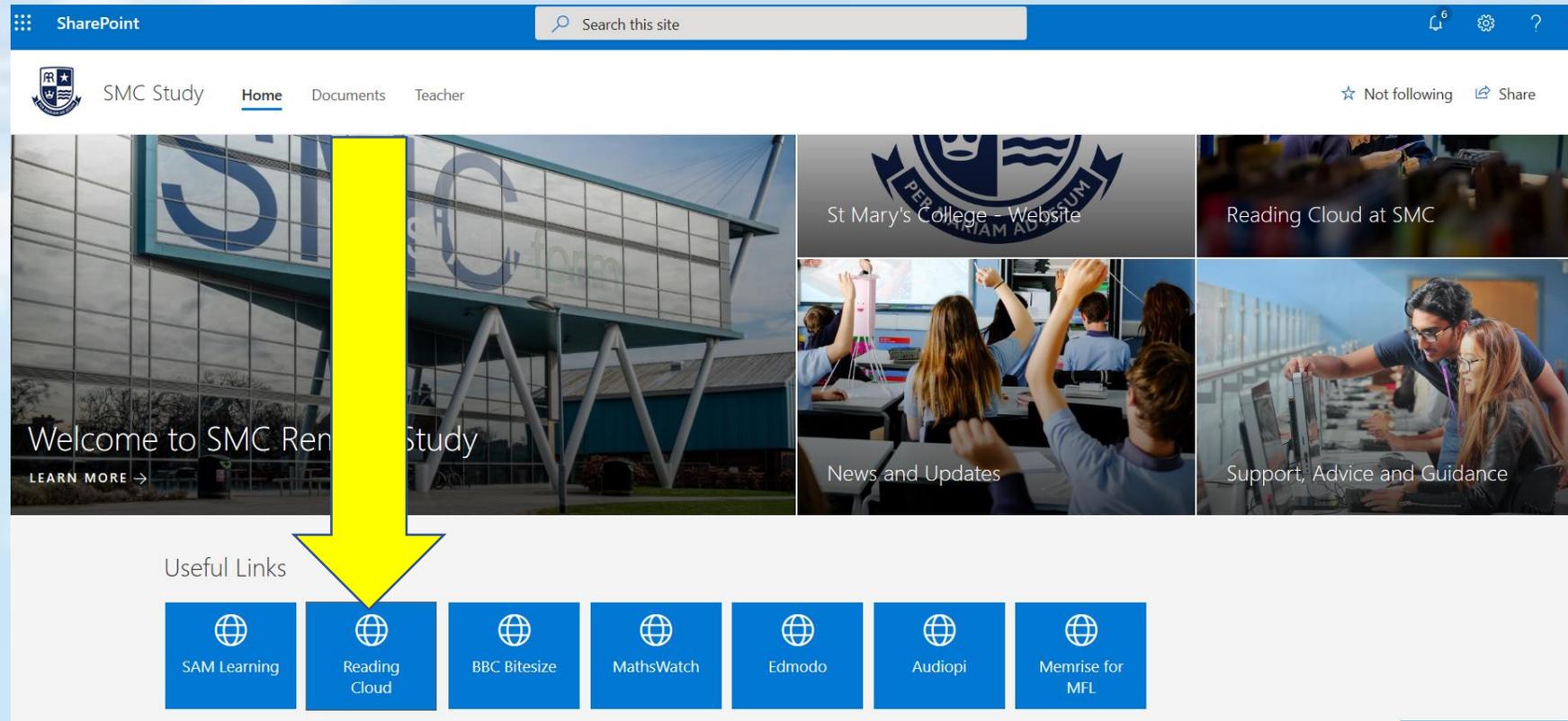


Accessing the Reading Cloud from home

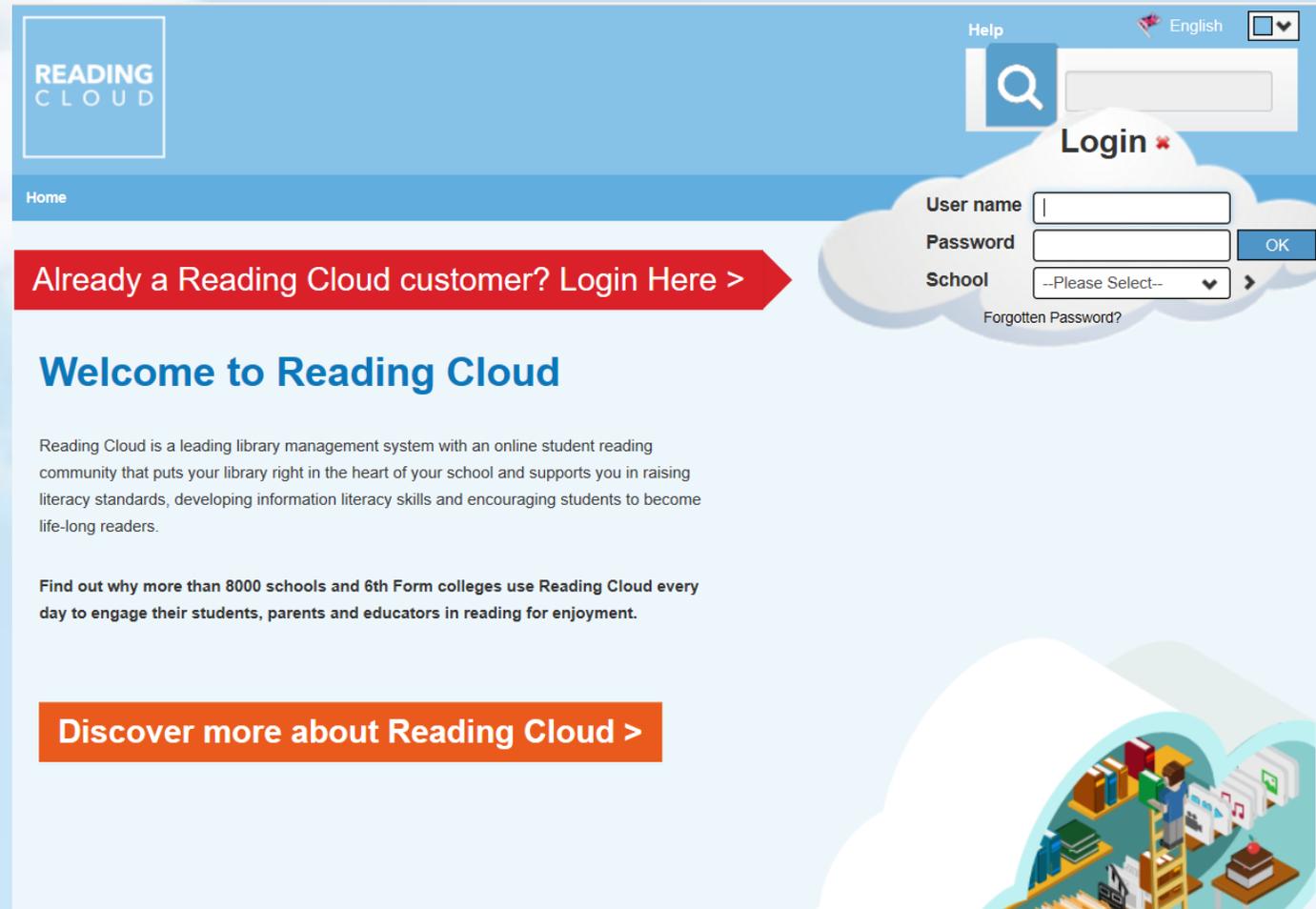
1. If you are using **Sharepoint** from home , go to **SMC Study** and then click on the Reading Cloud blue globe icon



2. Or go straight to the web page at www.readingcloud.net

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3. You will arrive at the Reading Cloud home page which looks like this:



The screenshot shows the Reading Cloud home page. At the top left is the Reading Cloud logo. To the right of the logo is a search bar with a magnifying glass icon and a dropdown menu for language, currently set to English. Below the search bar is a 'Login' button with a red asterisk. A large red arrow points to the right with the text 'Already a Reading Cloud customer? Login Here >'. Below this is a 'Welcome to Reading Cloud' heading. The main content area contains a paragraph of text about the system and a link to 'Discover more about Reading Cloud >'. At the bottom right, there is an illustration of a library with a person reading.

READING CLOUD

Help English

Search

Login *

Home

Already a Reading Cloud customer? Login Here >

Welcome to Reading Cloud

Reading Cloud is a leading library management system with an online student reading community that puts your library right in the heart of your school and supports you in raising literacy standards, developing information literacy skills and encouraging students to become life-long readers.

Find out why more than 8000 schools and 6th Form colleges use Reading Cloud every day to engage their students, parents and educators in reading for enjoyment.

Discover more about Reading Cloud >

User name

Password OK

School --Please Select-- >

Forgotten Password?

