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# Library and You- School Library Orientation!



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# School Library Operating Hours

- ☐ Monday to Friday
- ☐ During recesses
- ☐ @ Kindness Corner

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Do you know that  
your school  
library has an  
**OPAC?**



# Your School OPAC!

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- **OPAC** stands for **O**nline **P**ublic **A**ccess **C**atalogue
- It allows you to search through the existing school library resources and find the specific item you are looking for.
  - YOU can access **OPAC at home** and **in school**



# Spydus10 OPAC

- ✓ You can search for books and its availability as well as find out his borrowing history
- ✓ You can find recommendations based on your borrowing history
- ✓ You can find book recommendations based on the title being searched for.
- ✓ You have **Quick links** to NLB's One Search
- ✓ You also have a School eResource Repository linked to your school OPAC

School eResource Repository

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Popular Subjects

Adventure Fairy Tales Fantasy Mathematics History Mystery Picture Book Singapore Collection

Events

Find out more

New Arrivals

Trash revolution: breaking the waste cycle  
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Fyvie, Erica  
2018

Miss Maple's seeds  
Wheeler, Eliza  
2013

Earth hour  
Hefferman, Nanette  
2020

SENSES  
Macnair, Patricia  
2016

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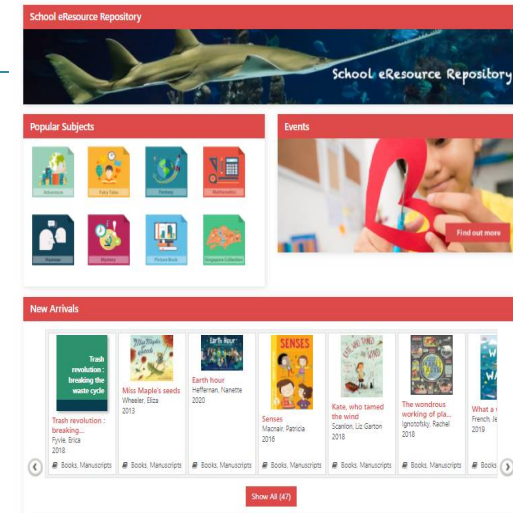
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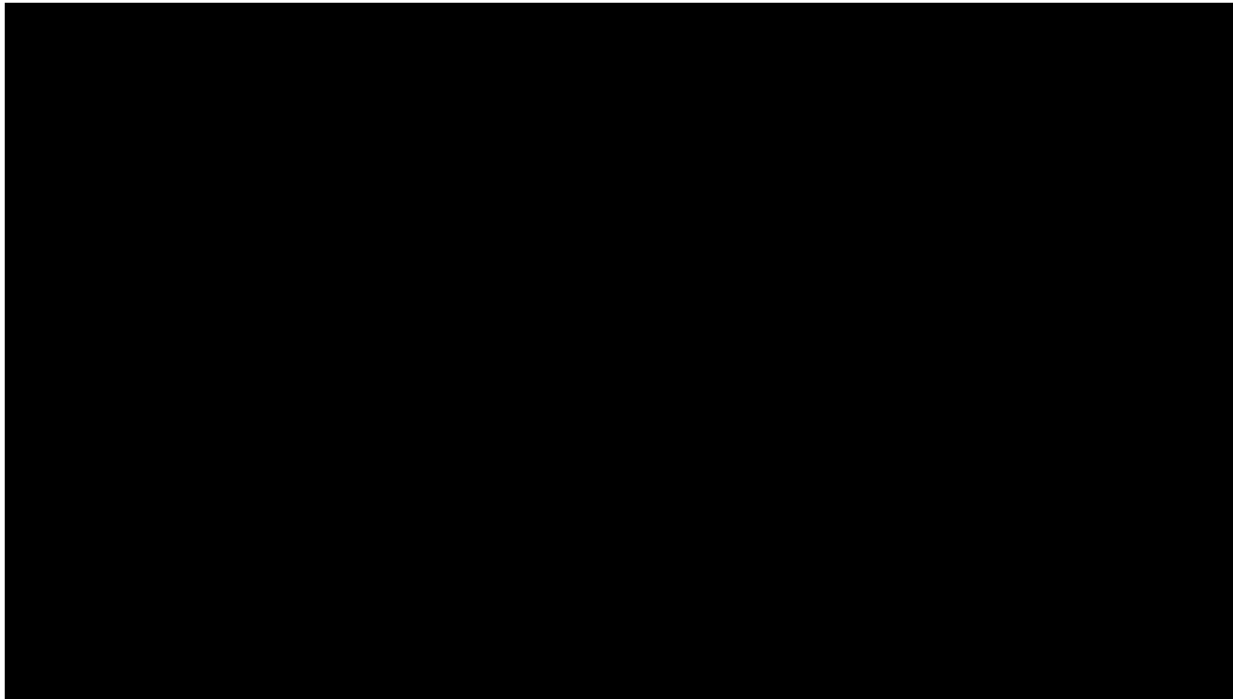
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# Accessing your school OPAC


- How to access OPAC?
  - Go to <https://schoollibrary.spydus.com.sg/rivervalepri>
- **Login:** Your NRIC/Birth Certificate Number (*all caps, case sensitive*)
- **Password:** Moe@DDMMYYYY (Default Password Format)
  - *You will be prompted to change password upon first login!*
- All search functions can be used without the need to login.
- To access own account, add book reviews, create saved lists etc., the user is required to login.



