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Dear Parents/Carers

Reading Reward Scheme

I am writing to provide you with some information about our reading reward scheme which encourages all the pupils in school to read regularly.

As you know, the children are encouraged to read at home and school every day with comments written in their reading records. Older children are able to write their own reflective comments and younger children have comments written by an adult. Each comment represents an occasion when a child has read their book. Comments are counted and added to a tally chart by the class teacher and awards are won after a certain number of times that a child has read.

Awards are presented for the following:

20 comments	Bronze sticker	5 team points
40 comments	Silver sticker	5 team points
60 comments	Gold sticker	5 team points
80 comments	Bookmark	5 team points
100 comments	Book	5 team points

- Comments can be written by the pupil or an adult
- Key Stage 2 pupils write their own reflective comments which should refer to an aspect of the text that they have read. They should use the following sentence openers:
 - I liked it when...for example...
 - I was shocked when...
 - I predict...will happen next
 - This part made me feel...
 - I wonder...
 - I can't believe that...
 - My favourite part was...because...
 - The key events were...
 - I particularly enjoyed...because...
 - I didn't expect it when...
- Your child is encouraged to read as frequently as possible every day, but there is a limit of 2 comments in reading records per day (maximum 14 per week)
- A member of staff will check reading records regularly, tick the comments and update the class tally chart
- Children will progress through the scheme at different rates depending on how often they read

Thank you for supporting us with your child's enjoyment of reading. If you have any questions, please contact me or your child's teacher.

Yours faithfully

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