
Describe the last book you read

You should say:

What type/kind of book it was

What it was about

Where you read it

How you felt about the book

The last book that I read recently was called "The Dwelling Place" - by Catherine Cookson. I started reading this book a month ago because this author is one of my favourite writers. I think it is an interesting book so far and has really helped me to be imaginative.

It is about a young girl left to look after several of her younger brothers and sisters. Her parents have died and left behind 9 children including her and she is left to take care of them. The story is set in the 1800s so life at that time was very difficult for them and they struggled to survive.

I read it at home and sometimes on my journey to work as this is more convenient for me.

I felt a range of emotions when I read this book. There were certain sections that were very emotional and shocking and that made me cry at times. There were also other sections that made me laugh so hard. I think life is just like what is portrayed in the book, full of laughter and tears, but eventually, things will turn out to be good in the end.

In your country, who would ask children to read, schools or parents?

In my country, it would be schools that would ask children to read. They are responsible for providing education to children and so they encourage this in the schools from a young age to help children to develop good reading habits.

其他观点

In my country, it would be both schools and parents that ask children to read. Even though the educational system is there to help children to read - parents also encourage them to do so. In some schools, however, this isn't the case and some children are neglected, which is why some parents take the lead to ensure that their children are practicing reading at home.

What kind of books do children read?

It definitely depends on the age of the child. Most children enjoy reading comic books - especially books about friendship and bravery. These books help children to learn and develop good qualities.

其他观点

Most older children enjoy reading adventure stories. These books get them creative and imaginative and stimulate their learning. The books also teach them about bravery, teamwork and other important life skills that are important later in life.

Do you think parents should continue reading?

I think that parents should continue reading as this is part of education. This helps parents stay in tune with **whatever** is new. It also encourages kids to think that reading is important and they will learn if they see their parents doing it.

其他观点

I think they should, but they usually don't have enough time for reading in this day and age. Parents are more occupied with raising their child and working, but I do think they try to read because it can not only benefit themselves but also their children.

Do you prefer paper books or E-books?

I prefer traditional paper books as I feel that the book itself and its many pages have a history. I think the book helps me to visualise the story a little more, especially through the pages.

其他观点

I'm not opposed to books in general but, e-books are easily accessible and are literally at the fingertips for use, so this makes them very useful, so prefer E-books.

Do you think printed books will continue to exist?

I think that printed books will continue to exist as there are a lot of literature lovers who enjoy reading, especially with printed books. Printing books also add value for years to come and many can even be passed down from generation to generation.

其他观点

I think that printed books will no longer exist as technology is making its way through the market. People are finding that E-books are easier to access. People do not have to trail and waste hours searching for a hard copy when it would already exist in a technological format.