

Current Library Management System

We currently have a basic database.

There is no pupil involvement possibilities and therefore no pupil engagement.

Web-based Library Management System

As system is web-based, accessible from home and ease of access through a mobile phone app. Potential for parental engagement. This will provide equality of access for all pupils.

Benefits to pupils:

Web-based library systems use colourful imagery and allow for enhanced level of pupil engagement. They also give pupils a sense of ownership, as they have their own customisable interface/account. Potential for supporting digital literacy.

Pupils will be able to:

- ❖ Have access to their own account
- ❖ View an attractive interface
- ❖ Be able to customise their interface
- ❖ Be able to view current and past loans – all through images
- ❖ Receive personalised reading recommendations through answering questions on their hobbies
- ❖ Add book reviews which will be authorised through the librarian
- ❖ Access to multimedia resources

Benefits for Librarians/Teachers:

- ❖ Potential for supporting digital literacy – department based curated resource sites/department pages
- ❖ Able to create reading lists which are image based
- ❖ Create class work activities/quizzes related to genre, authors, topics
- ❖ Potential to use as an eBook platform/textbook (additional cost)
- ❖ Department resources and curated websites (walled garden effect) can be uploaded
- ❖ Different interfaces/dashboard for different departments
- ❖ Can be synced with other school systems
- ❖ Efficient system for Librarians for housekeeping/overdues/automatic cataloguing

- ❖ Create different dashboards for different events/subjects eg. Work experience using MYWOW
S1 Activities week

Example Site:

<https://uk.accessit.online/wdl01/#!/dashboard> (different dashboard for World Book Day)

[Copthall School Library \(accessit.online\)](#)

[Oasis Academy Arena \(accessit.online\)](#)

[Llyfrgell Ysgol Harri Tudur - Henry Tudor School Library \(accessit.online\)](#)

[Walney School Library \(accessit.online\)](#)

