



RESPONSE: William Dore with his reply Picture: SARAH CALDECOTT

William writes to top

A BOY who wrote to David Cameron to ask for his help to save a library from closure has received a reply from the Prime Minister's office.

William Dore, seven, a pupil at Cockerton Primary School, in Darlington, was upset when he heard councillors were considering closing Cockerton library, which he visits regularly with his classmates and family.

William told his mother, Rachel, that he wanted to write to Prime Minister David

Cameron, who he said was "the most important man in the world".

To his surprise, William not only received a letter from Mr Cameron's office thanking him for his "excellent" letter, but also a response from the Department for Culture, Media and Sport, which oversees library services in the UK.

Darlington Borough Council has since voted to save the library, although with reduced hours.