



# **Livo Loves Reading**

Hello, and welcome to May's news from your McFarlane Library

## \* NEW \* BOOK OF THE MONTH ~ The Light in Everything



The Light in Everything is a heart-warming novel by Katya Balen. This story explores how two young people from completely different worlds get along and eventually become a family. Zofia is loud, fierce and determined, while Tom is frightened, quiet and timid, finding comfort in folding paper into beautiful origami birds, filling his room with light to keep out the dark. When their parents meet and fall in love, it's a shock to both children who have absolutely nothing in common. As the childrentry to get used to their new lives, tragedy threatens to strike. Both Tom and Zofia are forced to reassess what is truly important - and what makes a family. Shortlisted for the Carnie medal Award.

#### Author Spotlight - Peter Bunzl



Peter's books have been translated into 16 languages and sold nearly half-a-million copies worldwide. His books have been nominated for the Carnegie, the Waterstones Book Prize and the Brandford Boase Award. He grew up in London with one sister, an antique dealer dad and an artist mum. He always wanted to tell stories, and as a child loved visiting film and TV sets, where his mum worked as a costume designer. Here's some fun resources on his website to compliment the books...

https://www.peterbunzl.com/resources

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#### FROM PAGE TO SCREEN ON NETFLIX





We have a fantastic set of new books in the library by Leigh Bardugo in the Shadow and Bone Grisha Trilogy. A brilliant new second series has started on Netflix, which many of our students have been enjoying. The series adapt the first three books, Siege and Storm, Ruin and Rising and Shadow and Bone, with season two incorporating the heist event in Six of Crows. Catch up on Netflix NOW! A thrilling series! Watch the trailer here -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0dOmcdz-PN0

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