



FHS LIBRARY

Student Guide 2025

WELCOME TO OUR LIBRARY



Monday

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OUR LIBRARY STAFF



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SNOOKS**



**LEE-ANNE
WATERS**



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FHS LIBRARY

FHS Library is our central hub for all library services.

Search our catalogue of physical books.
Access databases to assist you with your studies (e.g. World Book Online).

Access curated pages to help with the study of your English texts.
Stream and watch movies.

ERNEST HEMINGWAY



MY FAMILY AND OTHER ANIMALS
GERALD DURRELL



FHS LIBRARY

The screenshot shows the FHS Library website with a navigation bar at the top containing links for 'The Age Digital Replica', 'Clickview', 'TV4Education', 'ePlatform', 'My Profile', and 'My Items'. A search icon and a user profile icon are also present. The main header features a large blue banner with the text 'Welcome to the FHS Library' and the school's crest on the right. Below the banner is a vertical sidebar of menu items: 'VCE English', 'Year 9 & 10 English', 'Year 7 & 8 English', 'Work Experience', 'Digital Toolbox', 'How to guides', 'Study Skills', 'Book Trailer Library', 'LOTE Japanese Films & Documentaries', 'LOTE French Films & Documentaries', 'FHS Chess Club', and 'Australian First Nations'. The central content area is divided into three columns. The left column features a large portrait of author Jack Heath and a section titled '2025 Author Visit' with a bio and a link to 'Find out more about Jack here...'. The middle column displays 'Opening Hours' for Monday-Friday (8.30-3.30 pm), recess (10.40-11 am), lunch (1.00-1.30 pm), and an Academic Catch-up Club on Tuesdays (3.30-4.30 pm). Below this is an infographic titled 'WHAT A SCHOOL LIBRARY CAN DO FOR YOU' which lists benefits like 'Reading experiences', 'Research', and 'Resources'. The right column lists 'Databases' including World Book Online, Britannica, ECHO, and SLAS Harvard Referencing Generator, along with login credentials (Username: frankshigh, Password: germanic) and a 'Watch now: Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile' video player. A 'Help' button is located in the bottom right corner.

Welcome to the FHS Library



[VCE English](#)

[Year 9 & 10 English](#)

[Year 7 & 8 English](#)

[Work Experience](#)

[Digital Toolbox](#)

[How to guides](#)

For all our library services and databases

[Study Skills](#)

[Book Trailer Library](#)

Short videos about books in our collection

[LOTE Japanese Films & Documentaries](#)

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[LOTE French Films & Documentaries](#)

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[FHS Chess Club](#)

[Australian First Nations](#)

Opening Hours

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Lunch 1.00 - 1.30 pm

Academic Catch-up Club

Tues 3.30 - 4.30 pm



What a School Library can do for you -

[Click here to find out!](#)

Databases

[World Book Online](#)

Online Encyclopedia

[Britannica](#)

Online Encyclopedia

[ECHO](#)

Issues Database

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[SLAS Harvard Referencing Generator](#)

Bibliography Maker

[ARC Learning](#)

Vic Gov Database

[Alpha History](#)

Online History Textbook

[The Conversation](#)

News and Current Affairs

[LawGovPol](#)

Law, Government and Politics database

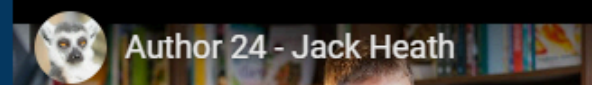
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2025 Author Visit

Jack Heath will be visiting Year 7 & 8 students on Monday 18th September.

Jack Heath is the bestselling author of more than twenty action-packed books. He wrote his first novel in high school, and it was published while he was still a teenager. Since then his work has been translated into several languages, shortlisted for many awards and optioned for film and television.

