



Dear Parents!

We are pleased to share with you a new Digital Online Library Fingal Library have created to support your child's literacy skills in their native language.

LOTE Online – Language Other Than English - provides access to 1500 + digital picture books for kids in 50 + languages with new books and languages added to the collection each month. Each book also comes with English translations to help develop multilingual reading and listening skills.

LOTE Online is offered FREE to members of Fingal Libraries. If you would like to become a member of the library for FREE you can sign up [here](#).

We would really encourage our parents to join and use this fantastic resource Fingal Libraries have offered. Parents can support their children to develop their literacy skills and a love of reading, by reading to and with them in their native language.

Sharing multicultural literature and books written in native and non-native languages also serves as a powerful tool, helping children to gain a better understanding of both their own culture and the cultures of others. This deeper knowledge and exposure can bridge the gap between students from diverse cultural backgrounds and identities.

More information on **LOTE Online** and how to access it is attached below!