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New seat of learning at school

WHITLEY BAY: A SPECIAL story chair has been unveiled at a school library to encourage youngsters to read.

The brightly-coloured seat has been installed at Marine Park First School, in Whitley Bay.

It was created by artist Penny Payne and decorated by the pupils.

Penny, whose daughter Maddie attends Marine Park, said: "I'm sure the story-telling chair will really inspire the children to read and talk about books as well.

"It's been great to work with the children on this because they have been full of enthusiasm and ideas."