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Dear Parents/Carers

Friday 21st January

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As you know we have invested very heavily in our reading stock over the past 5 years. The reading scheme is now fully stocked, closely linked to the phonics teaching and the library is brimming with exciting and stimulating literature. The reading books and scheme, particularly in reception and Year 1, is linked very closely with the phonics teaching, hence why your child will only bring a book home they are confident reading. This may seem 'easy' at times but we can only send books home once the child is confident with the sounds within it.

The library books however are slightly different in that the child has chosen it themselves. It is very important when at home that this book is one you can all enjoy together; so please do not be alarmed if it appears too hard or does not link directly to the scheme. It is for reading pleasure. The children change their library books once a fortnight.

Unfortunately though, many books are not being returned within a reasonable timeframe resulting in stock running low and choice being limited. Please can I request library books are returned on time in line with the time table. I have attached the dates to half term below to assist you. The timetable to Easter can be found here https://files.schudio.com/sthugh/files/School Library Visits.pdf

As we move away from COVID restrictions we will once again hold reading and phonic workshops for you. Update to follow. e & deve

Thank you for your support.

Thursday 27 th January	2D 2/3M 4S 5M
Thursday 3rd February	6J 6E 4/5D 1S 1A 3Mc
Thursday 10 th February	2D 2/3M 4S 5M