[Find out more about Jack here....](#)

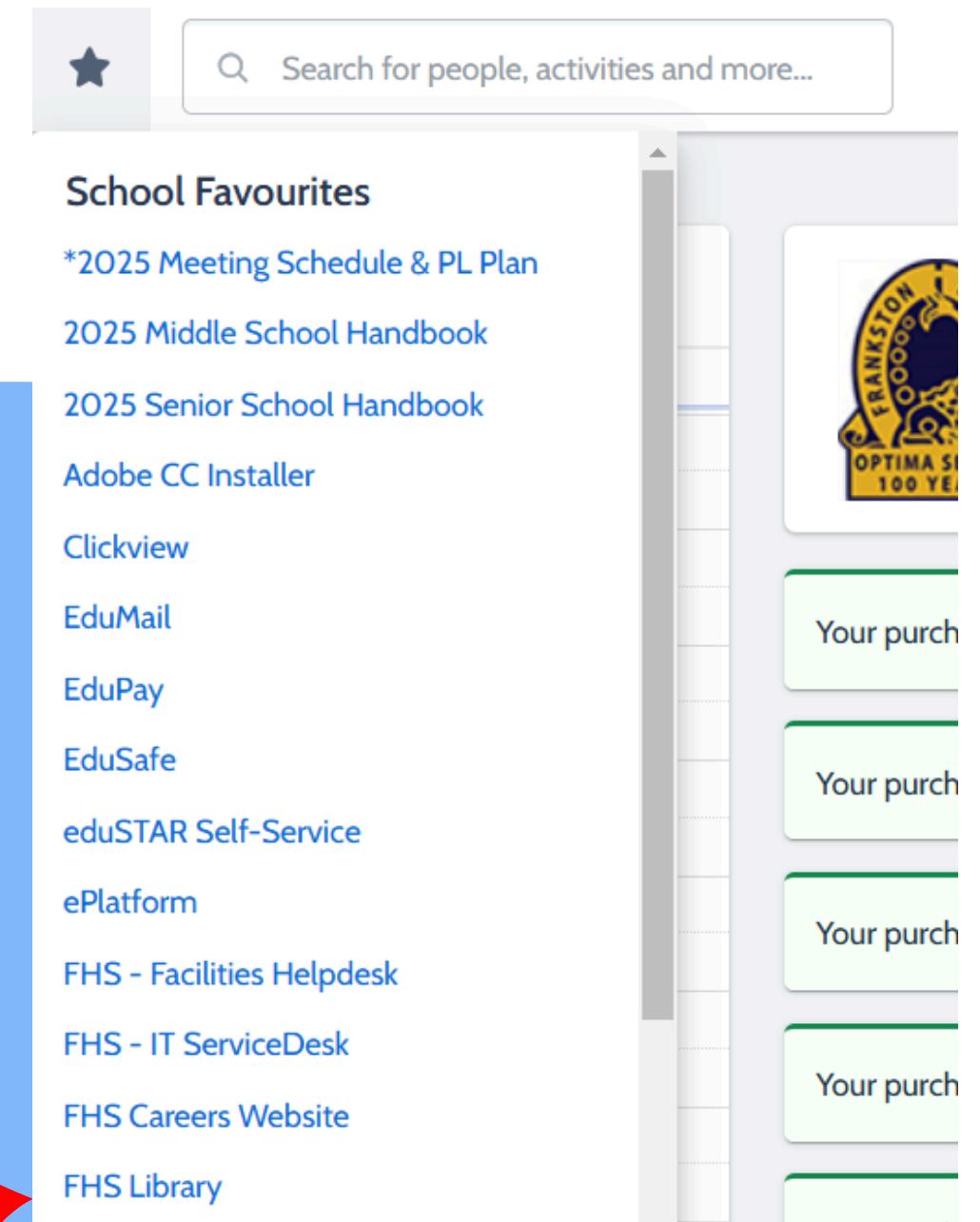


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Access FHS Library by going to **Compass**, clicking on the ★, and then clicking on **FHS Library**.

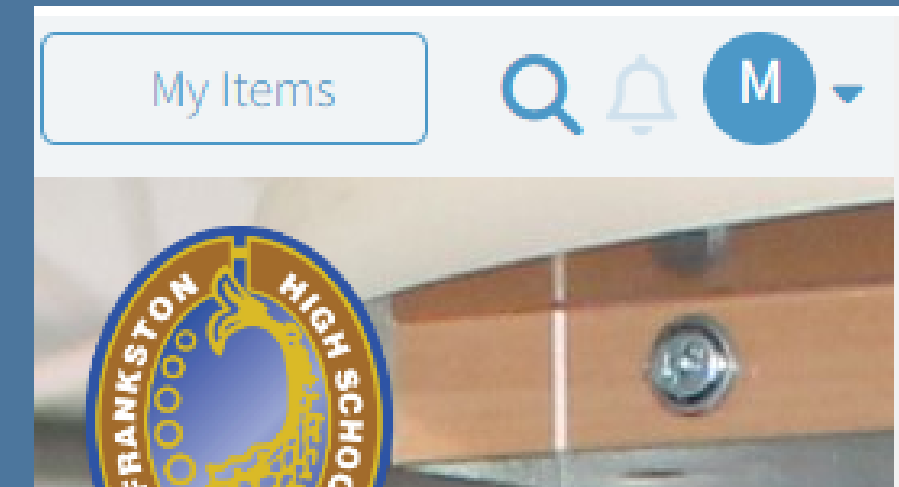
Use your **FHS email address** and **password** to log in. Once you've logged on once your computer will remember your details.



