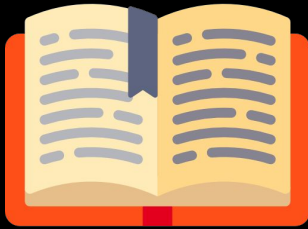


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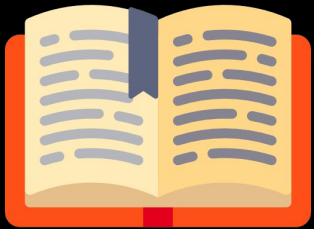


# READ, WATCH, DO

***Click here*** to access this week's edition of the series designed to stretch your brain, make you think and challenge you to get out and about.

# ENGLISH

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Read: This week was National Read a Book Day.  
Read [this article](#) from the Telegraph which discusses why you Need to Read



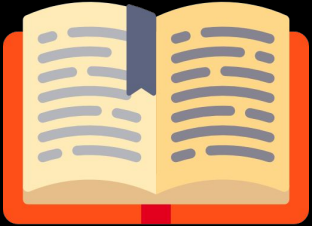
Watch: [Lisa Bu](#) talks about the magic of books



Do: Visit the [John Rylands Library](#) which, apart from being a beautiful example of Neo-Gothic architecture, has over 400,000 books for you to choose from!

# MATHS

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Read

Want to know the longest prime number ever discovered? Read this article to find out more about it



Watch

Why do we need to use computers to discover new prime numbers?

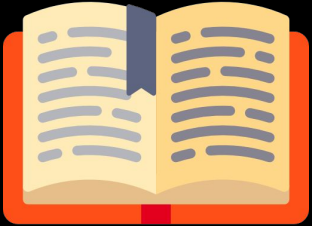


Do

Find out more about the birth of computers by visiting the 'baby' exhibition at the Manchester science and Industry museum

# HISTORY

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## Read

This article on the Peterloo massacre



## Watch

This short film of the Peterloo Massacre

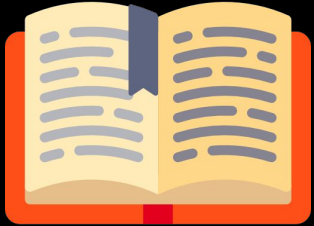


## Do

Visit the 'People's Museum'. It has exhibits on the history of democracy including Peterloo

# SCIENCE

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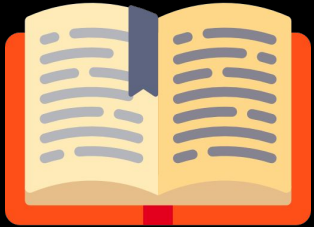
Read: Read this to find out how the team building the Bloodhound racer have modified the vehicle to stop it melting when moving at high speed in the desert.



Watch: Ever wondered how a car engine works?



Do: Stephenson's rocket returns to Manchester for the first time in 180 years.



Read this newspaper article about why faith is becoming more and more popular around the world with 84% of the global population identifying as being religious.



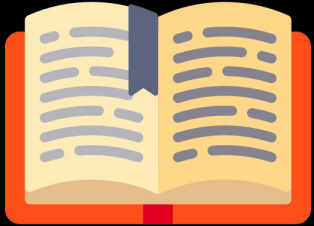
Watch this new BBC series about British Jews, identifying what it means to be a Jew today and the wide range of belief and practices in modern Judaism.



Do book yourself on to one of the Heritage Walks around the Jewish quarter of Manchester looking at the interesting history of Manchester's Jewish Quarter.

# DRAMA

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Read Are theatres diverse places?



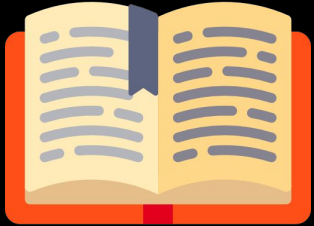
Watch Actress, Maxine Peake, explain the best activities in Manchester



Do - Pick an activity mentioned on the video above to try out!

# PE

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Read this news article about gender pay gaps. One sports has finally closed the gap. [World Surf League](#)

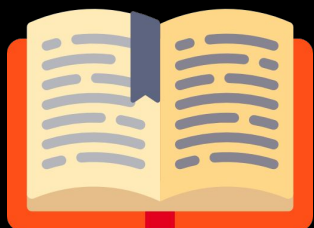


Watch an [Olympic Handball](#) match, it is a new sport for Parklands and requires a lot of similar skills to other sports. What can you link to your GCSE studies?



Go and join or go and support a new sport. [Manchester Handball](#) club have team and fixtures.





Read this article about the hot weather and note down 10 words you didn't know before and learn them! Try to pick useful words you can use at GCSE!



Watch this video about family life in Germany and what family means to German people.



Do go to the Imperial War Museum and visit Chava Rosenzweig's exhibition which describes how the Holocaust has shaped people's identities.