Tuesday 22nd September, 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Ref: Home Learning

Your child soon be bringing home a reading for pleasure book every Friday. Please ensure this book is returned to school every Wednesday so that it can be changed ready to send home for the weekend.

Reading together at home helps children develop a love of stories and supports their language development. We encourage you to enjoy sharing the book with your child throughout the week.

Please add comments to your child's reading journal to let us know if they liked the book or any other comments they may have during your discussions. We will include some example questions on the inside cover of the reading journal that can support conversations about stories to develop your child's early comprehension skills.

Please note that any lost or damaged books may incur a replacement charge.

Also inside your child's reading journal will be their unique username and password for Numbots. Numbots is a website that helps build early foundational maths skills and children enjoy earning coins by answering questions correctly they can spend embellishing their robot avatar. Whilst we do not promote excessive screen time for young children, we hope you can agree that 5 minutes a day, 3 times a week is reasonable.

Numbots is used from Nursery to Year 1-2 and even further up the school for some children with additional needs.

Please ask if you need any help navigating Numbots.

Yours faithfully,

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