

Platform guide

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1.1. Teacher sign up

The Admin for your account will issue each teacher with a unique activation code. Complete the teacher sign up form, using this code.

fictionexpress.com/teacher-signup/

If you have received an invitation by email from your school administrator, you can follow the link directly to the registration page.



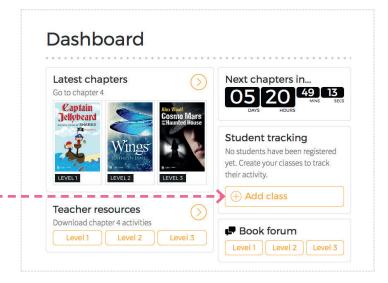
Teacher sign up Did your school manager give you a signup code? Fill in your contact details and access your teacher panel. Please note, fields in bold are required User data FIRST NAME LAST NAME E-MAIL **USERNAME** (lower case) **PASSWORD** REPEAT PASSWORD Teacher data **ACTIVATION CODE** (managed by the resources manager) ☐ I agree to the membership terms Sign up



1.2. Add classes

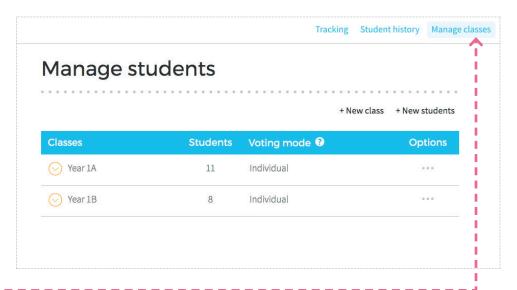
When first setting up your account, you can add your first class directly from your dashboard:





From the **My students > Manage classes** section you can add and manage all of your classes and students.

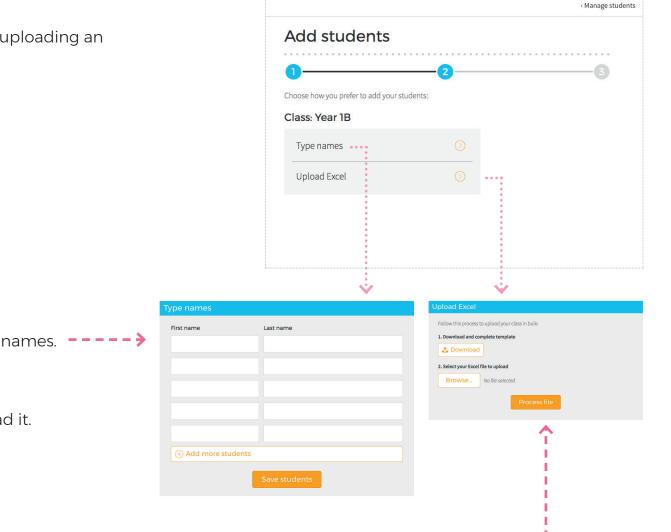






1.3. Add students

Students can be added manually or in bulk by uploading an excel file. Choose the option you prefer.



1.3.1. Online form

The only student data needed are first and last names. --

1.3.2. Bulk upload

Download the template, complete it and upload it.



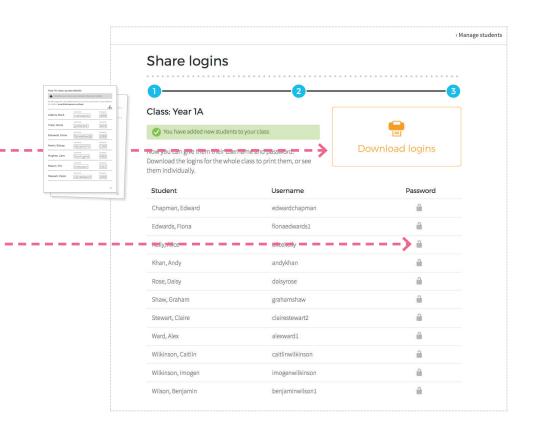
1.4. Share logins

Once a class has been created and students have been added, you can get the student login details to share them.