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4. Get your **barcode** or **reading cloud log in number** and use it as both your **username** and your **password**



5. In the 'School' box, just type **HU6** (the beginning of the school postcode) . Our school is the last in the drop down list. Select and press **OK** to log on

6. If you have lost your barcode number please email library@smchull.org to get a reminder

A screenshot of the Reading Cloud login page. The page has a blue header with 'Help' and 'English' options. Below the header is a search bar and a 'Login' button. The login form has three fields: 'User name' with '12345', 'Password' with '.....', and 'School' with a dropdown menu. The dropdown menu is open, showing a list of schools with 'HU6' entered in the search box. The schools listed are: Hall Road Academy (HU6 8PP), Newland St Johns Church Of England Academy (HU6 7LS), St Anthonys Catholic Primary School (HU6 9AA), and St Marys College (HU6 7TN). An 'OK' button is next to the password field. A 'Forgotten' link is visible below the school dropdown.

Using the Sora app/ web page to get e-books

1. On your computer browser or in the app store go to the **Sora** app.

Either : www.soraapp.com or look for this icon in the app store :

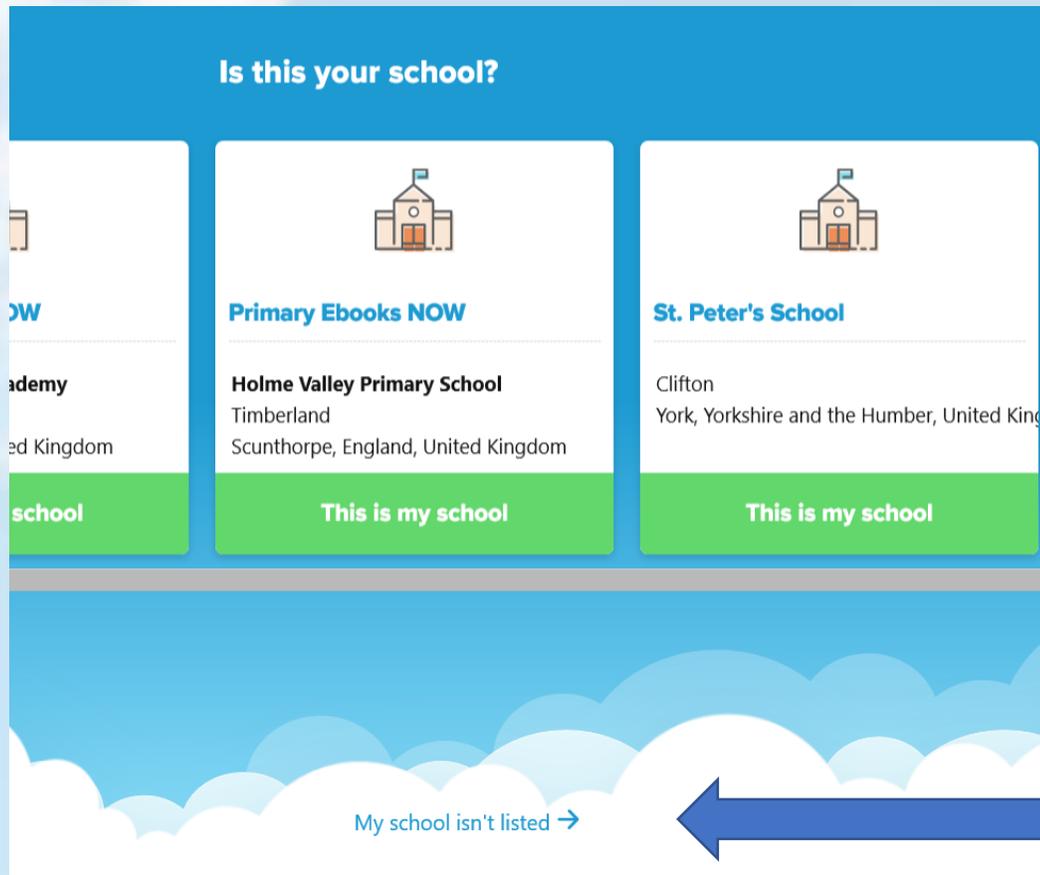


A useful 'how to' video can be found at:
<https://resources.overdrive.com/sora-overview/>

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2. Once the app is downloaded , open it up and you will see a page like this:



Click 'My school isn't listed' here, but do not search for St Mary's College, instead type **Secondary Ebooks NOW** in this box and press this when it comes up

Using the Sora app/ web page to get e-books



3. This log in screen will appear

Sign into your school

Secondary Ebooks NOW

Username
22316-XXXXX

Password
●●●●

Sign in

In this drop down menu, again select **Secondary Ebooks NOW**

The username is the SMC unique PIN **22316-XXXXX** followed by your reading cloud log in number

Your password is just your reading cloud barcode number repeated again **XXXXXX**

Press sign in

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4. Click on the magnifying glass to use the search facility to find books you want



Type the title of the specific book, i.e. 'The Hunger Games'

Or type 'audio books' to search through all the books you can listen to!