

# THE HUB NEWS



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## This month's newsletter includes:

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## 1. Announcements

### The holiday season

This time of year, many people have celebrations with family and friends representing religion and culture. There are many books in the library on many of these different events.

### Holiday library hours and dates

Ms. Cristina will be in the library for part of the break, and you are welcome to come return, renew, and check out new books! The library will be open the following weeks:

- December 12-16 from 7.00 until 3.15
- January 9-13 from 7.00 until 3.15
- January 16-20 from 7.00 until 3.15



## 2. Recommended books

### Holiday Reading

While school is out for the holiday, you can still read in many different ways! Here are some suggestions for reading without the library:



There are thousands of story books available to watch on YouTube. You can watch different people reading aloud, and read with them!



Primary students have Raz-Kids accounts giving them access to thousands of books to read online. Speak with your teachers to find out how to log in, if you don't know already!



Studies have shown that listening to books being read activates the same parts of the brain as reading. So, if you're too busy to sit down to read a book, be active and listen to a book!

Audiobooks are available for purchase from many retailers, including Audible. Audiobooks are great during long car rides or on the airplane. Try it, and you'll find you will want to keep listening!



## 3. Exploring Destiny Discover

**Destiny Discover is a great resource for finding books in the library. It's easy to use, too!**

All you have to do is follow these steps:

1. Follow this link to get to [Destiny Discover](#).
2. Click on Login in the top right corner. Every student at PAS has a username and password. The username is the start of your email address and your password is the number on your ID.
3. You can now use Destiny Discover!

The following [presentation](#), shows how to enter the platform.

Please note that books labeled Classroom Library are for class use only.

### What can you do with Destiny Discover?

- ★ See new and popular books
- ★ Search for books by topic
- ★ Put books on hold
- ★ See what books you have checked out
- ★ If you need help write to us at:
  - [pascopias@panam.ed.cr](mailto:pascopias@panam.ed.cr)
  - [cristina.chaves@panam.ed.cr](mailto:cristina.chaves@panam.ed.cr) or
  - [leanne.edwards@panam.ed.cr](mailto:leanne.edwards@panam.ed.cr)

[Click here for a video \(in English\) showing all the things you can do with Destiny Discover.](#)