- By class. Print and give the login details out to your class by using the button at the top of the page.
- By student. Also, you can see individual login details by clicking on the student name.

Ready to start! Now, your students can start using Fiction Express with their own logins.

fictionexpress.com/login/



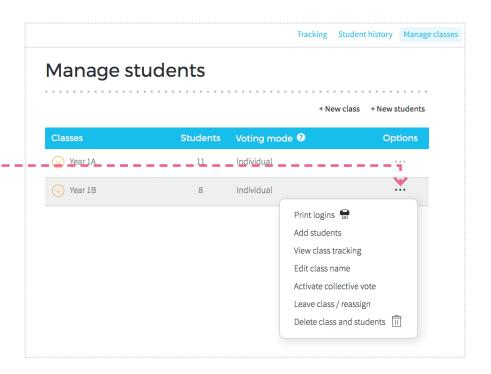
2. Student management



From the **My students > Manage classes** section you will find the class and student options.

2.1. Class options

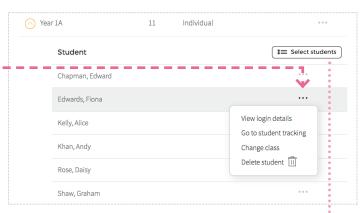
Print logins, add new students, edit class name, leave class or reassign it to another teacher...



2.2. Student options

Click on the class to show its students. Each student has individual options, such as view login details or change class.

Multiple selection. If you need to make changes for various students at once, click on 'Select students' button.



3. Read online or offline



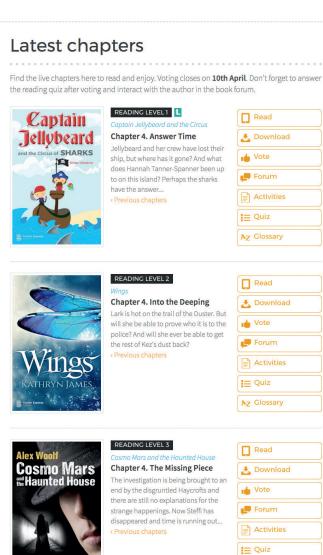
As a teacher, once you have created your account and created the class or reading groups, you are ready to use Fiction Express in the classroom.

Each chapter can be read **online**, **offline or on paper**.

3.1. Reading levels

All users have access to all **three levels**. Therefore, using Fiction Express, teachers can manage different reading levels in the same class and students can read additional books for pleasure, including the *Library books* which have been previously created with the Fiction Express methodology.

Level 1 now includes an **entry level version**—Level 1 Lite—, with a reduced word count and simplified text, so that students who find Level 1 too challenging can also enjoy the story.



Az Glossary

3. Read online or offline



3.2. All devices

Fiction Express is compatible with laptops, tablets and mobile phones. Read on whichever device you prefer.

Our online reader offers added accessibility for dyslexic readers in different font and background colour combinations.



3.3. Read on paper

In addition, chapters from Live books can be downloaded as PDF in single page (e-reader friendly) or in double page (printer friendly). Choose the option you prefer.

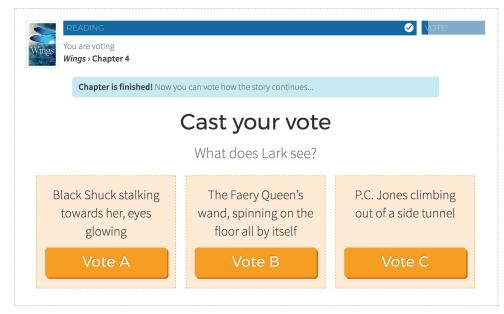


4. Online voting



4.1. Individual vote

At the end of each chapter, you will come to the voting page. Choose your option to register your vote, then wait until the next chapter is released to see which option won.

