

## WHY I LIKE TO READ BOOKS.

I love books! It may sound strange, but I really do. Ever since I was a little girl I've read a lot of books. My mother even used to ask me questions about the book I was reading, because she thought I read too fast to understand anything. But I could always retell the story. I really love to drift away into the fantasyworld of a book. This is what I think is the best about reading but there are other advantages about reading., let me describe a few.

**To begin with** it's very relaxing. You can sit down at a quiet place and just forget about the world around you for a while. Sometimes when I feel like I have a million things to do I take a break, make a cup of tea and cuddle up in the corner of the sofa with a good book. After just a little while of reading I've got my strength up to take care of everything. It's **also** a great way to calm down before going to bed.

**Secondly** you can bring a book with you almost everywhere. It doesn't matter if you're on the subway, on the bus, on the beach or on a journey. There's always room for a book in the bag.

**Another good thing** is that the way to school feels so much shorter if you have a book to read on the subway.

**Furthermore** there are so many different kinds of books. You can vary between reading novels with a lot of love or more educational books. Personally I think you can learn something in every book. It's really funny to try to identify with the characters of the book and to imagine the environment. I think reading develops the brain and gives you the ability to understand other people.

**Besides**, you develop your language if you read a lot because you learn new words all the time.

**To sum things up** you can say that the best way to learn things, or to develop your language is to read. And though it's educating it's also very relaxing and entertaining. Imagine a hot summerday on the beach with a cold lemonade and a good book. Personally I can't think of anything better!