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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are always looking at new ways to encourage our pupils to develop a love of reading and to broaden their experiences with different authors and a range of stories and genres.

Last year, we relaunched our 100 Reads Challenge. This was where we gave our pupils a list of 100 book titles to try and read within a two year period (Year 3/4 or Year 5/6). Within the selection of books for each age range, there were different styles, genres and authors for the children to enjoy - incorporating modern and classic stories and non-fiction and poetry too.

This year, to make it a bit more manageable, we have broken the list of books down into 50 reads per year group. These book titles have been collated on a record sheet and put at the front of your child's reading record. We have a copy of every book in school so that children can bring home one of the titles from the list as required.

Some of the books are challenging reads and we believe that it is just as rewarding if you share the reading with your child or even read the story to them. All we ask is that you record the reading in their home/school book and sign off when you have read one of the titles on the accompanying sheet that outlines all of the titles on offer. Most of all, enjoy the books and the wonderful stories.

Once again, we hope you will encourage your child to take part in this challenge and we look forward to seeing who can read the most during the course of the year.

Happy reading,

Yours faithfully,

C. Butler

(English Subject Leader)

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