HOW DO I SEARCH THE CATALOGUE?

Search our FHS Library catalogue for all our holdings. Simply click on the magnifying glass on the top right hand corner of the page, then enter a key word in the search box. You can also further refine your search by Title, Subject, Author and Series.

The search results will then let you know where the item is located in the library and if it is 'in' or checked out to another student.



HOW DO I FIND ENGLISH STUDY PAGES?

Click on your year level button on the left hand side of the FHS Library homepage.

These pages provide access to English study guides, films, audiobooks and eBooks for all studied texts. They also have links to useful YouTube clips for Exam preparation and Essay writing.



[VCE English](#)

[Year 9 & 10 English](#)

[Year 7 & 8 English](#)



HOW DO I ACCESS DATABASES?

Simply click on any of the databases on the right hand side of the FHS Library homepage and you will be taken directly to the online database.

We have some really useful online databases to help you with assignments. These include the **World Book Online** (an encyclopedia), **ECHO** (an issues database), and the **Harvard Online Referencing Generator** (for bibliographies).

Databases

[World Book Online](#)

Online Encyclopedia

[ECHO](#)

Issues Database

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[SLASA Harvard Referencing Generator](#)

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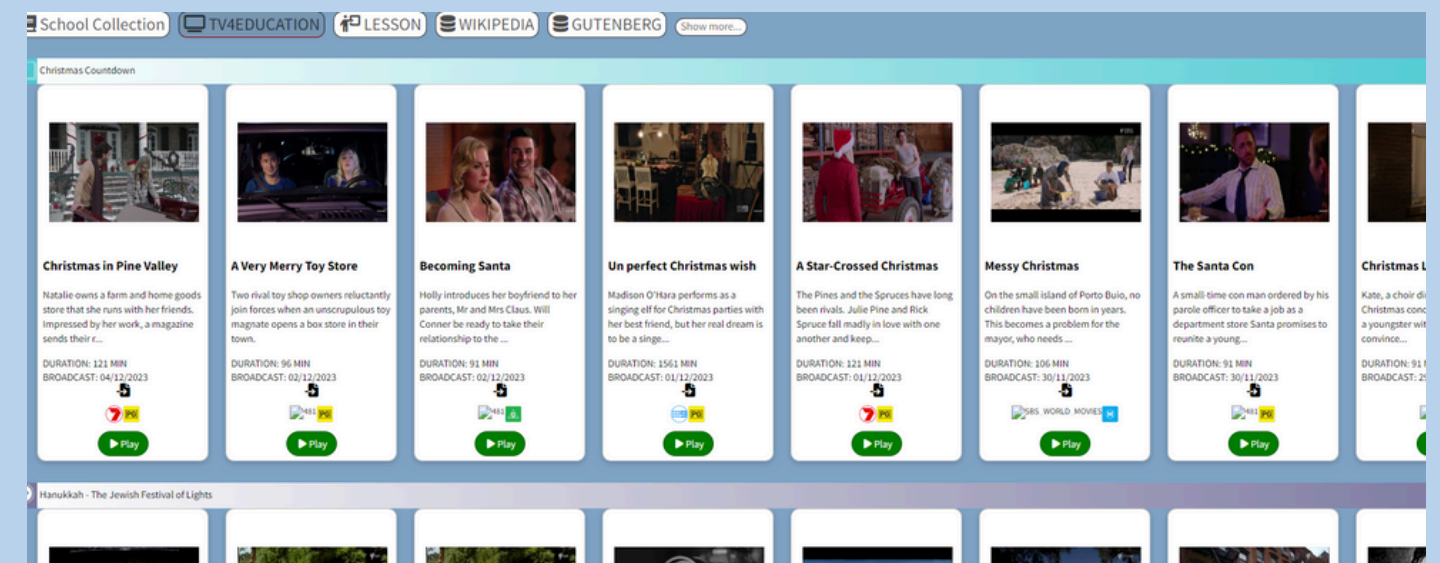
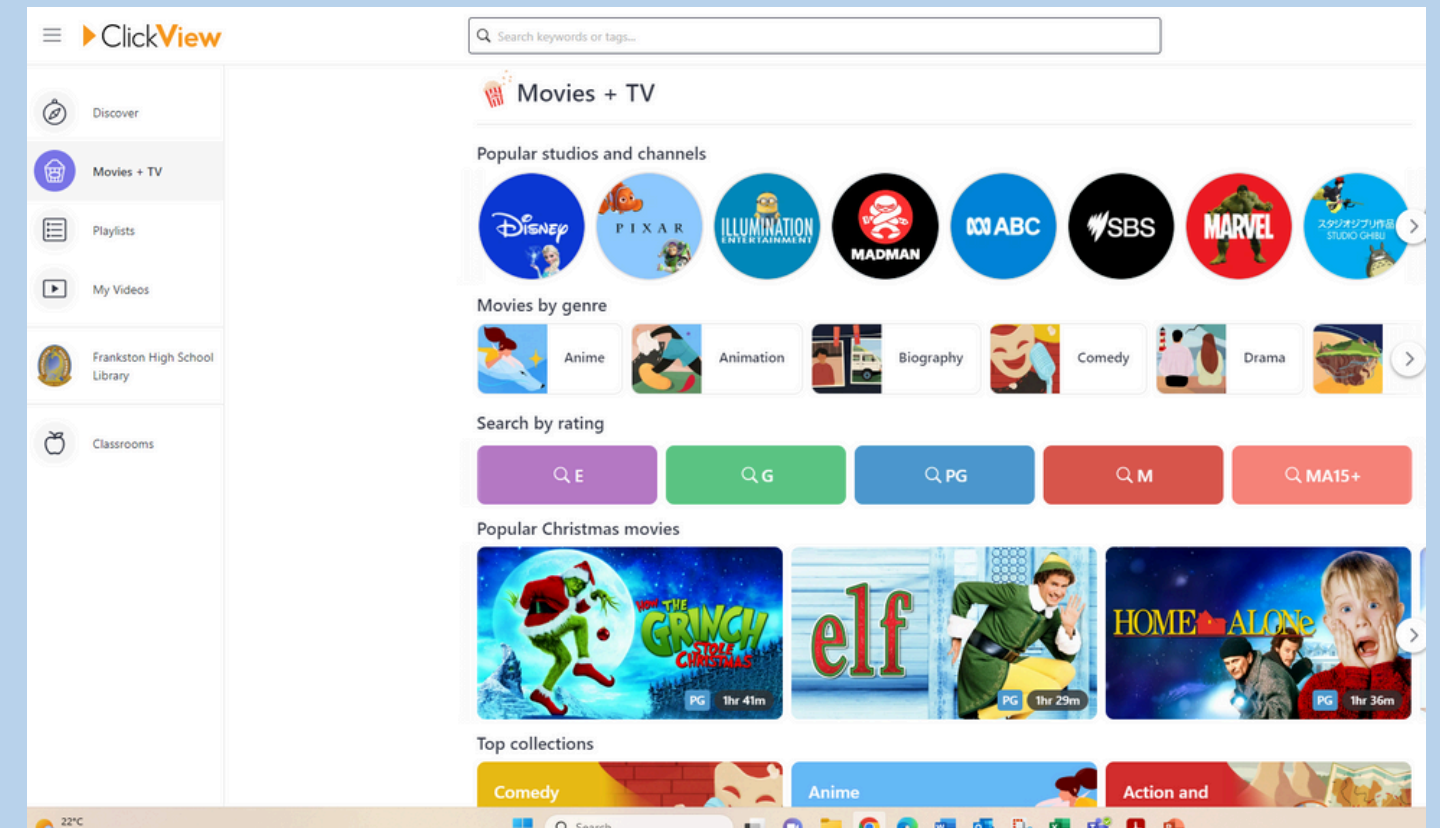
Law, Government and Politics database

HOW DO I ACCESS TV SHOWS, MOVIES AND DOCUMENTARIES?

