

St George's School

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Summer Postcard Review Challenge

As part of their English lessons in Year 7, all girls will take part in a weekly library lesson. These lessons will promote reading for pleasure and will also help to develop a range of research and information literacy skills. As an introductory activity to these lessons, I am inviting all of our upcoming Year 7 girls to take part in a Summer Postcard Review Challenge before they join us in September.

To take part, follow these simple steps:

- 1. Pick and read a new book. This can be any genre of fiction, a graphic novel, a short story collection or a non-fiction book, but it ideally should be new to them.
- 2. Once finished, buy a postcard and a stamp. This can be sourced locally, or on holiday if the opportunity arises.
- 3. Get writing! Use the left hand side of the postcard to write a short and snappy review about the book. Try not to include any spoilers as the postcards will go on display.
- 4. Send the postcard to the following address:

The Library,
St George's School
Wells Lane
Ascot
SL5 7DZ

A Merit will be awarded for every individual postcard received and a display will be created in the library of all postcards at the start of the academic year.

I do hope all of the girls take the opportunity over the summer break to carry out some reading. I look forward to receiving lots of postcards over the summer and meeting the new Year 7 cohort in September.

Happy reading!

Mrs S van de Weg **Librarian**