



# Leicestershire Libraries Newsletter

October 2022

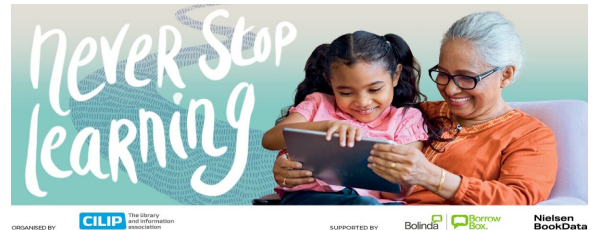
## Libraries Week

Libraries Week is an annual showcase of the best libraries have to offer. In 2022,

It's between the 3rd and 9th October,

celebrating the central role that libraries play in supporting life-long learning. We will highlight all libraries have to offer from Wiggly Readers, to author visits and all the groups that meet in libraries for crafts, games, reading together and socialising!

Keep up to date with Libraries Week 2022 by following @librariesweek



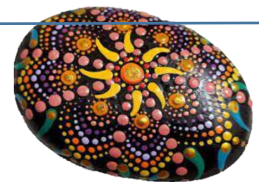
## Dot Art Workshops Join us this half term!

Learn how to create beautiful dot art with artist

Saira Lloyd and take home your own art with a dot art origami booklet, stone or tile.

- Syston Library: Tuesday 18th October, 11.00-12.00
- Glenfield Library: Wednesday 19th October, 11.00-12.00
- Loughborough Library: Thursday 20th October, 10:30-11:30
- Shepshed Library: Thursday 20th October, 14.30– 15.30

Suitable for 7+ years. Limited spaces, £3 per ticket. Booking required, contact the [above libraries](#) to book your place.

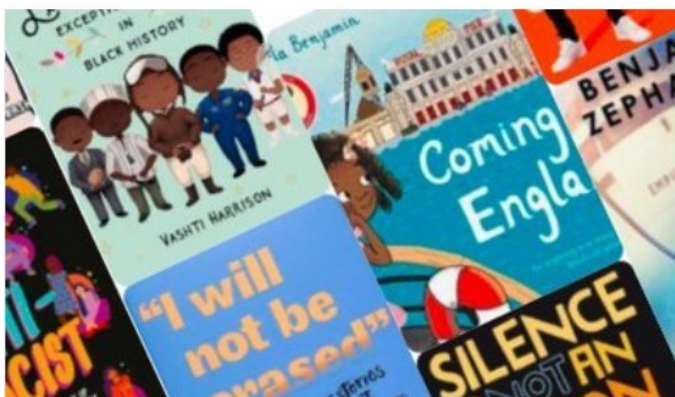


## The Very Hungry Caterpillar Competition

In partnership with The Curve Theatre, enter our prize draw for tickets to The Very Hungry Caterpillar Christmas Show by borrowing 4 books or more from Oadby or Wigston Library. Contact the Library for more details and find out more about the show here:

<https://www.curveonline.co.uk/whats-on/shows/the-very-hungry-caterpillar-christmas-show/>





## Black History Month

### Books for Children & Young People

Celebrate Black History month by discovering our wide range of children's and Young Adult's books in libraries. From books about Black history to books by amazing Black

authors, explore the collection to support and celebrate diversity and equality from past to present.

Visit our [libraries](#) or browse our [online catalogue](#) online to find out more. We also have a wide range of Black History titles for children and young people available as eBooks and eAudiobooks from [Borrowbox](#). Borrowbox is free to use and you can join the library online to start using it straight away with no overdue fees!

## Reading Well Collection

### Supporting mental health

Reading Well for young people recommends expert endorsed books about mental health, providing 13 to 18 year olds with advice and information about issues like anxiety, stress and OCD, and difficult experiences like bullying and exams.



A brand new list for young people aged 11 – 18 is coming soon in October and will be available in Leicestershire Libraries from 10th October. The books have all been recommended by young people and health professionals.

Browse the collection on our [website](#) or visit your local library to find out