



TARNEIT P-9 COLLEGE- LIBRARY CENTRE NEWS

The favourite place to meet, read, learn and discover

Good news -----The Library is open for students to borrow from Monday 11 February 2019.

Welcome back to all the students from 2019 and welcome to all the new students just starting.



Mrs Grieve will be in the Senior Library.



Mrs Ainsworth will be in the Junior Library.

LIBRARY HOURS for borrowing and returning

Reminder: - Both Libraries will be open Monday to Friday before school from 8.30am to 8.50am.

Both libraries will be open at recess for borrowing only.

Senior Library will be open after school from 3.15 to 4pm for borrowing and returning

Library FACTS

Some interesting Library statistics from 2018

- 2,403 borrowers
- 42,775 Items were loans/borrowed
- 23,864 Resources available to borrow
- 19,765 Different Authors
- 35,139 Different subjects



Wheeler's eBook and Audio Book Platform

LOGIN

Again we are offering students access to Audio and eBooks online. Through ePlatform, students are able to browse for, borrow and read eBooks and Audio Books anywhere, anytime and on multiple devices. ePlatform is a library lending system designed to make the borrowing and reading of eBooks and Audio books enjoyable and the setup is simple to complete.

Please use the following links to access the ePlatform database and login details.

- Prep – Year 9: <https://tarneitp-9college.wheelers.co/>
- Students will need to use their **student ID login** or student username and the password is case sensitive and is :- **Tarneit1**

There is also a free ePlatform app, which can be downloaded through the Apple store, Google Play or the Windows app store. Students will need to log in and search for the Tarneit P-9 College library and then they will be able to access all our book titles.

OVERDUE BOOKS.

All students who have not returned your books and they are deemed as overdue please see one of the Library staff to renew your loan or place the book anytime in the return drop Shute located at the front of each Library desk. Any book that has been lost or damaged should be reported to the Library staff.

Tarneit P-9 College Book donations

We love donated books, though we ask that all books must be in very good condition. As we help facilitate kindergarten through to high schools year 9 level, there is a wide range of books that we accept.

As a guideline, we take the most basic ABC books through to Harry Potter level. Reference books are most welcome if the information is current. We don't accept text books as they cannot be meaningfully repurposed within the school curriculum.

Drop off

As a school we rely on the goodwill of donors to drop off donations. For very large donations, sometimes pick up can be arranged.

For further information, please email grieve.susan.s@edumail.vic.gov.au.

ALL PARENTS- LIBRARY BAGS COMPULSORY for students in Prep to Grade 6

We have had a number of books damaged by water, food, lunchboxes, other items stored in school bags due to students not having a library bag to hold their library books.

Students will need to bring a Library bag to school and the Library to borrow any books.

These can be similar to these examples shown below, but not necessarily the same design or colour.

Please make sure that bags are large enough to hold all books of all sizes.



CAN YOU HELP!

The Junior and Senior library requires volunteers to assist from

9am to 12.30pm and 1.30pm to 3pm

Monday to Friday during school term.

Jobs will include:

- Stamping and folding brochures
- Book Club 2019 assistance - 2 issue per term, 8 per year.
- Labelling, stamping and security tagging books
- Shelving books and tidying library shelves
- Book Covering - Training will be provided

If you can spare 1 hour or more or would like to assist on a regular basis.

Please advise, via school email tarneit.p9@edumail.vic.gov.au or drop by and see our College Librarian Susan Grieve in the Senior Library located on the first floor in Building C or the Library Assistant, Sharee Ainsworth in the Junior Library located near Reception.

New volunteers please note:

- All volunteers need to provide the school with a valid Working with Children check. Visit <http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au/> for more information or to apply. (We are more than happy to assist you with this process.)
- Visitor, Parent Helpers & Volunteer Working Handbook must be read and the form signed and returned to the office, this will be given to you at the Library induction.
- All visitors must sign in and out of the College via the visitors' book, located at the office.
- Visitors will be given a lanyard to wear, indicating to staff and students that they are allowed to be in the school and at the Library.
- Volunteers with younger children are also welcome to help in the library.



Happy reading,

Library Hours

Monday-Friday

Ext: 183 Susan Grieve, Senior Library 8.00am – 4.00pm

Ext: 160 Sharee Ainsworth, Junior Library 8.00am – 3.00pm