

READING GUIDE

FOR PARENTS – YEAR 2



A little reading, often, makes a big difference.

Reading together at home helps children build confidence, fluency and a love of books.

Even 5–10 minutes make a difference.

WHAT TO DO WHEN A CHILD GETS STUCK

1 SEGMENT

Say the word slowly.
Break it down into sounds.

c-a-t

2 BLEND

Blend the sounds together to say the word.

cat

3 RE-READ

Re-read the whole sentence to check it makes sense.

The cat sat on the mat.

DON'T FORGET TO TALK!

LET'S TALK ABOUT THE BOOK!

Ask questions to help your child think about what they are reading.

- What will happen next?
- Who are the main characters?
- Why do you think they did that?
- What was your favourite part?
- What does this word mean?
- Can you find any words that rhyme?

BOOK CHANGES

Books are changed on **MONDAY** and **WEDNESDAY.**

PLEASE REMEMBER

- Books and records in each day.
- Sign or initial record book to indicate reading at home.
- If book is not signed or initialled we will assume the book does not need changing.

Reading every day helps your child grow in confidence, improve their skills and enjoy stories even more!

Thank you for supporting your child reading at home! Mrs Randa Year 2