TV shows and movies can be accessed in two ways:

1. Click on the **ClickView** button at the top of the FHS Library homepage.
2. Click on the **TV4Education** button at the top of the FHS Library homepage.

In both ClickView and TV4Education you can browse or search the list of available movies and TV shows to stream.



EPLATFORM

ePlatform is our collection of eBooks and eAudiobooks.


Access over 3000 eBook and 1000 eAudiobook titles!

It's SO easy...

Choose to download items to your computer or via the ePlatform app to your phone or tablet.

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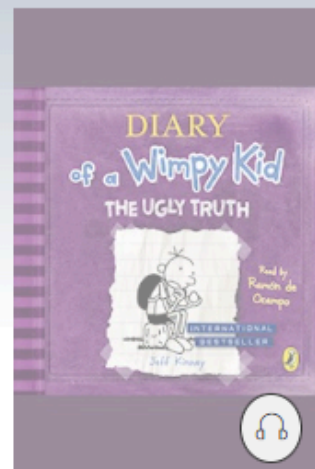
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Access your eLibrary anywhere, anytime, on multiple devices.

Start Browsing

Most Popular Titles at FHS

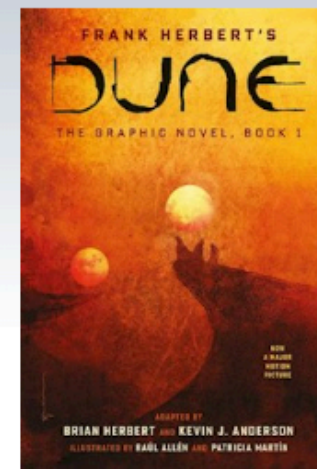
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Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Ugl...
by Jeff Kinney
★★★★☆ (4.5/5)



Catching Fire
by Suzanne Collins
★★★★☆ (4.4/5)



DUNE: The Graphic Novel...
by Frank Herbert
★★★★☆ (3.9/5)



Harry Potter and the Pris...
by J.K. Rowling
★★★★★ (4.7/5)



The Hunger Games
by Collins, Suzanne
★★★★★ (4.6/5)



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by Neal Shusterman
★★★★☆ (4.4/5)



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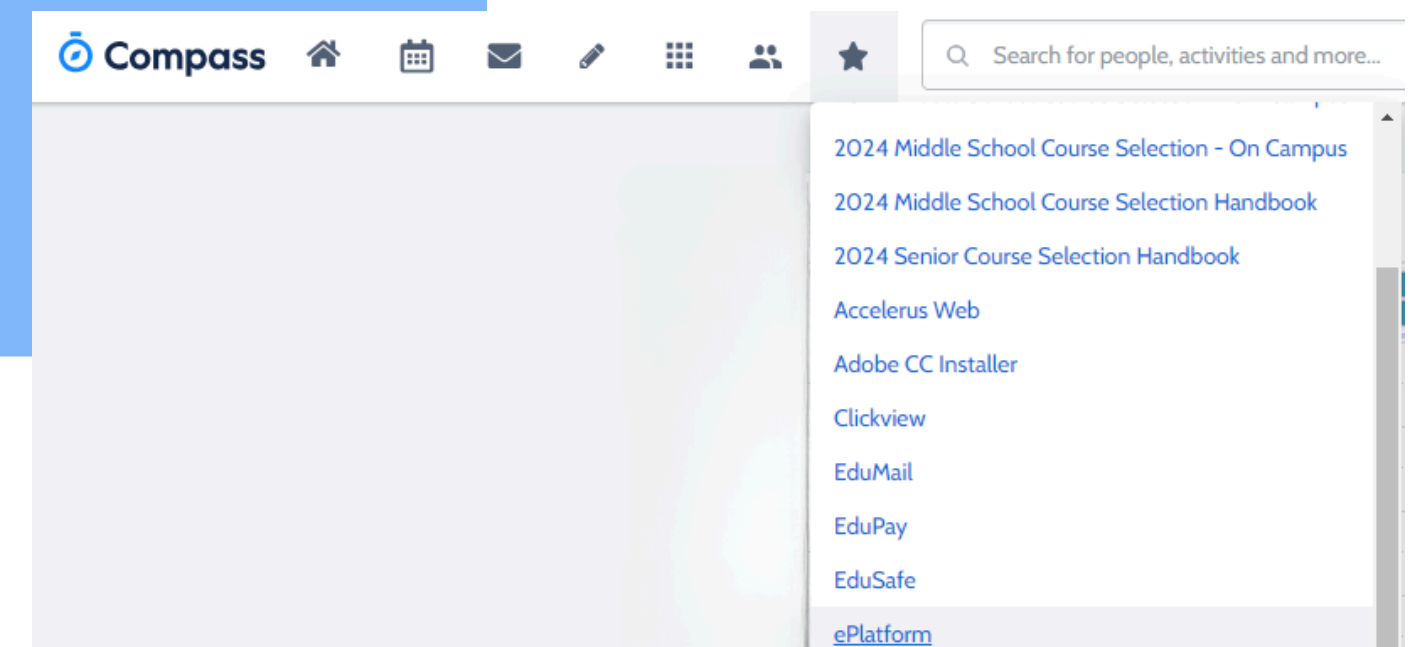
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EPLATFORM

