

Default Question Block

This survey will ask you about how you feel about reading books for fun at home and at school. At school, reading by yourself for fun is called silent reading. This year, you will have a chance to read for fun at school almost every day. We want to know how you feel about this. There are no right or wrong answers. We just want to know what you think. You will not be asked for your name, so no one will know what you wrote. Please share how you really feel.

Are you a:

- Girl
- Boy
- Other

How old are you right now?

- 7
- 8
- 9
- 10
- 11
- 12
- 13
- 14
- 15
- 16
- 17
- 18

What year are you in?

- Year 4
- Year 5
- Year 6
- Year 7
- Year 8
- Year 9
- Year 10
- Year 11
- Year 12

Is English the first language you learned when you were little?

- Yes
- Not sure
- No

Do you like reading books in your free time **at home**?

- Definitely yes
- Probably yes
- Not sure
- Probably not
- Definitely not

Do you think that you are good at reading?

- Definitely yes
- Probably yes
- Not sure
- Probably not
- Definitely not

Why do you like reading books **at home**? (You can choose more than one answer)

- I like reading books
- There is nothing else to do
- I like learning new things
- I like reading hard books as it is a good challenge
- I like seeing the point of view of a character
- It makes me smarter
- It puts me in a better mood
- I like imagining things
- It makes me better at reading and writing
- Other people are reading, so I read too
- It's relaxing
- None of the above

Why don't you like reading books **at home**? (You can choose more than one answer)

- I don't have time to read
- Reading books is boring
- I would rather do other things with my free time
- I am not good at reading
- I would rather read something else (e.g. websites, magazines, graphic novels etc.)
- I can't find interesting books to read
- I can't sit still for that long
- I don't have any good books at home
- Reading gives me a headache
- Reading makes me sleepy
- I find reading hard
- I can't concentrate
- None of the above

At home, how often do you read books in your free time?

- Never
- At least once a year
- At least once a month
- At least once a week
- Every day

Do you like reading books in silent reading **at school**?

- Definitely yes
- Probably yes
- Not sure
- Probably not
- Definitely not

Why do you like reading books in silent reading **at school**? (You can choose more than one answer)

- I like reading books
- There is nothing else to do
- I like learning new things
- I like reading hard books as it is a good challenge
- I like seeing the point of view of a character
- It makes me smarter
- It puts me in a better mood
- I like imagining things
- It makes me better at reading and writing
- Other people are reading, so I read too
- It's better than working
- It's relaxing
- None of the above

Why don't you like reading books in silent reading **at school**? (You can choose more than one answer)

- The time is too short for me to enjoy my book
- Reading books is boring
- I would rather do normal class work
- I am not good at reading
- I would rather read something else (e.g. websites, magazines, graphic novels etc.)
- I can't find interesting books to read
- I can't sit still for that long
- School does not have the books I like
- Reading gives me a headache
- Reading makes me sleepy
- I find reading hard
- I can't concentrate
- None of the above

Is reading still important once you know how to read?

- Definitely yes
- Probably yes
- Not sure
- Probably not
- Definitely not

Does someone you know encourage you to read?

- Yes
- No

Who encourages you to read? **(You can choose more than one answer)**

- Mother
- Father
- Carer
- Grandparent
- Brother
- Sister
- Aunt
- Uncle
- Teacher
- Friend
- Librarian
- None of the above

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