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Reading – KS2

Dear parents/carers,

Thank you to those of you who were able to attend the recent reading workshops it was lovely to be able to talk with you about our new books. We are very excited to have so many new resources for our children to read and share with you. Thank you to the PTA who have raised so much for school.

This week, children will be choosing their new books which are matched to the book bands. Because we have new books, Oxford Reading Tree now use numbers, rather than colours. This is a change of name only for the book bands and your child's reading level has not changed.

In each book, there are support notes at the beginning which give ideas for questions and prompts before, during and after reading. This is a crucial part of reading for children and helps them to develop their understanding and comprehension skills whilst reading.

Your child will come home with one reading book which matches their current reading level. It is important to read and share this book at least twice before changing it as this will help children to fully understand the information. Re-reading is an important skill for all children to learn. There are also many more e-books available online (<u>https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/</u>) which match to your child's current book band.

As always, please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions. Happy reading!

Kind regards, Miss Killick











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