

Reading habits survey

Thank you for agreeing to take part in this questionnaire. Please answer as honestly as you can. Tell us what you really think.

1. About you:

Boy

Girl

2. Age _____

3. Country _____

4. How much do you like reading?

Not at all

A bit

Quite a lot

Very much

5. On a scale of 1 – 10 how good a reader do you think you are? (please circle one number)

(not very good reader) 1 ___ 2 ___ 3 ___ 4 ___ 5 ___ 6 ___ 7 ___ 8 ___ 9 ___ 10 (excellent reader)

6. What do you think about reading? (Please tick one box for each statement)

Strongly agree

Agree

Neither agree nor disagree

Disagree

Strongly disagree

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
Reading is more for girls than boys	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reading is boring	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reading is hard for me	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reading is fun	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reading is important	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I can't find books that interest me	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I only read at school	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I like going to the library	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I prefer reading by myself	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

7. Which of the following do you read? (Tick as many as you like)

Websites

Newspapers

Magazines

Jokes

Non-fiction books

Fiction books

Graphic novels

Comics

Manuals/instructions

Text messages

Emails

Poetry

Plays

Song lyrics

Posters/signs

8. What types of fiction do you like reading? (Tick as many as you like)

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| Adventure | <input type="checkbox"/> | Sports-related | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Horror/ghost | <input type="checkbox"/> | Realistic teenage fiction | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Romance/relationships | <input type="checkbox"/> | War/spy-related | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Animal-related | <input type="checkbox"/> | Poetry | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Science-fiction/fantasy | <input type="checkbox"/> | I don't read fiction | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Comedy | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| Crime/detective | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

9. What types of non-fiction do you like reading? (Tick as many as you like)

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|-----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| (Auto) biographies | <input type="checkbox"/> | Music | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Encyclopaedias (fact books) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Sports | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| How to ... books | <input type="checkbox"/> | History | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Fashion | <input type="checkbox"/> | Computing/games | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Travel/maps | <input type="checkbox"/> | My hobbies/interests | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Celebrities/gossip | <input type="checkbox"/> | Manuals | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Cookbooks | <input type="checkbox"/> | I don't read non-fiction | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Science | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

10. Where do you like reading? (Please tick your favourite ones)

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| Home | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| School library | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| School lessons | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Friend's house | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Town library | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Bookclub | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Outside | <input type="checkbox"/> |

11. Which activities would you like to do to help yourself and others read more? (You may tick more than one box)

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| Reading groups with friends | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Talking about my favourite reads | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Reading games | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Helping choose stock for the library | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Writing book reviews | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Helping younger children with their reading | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Designing displays for the library | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Reading for charity | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Designing websites/magazines | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| None of these | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other, please write _____ | |

Thank you for your help.