You can access ePlatform a number of ways:

1. Through **FHS Library**, clicking on the **ePlatform** button at the top of the SmartSuite homepage.
2. Through Compass, clicking on the ★ menu and then **ePlatform**.
3. Through the **ePlatform** app on a phone or table.

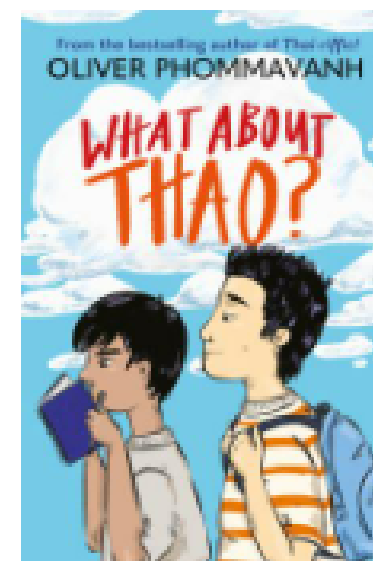
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NOTES ABOUT OUR PHYSICAL COLLECTION

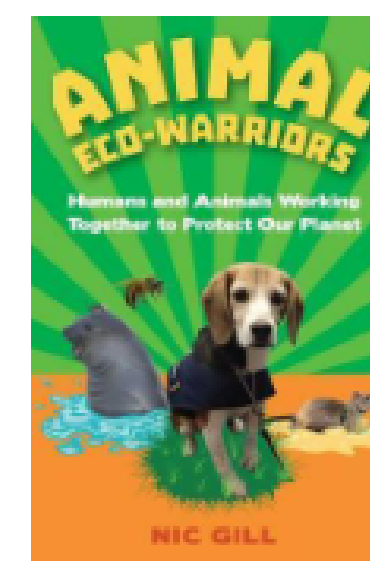
WHERE ARE ALL OUR BOOKS?

We are currently in a temporary home whilst a new library is being built. As such, some of our books have been placed in storage. Books we can readily access will have their catalogue sublocation listed as either MEZZ or COMPACTUS.



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HOW ARE OUR BOOKS SORTED?

Both our fiction and non-fiction collections are organised into genres. Genres can be identified by the labels on the spines of books.



NOTES ABOUT OUR PHYSICAL COLLECTION

HOW DO I BORROW A BOOK?

Bring the book you want to borrow to the library desk together with your compass card and we will check it out to you.

All book loans are for a **4 week period** after which you will need to return the book or renew it at the desk.

HOW MANY BOOKS CAN I BORROW AT ONCE?

You can borrow **5** books at any one time.

We don't have overdue fines, but long overdue books must be returned or you will be charged a replacement fee.

WHAT IS AVAILABLE ON THE SENIOR CAMPUS?

VCE students can access all of our digital resources via the **VCE Library** page. In addition, Jack Barbour will be operating Words on Wheels (WOW) in 2025. WOW provides students with access to texts, study guides, and a changing selection of fiction. Jack can also provide assistance with reference, research, AV and study skill assistance to staff and students during this time.

WOW

WORDS ON WHEELS

Presentation Space, Senior Campus

WHAT IF I JUST WANT TO READ THE PAPER?

