by the fantastic author B. Ware.

B. Ware spoke to year 5 and 6 about her book - **WARNING! Magic Can Be Dangerous**. We had sessions in the gym where we completed activities around creative writing and also listened to B. Ware read the first 2 chapters of her book.

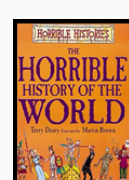
After this, we headed out to the playground for a book signing for the whole school. The year 5 and 6 children thoroughly enjoyed the day and we are looking forward to welcoming B. Ware back in the Summer Term!

### Juliet Timpson

In December, we welcomed back local author Juliet Timpson. Juliet visited year 3 and 4 to read us her new book 'Grumpy Rosetta The Princess Witch' and we enjoyed a interactive workshop. Juliet will be joining us again for her 3rd book next year!



### New books in the library



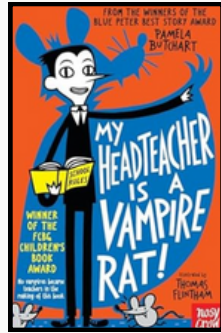
## Book of the Week

After half term, we introduced 'Book of the Week'. This gives the children the opportunity to talk about their favourite books and feature them on a display in the library.

Thank you to Zaza, Zuzanna and Setayash who recommended 'Zombierella', Mackenzie who recommended 'My Headteacher is a Vampire Rat' and Darcie and Ana who recommended 'Smile'.

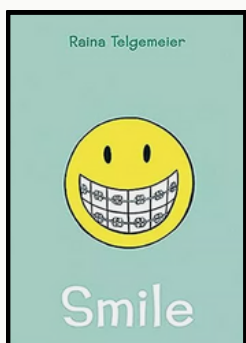
The children spoke very confidently in assembly about why they enjoyed the books and themes within the books.

If you would like to recommend a 'Book of the Week' please speak to Miss Pedley.



Find me in 'Blue C' (Fiction Chapter Books')

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Find me in the Graphic Novel section

## Year 1 trip to Putnoe Library.

In November, Year 1 visited Putnoe Library. Mondrian, Picasso and Dali had a fantastic time!

We were greeted by Coral who is the librarian of Putnoe Library, Coral showed us how to scan books out and read a story to us. Did you know... you can take out up to 20 books at Putnoe Library?

If you would like to sign up to the library please speak to Miss Pedley who can give you a sign up form.



## Writing competition

In October, Miss Pedley and Miss Giles launched a writing competition. The children focused on two poems 'The Terrible Ten' for KS1 and 'Paeon (11 Uses for a Garden Pea)' for KS2. We were so pleased to have received over 60 entries across the school! Thank you to all who participated and well done to the winners.