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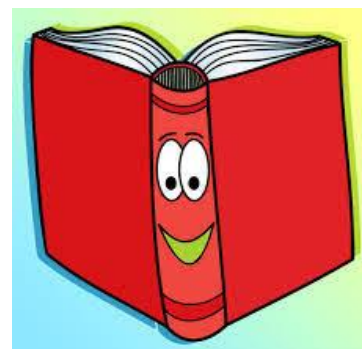
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Dear Parent/Carer(s)

## Exciting News about Reading in Y1

This week, our Y1 children will be bringing home **brand new reading books**. We have bought lots of new books to help our children use their knowledge of sounds and practise their decoding skills.



Each week, your child will be given a new book which they will keep for the week. We would like them to practise reading it over and over again so that they can read it fluently. Please sign their diary when they have read 3 times with you. Staff in school will help them get a new book.

***Please look after our new books and return them to school. Each book is part of a set and we use the books in school when we are doing group reading. If you misplace a book or one becomes damaged then please let us know as soon as possible.***

Each week, your child also visits our school library. Here they select a 'reading for pleasure' book which they can take home and share with you. We hope that these books will help foster your child's love of reading. When you read this book or any other book with your child, please record this in their reading diary too.

If you have any questions then please speak to your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your support,

Mrs S. Boddy

Assistant Head EYFS/KS1

