



# Arden Library

Written by one of this year's student librarians

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## LIBRARY INFORMATION

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## Activity for summer

Over the past week, children's author Cressida Cowell has launched creative summer camp to encourage creativity in these difficult times and to celebrate the richness of talent in the UK through poetry, art, reading and writing. The event came together on Friday where along with Cressida, Onjali Rauf and Frank Cottrell Boyce answered questions sent in by children. You can find out more at: <https://www.booktrust.org.uk/news-and-features/news/news-2020/creativity-has-never-been-more-important-childrens-laureate-cressida-cowell-launches-creative-summer-camp/>

## Library Update

Arden library can't wait to re-open this September and welcome the new year sevens coming to Arden. Hopefully many of them will become new student librarians and will help out in the library, help organize activities and competitions and be able to fully embrace the chances that the role of student librarian has to offer.

They will be mentored by the new year eight student librarians so they can enjoy being a student librarian to the fullest.

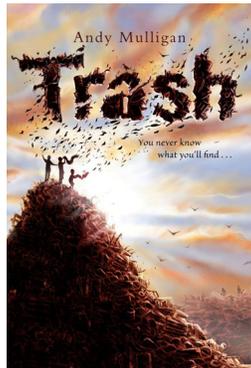
Student librarian offers many opportunities to students such as learning management and organization skills as well as gaining confidence and friendship. These are all values that Arden strongly believes in and wants to encourage in new students to help them make the most of their time at Arden and the amazing opportunities it holds.

## Book

## Recommendations

Teen (Y7,8&9) - Trash by Andy Mulligan

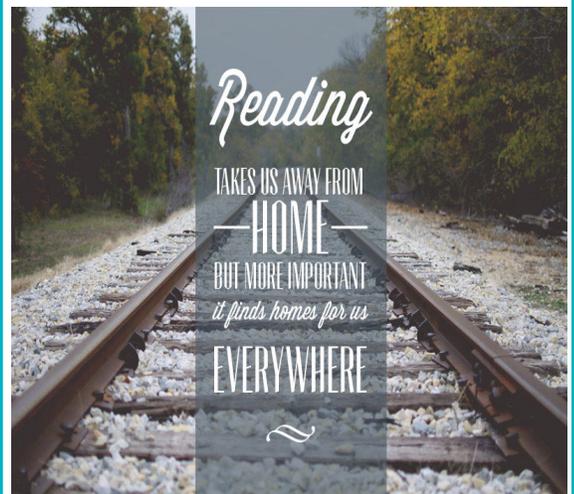
Best friends Raphael, Gardo and Rat live in the Behala dumpsite and have spent their whole lives sorting through the city's trash to survive until one day they discover a deadly secret. Now they are being hunted without mercy and need a miracle.



"I recommend this book to young teen readers who enjoy the adventure genre as this book had me absolutely gripped the whole way through. As well as it being a very exciting story, it really opens your eyes to what some people have to do to survive in poverty.



Famous fans and friends of the wizarding world have been reading the 17 chapters of the first Harry Potter book— Harry Potter and the Philosopher's stone— from their homes. Over the last few weeks, videos of stars including Daniel Radcliffe, Steven Fry, David Beckham and many others reading one chapter of the book each, have been uploaded on the wizarding world website for wizards and muggles alike. All you have to do to listen to them is to create a free wizarding world account and listen to your heart's content. Find out more by searching for "harry potter at home"



"If you don't like to read, you haven't found the right book." J K Rowling