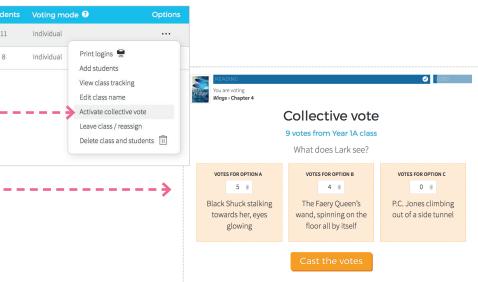


4.2. Collective vote

Teachers can also choose the **Collective vote** option for their classes. This option is used when chapters are read offline (PDF) and discussed in class as a group.

Find it in Teacher panel , My students (in class details)

When this option is activated, the teacher introduces the number of votes for each option.

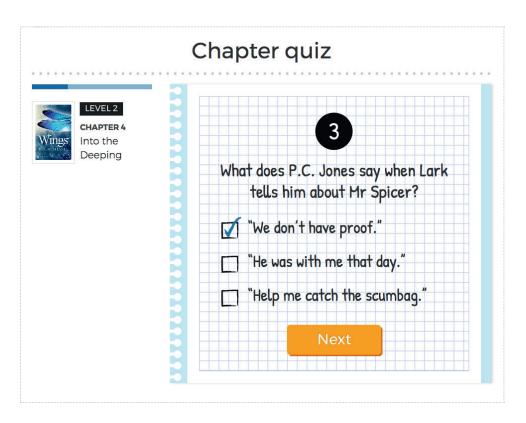


5. Reading quiz



Finally, after voting, you will see the **reading quiz**, which includes 10 multiple choice questions about that chapter.

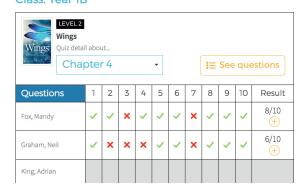
TIP: The order of the answers shuffles each time, so if you're discussing the questions in class refer to the content rather than 'first, second, third' as the order is different for everyone!



5.1. Quiz result tracking

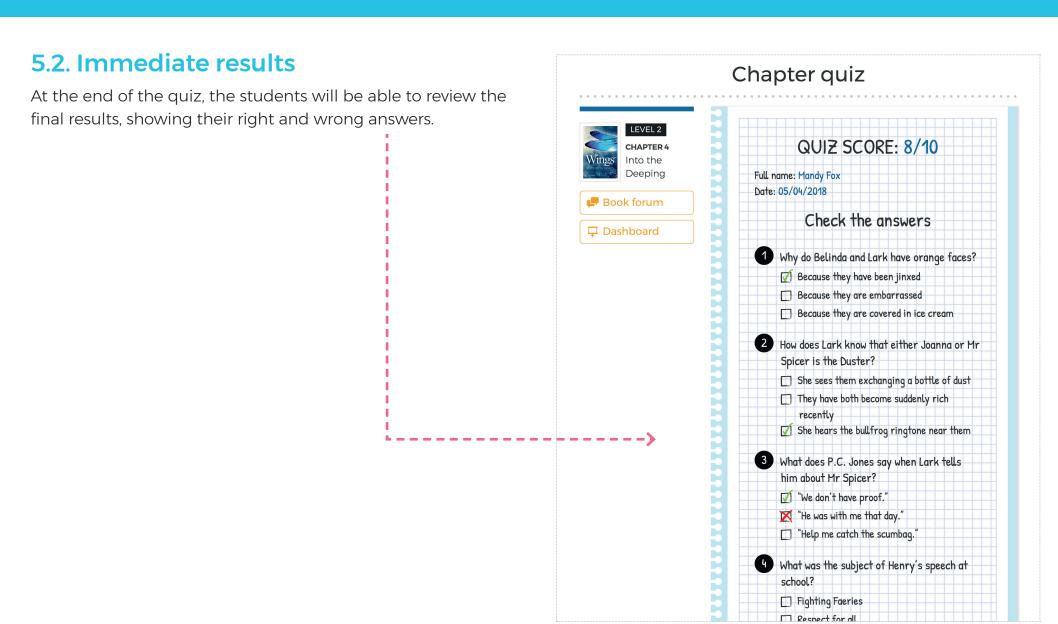
The online reading comprehension questions allow you to track your students' reading comprehension of each chapter and their progress.