# Introduction to OPAC




School eResource Repository



**Popular Subjects**

- Adventure
- Fairy Tales
- History
- Mathematics
- Science
- Reading
- Picture Book
- Language Collection

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Books

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## Adding Book Reviews





# Book Reviews

- ❑ Search for the book you would like to add a review
- ❑ Click on the title to open the full record
- ❑ Click “Add Review” Button
- ❑ Add your review and ratings
- ❑ All reviews will published after approval!

The lie tree  
Hardinge, Frances  
2015  
Books, Manuscripts

Find it!  
Total copies: 1  
Availability by location  
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Summary  
Faith's father has been found dead under mysterious circumstances, and as she is searching through his belongings for clues she discovers a strange tree. The tree only grows healthy and bears fruit if you whisper a lie to it. The fruit of the tree, when eaten, will deliver a hidden truth to the person who consumes it. The bigger the lie, the more people who believe it, the bigger the truth that is uncovered. The girl realizes that she is good at lying and that the tree might hold the key to her father's murder, so she begins to spread untruths far and wide across her small island community. But as the tree bears more and more fruit, she discovers something terrifying - that her lies were closer to the truth than she could ever have imagined ...

Record details  
Main title: The lie tree / Frances Hardinge.  
Author: Hardinge, Frances, author  
Imprint: London : Macmillan Children's Books, 2015.  
Collation: 409 pages ; 20 cm  
Awards: Costa Book of the Year, 2015 ; Sunday Times Children's Book of the Year, 2015  
ISBN: 9781447264101 ((paperback))  
144726410X ((paperback))  
Dewey class: 823.92  
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LC class: PR6108.A72574  
Language: English  
Subject: Trees -- Fiction  
Fruit -- Fiction  
Truth -- Fiction  
Detective and mystery stories  
BRN: 4259779  
Bookmark link: schoollibrary.spydus.com.sg/bartleysec/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/WPAC/BIBENQ?SETVL=8&BRN=4259779  
More information: More about this book in Google Book Search  
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Tell your friends!

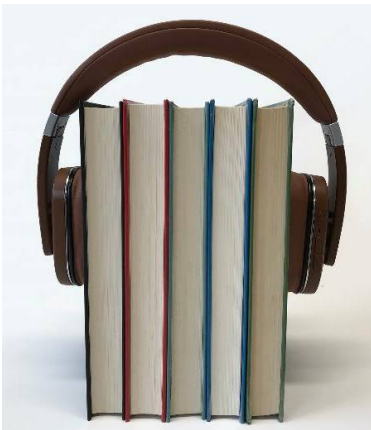
Tell your fellow students what you liked about the book you borrowed from the school library and read!

# School eResource Repository (SERR)

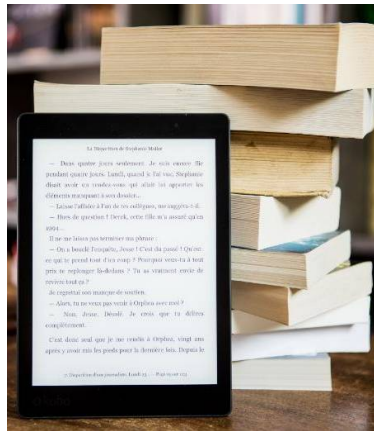
# School eResource Repository

Provides access to **online** resources! You can access from your School OPAC!

## Types of Resources available



**Audio Books**



**eBooks**




**eMagazines**



**Videos**

# SERR for Primary Schools

Home NLB eReads Explore, Play, Discover Explore Nature Art, Music and Exercise Explore Math




## School eResource Repository

Home

### eBooks

Enter the World of Roald Dahl (You may be required to login via NLB's MyLibraryID to access)



Recommended Readings for You

### Reading is fun!

Click here for some recommended readings

Special Highlight

### I wonder

Written by Lynn Wong  
Illustrated by Eugene Yee and Kwan  
English version


Discover a Whole New World

Audiobooks


Have Fun With Math

- Area
- Long division
- Simplifying fractions
- Converting fraction
- Comparing fractions
- Factoring

Do You Remember Geronimo? (You may be required to login via NLB's MyLibraryID to access)



Be Enchanted with Harry Potter (You may be required to login via NLB's MyLibraryID to access)



# Know your Library Policies

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## Know your school library polices!

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### ❑ Loan Policy

- ✓ Each P1 student can borrow up to 2 books for a period of 2 weeks
- ✓ Each P2 to P6 student can borrow up to 4 books for a period of 2 weeks
  - 2 Mother Tongue books
  - 2 English books

Policies exist so that everyone has an equal opportunity to **access/use** the library resources.

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### ❑ Reservation Policy

- ✓ Reservation is not allowed

### ❑ Overdue Book Policy

- ✓ Please return the borrowed books before the due date
- ✓ Students will be reminded and parents will be informed if there are outstanding books that are overdue

### ❑ Lost Book

- ✓ If a book has been misplaced, student needs to replace it with another book of approximately \$10 value. Title of replacement book need not be the same as misplaced book.

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*Thank you and I  
look forward to  
seeing you in the  
school library!*

Feedback



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