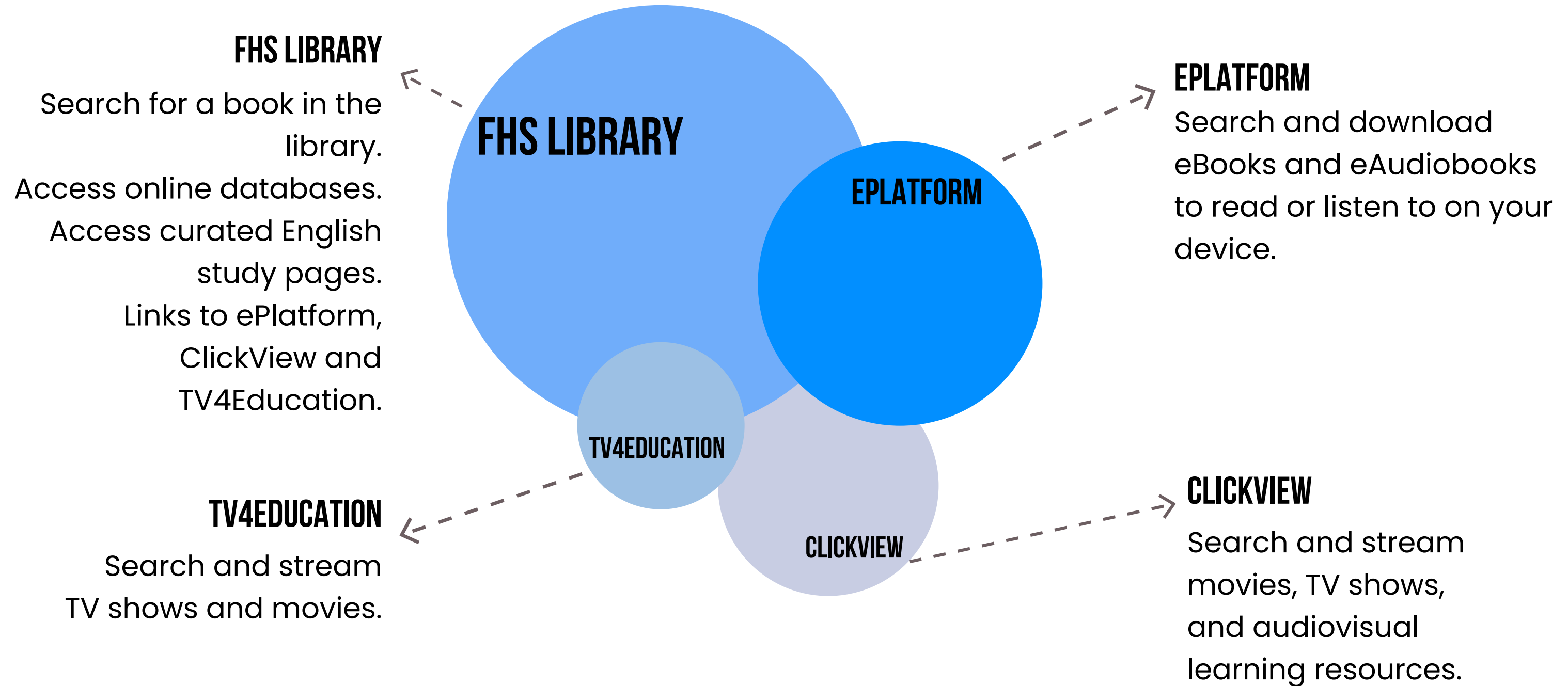
No problem! We have a whole school subscription to The Age Digital Replica.

This can be accessed from **FHS Library**, or alternatively, access via **Compass**, click on the ★ and then **The Age Digital Replica**.

Please note that this can only be accessed from school.



FHS LIBRARY - QUICK GUIDE



FIND THESE PLATFORMS VIA COMPASS OR FHS LIBRARY

LOG IN USING YOUR FHS EMAIL AND PASSWORD

A photograph of a modern library interior. The room features several bookshelves, some with wooden fronts and others with dark frames. A prominent blue overlay with white text is centered in the foreground. In the background, there are large windows, a curved sofa with a patterned ottoman, and a table with chairs. The overall atmosphere is bright and inviting.

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO
WELCOMING YOU IN THE
LIBRARY.**