Class: Year 1B



5. Reading quiz





6. Book forum

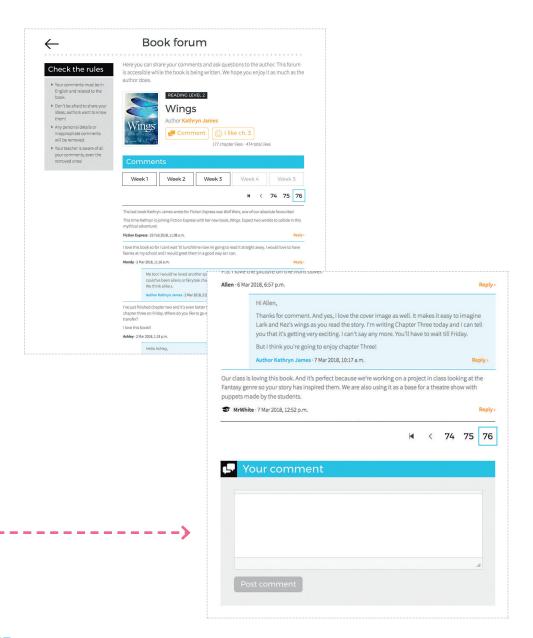


Each live book has a related **book forum** where students can talk to the authors while the book is being written.

Encourage your class to participate and be part of the story!

Inappropriate comments will be removed! As their teacher you will be notified by email.

Excellent comments will be rewarded! You will receive a PDF certificate to print and present to the student



7. Activities

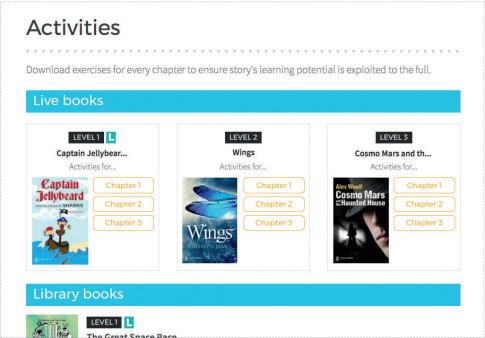


With each chapter, teachers can download additional **exercises** to ensure reaching the story's full learning potential. They can be found in the Activities section.



Downloadable in PDF format and available for **every chapter**, the teacher resources include ideas for a guided reading session, and cover spelling, punctuation, grammar, creative writing and other crosscurricular links, to ensure you get the most out of the book's learning potential.





As well as the **Activities** section you can find a link to download them next to each chapter.



8. Student tracking



In the **My students > Tracking** section you can check the progress of your class. This panel shows individual student's reading, voting, book forum activity and quiz results.

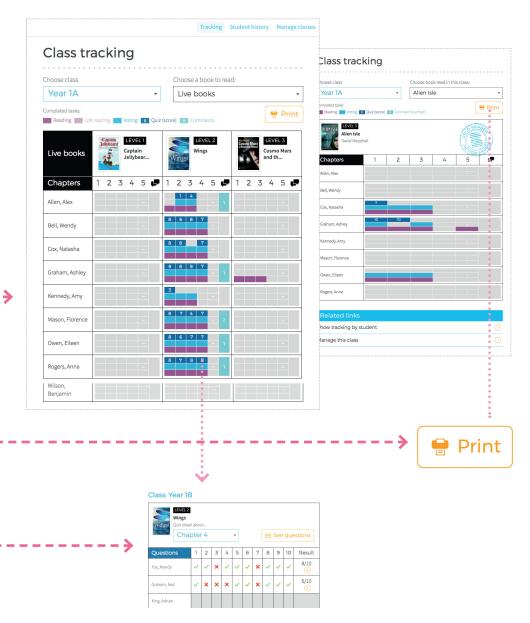


8.1. Class tracking

From this view you can check **all students in a class** and their achievements in relation to the three *Live books* or to a *Library book*. You can select the class and the book.

