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Dear Parents/Carers

Head Teacher: Mr M. Mountcastle

Today we have launched our new re stocked library and we are now using a system called Junior Librarian. The children each have their own library barcode on a bookmark which they can use in school to borrow a book and at home they can log into our library system using their username and password. The username is the number on their barcode and the password is: sthughs. The bookmark can be kept at home as we have copies in school.

The website is: <http://u003735.microlibrarian.net> and on the website children can write reviews, search the library, read online books and access websites which may be linked to books. As with all external websites we cannot control the content but Junior Librarian have vetted and approved their recommendations. The first time you access the system it may ask you to install Microsoft Silverlight; please allow this to be downloaded and installed on your computer as the system cannot run without it. There is also an App called 'iMLS', available for iPhone, iPad, iPod Touch, Android & Windows Phone 7. This App can be freely downloaded by going to your App provider and searching 'iMLS'.

Within school the children can borrow one book, for two weeks and each class will visit the library on a given day every other week. If children need to change a book before their next class visit they can do this at lunchtime.

It has been a huge undertaking and I would like to thank Mrs Smith for all her hard work and dedication to re stock and upgrade the library system. I would also like to thank her parent helpers, Mrs Dooley, Mrs Cooke, Mrs Slattery and Mr Kemp for the wonderful curtain material.

As a school we are committed to improving all the children's literacy standards and having parents and carers engaged with reading in this way will help to support our commitment.

Thank you for your support and happy reading!

Yours sincerely

M Mountcastle

