

# The Library

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*(Reviewer: Dominique Collins / Lloyd Dannatt, September 2021)*

The Library is open during term time, Monday to Friday:

Monday to Thursday: 8.30am – 9.00pm

Friday: 8.30am – 5.00pm

**Contact us:** [library@hppc.co.uk](mailto:library@hppc.co.uk) / Tel: 875

The Library supports all pupils and staff, teaching and non-teaching. It plays an important role in encouraging pupils to become independent learners.

## 1. Library Resources

The Library has books, magazines, DVDs. We provide an ebook loan service for your mobile device (contact the library for access). We have online resources, including JSTOR. We have both reference and borrowing cards for the University of Sussex Library. We can source both journal articles and books from the British library for you. The Library also has a photocopier and laptops. There are several small bookable rooms that seat 4 people and one seminar room that seats 16 people.

There is an online catalogue: <https://uk.accessit.online/hrs02/> (on the Mega Menu). There is a self-check stand for people to borrow books (4 weeks for loans).

The Library runs a library club and an SSBA reading group.

We aim to support your subject: we can source material relevant to your syllabus for the library; you can bring your class to the library; we can run information skills sessions on your subject; we can instruct your students on referencing and bibliography.

Teaching staff can support the Library by:

- Encouraging students to borrow books from the library to expand their subject knowledge
- Providing lists of suggested reading given to pupils to library staff
- Supporting reading for pleasure to help students manage wellbeing and screen time.
- Letting us know which items they would like to see added/removed from stock
- Using the library themselves thereby encouraging students to do the same
- Informing us of any changes to set texts and curriculum