You can download the **report in PDF** format for printing using the button at the top of the table.





8. Student tracking



8.2. Student history

Here you can check individual student achievements.

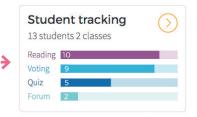
You can choose one student at a time, and filter by class. ------

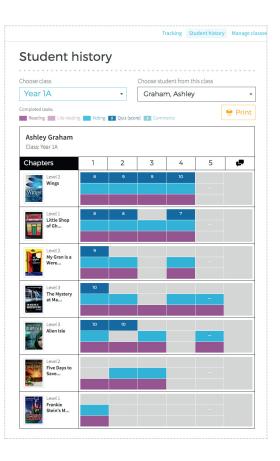
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8.3. Tracking summary

In your **dashboard** you can see a graph which summarises the achievements of your class.







8. Student tracking



8.4. Student self-tracking

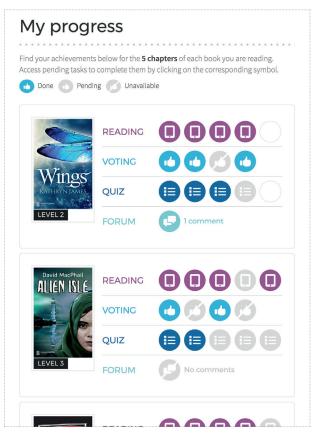
The students can also track their own achievements and directly access any unfinished tasks in the **My progress** section.

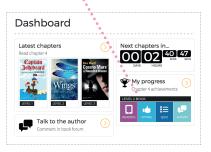
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8.4.1. Tracking summary

Also, in their **dashboard** students can see a summary of the **My Progress** section, showing up-to-date chapter achievements.









Get started in 5 minutes

- Activate your teacher account
- Create classes and upload students
- Give students their personal login

Turn your students into reading fans

Fiction Express gives teachers an easy to implement resource to show how exciting and fun reading can be. The live co-creation and voting format naturally opens up lively class discussions and creates a unique level of student engagement.



* London / UK Time

- Online, offline & PDF
- Accessibility for dyslexic readers
- Every week the author writes a new chapter

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- Individual reader vote
- Also collective class vote available
- 1 reader = 1 vote
- All readers decide what happens next
- Track reading comprehension in real-time

Multiple-choice quiz

Easy class preparation

Immediate results

- Until Tuesdays, 16:00*
- Fridays, 11:00* on the plot

ENJOY the activities

Follow individual student activity and progress

- Personalised grading
- Printable report
- Student dashboard

- Additional teacher resources for your class preparation
- Guided reading ideas UK curriculum aligned
- Printable PDF
- Moderated forum
- The author gets realtime feedback

Students have real

interaction with the

authors

During 5-week

live period



Live books

18 new books per year written by our renowned authors, guided by the readers' votes.



More than 115 books

previously created with our methodology.

Four reading levels available

	English native readers		English as 2 nd language	
	Year Group	ATOS	CEFR*	ACTFL**
Level 1 Lite	Yr 2	1.5-2.5	Al	Novice Mid
Level 1	Yr 2-3	2.5-3.7	A2	Novice High
Level 2	Yr 4-5	3.8-5.0	B1/B2	Intermediate
Level 3	Yr 6-7	5.1-6.8	B2/C1	Advanced

* Common European Framework of Reference / ** American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages

Flexible and easy to implement

Whole-class. whole-book reading

- Reading comprehension questions
- Activities for class discussions
- Resources for creative writing and cross-curricular activities

Guided reading

- 4 levels to meet all students' needs
- Ouestions and worksheets
- Inspire and spotlight words to facilitate vocabulary learning

Family learning and reading for pleasure

- Weekly release of new chapters
- Shared discussion of voting options Compatible on any mobile device
- Gamified reading experience

English language training (ELT)

- 4 progressive reading levels
- Real English stories (not graded)
- Glossary for vocabulary learning
- Reading comprehension questions