



# Reading Support for Secondary Age Pupils

# **Assistive technology**

### Immersive Reader

Use of Immersive Reader in Word 365 supports access to text by making it easier to read or by reading it aloud on screen. These functions can also be used alongside dictating to support independent proof reading and editing of work.



### Microsoft Lens

The Microsoft Lens app converts images of whiteboards, documents, books and clear handwritten notes into accessible documents using Immersive Reader.



# Call Scotland website

The Call Scotland website has a range of links/resources that can be used to support reading. <a href="https://">https://</a> www.callscotland.org.uk/information/dyslexia/reading/





# Reading for pleasure

Libby is a free app that provides audiobooks, magazines and comics from your local library to read anytime, anywhere! You just need a library card and the Libby App.



### **Book Trust**

Favourite comics and graphic novels https://www.booktrust.org.uk/booklists/g/graphic-novels-

teens/







## Strategies to support study skills

### SO3R

Use Survey, Question, Read, Recite and Review to improve your comprehension https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=x7-6ullHihA



### Skimming and scanning

Useful tips to help you find information in text quickly! https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zs44jxs/articles/ zdd9vwx

# Top tips!

- Being able to download books onto reading devices like an iPad or your phone, allows you to hear words and meanings read aloud. Don't forget you can change the screen colour too.
- Try other study methods, such as watching videos on YouTube about topics/subjects you are studying.
- Make study groups with your friends, test yourself on Quizlet! https://quizlet.com/en-gb
- Take regular rest breaks.

