



Reading Reward System

We are excited to introduce this year's reading reward system 'READING IS OUT OF THIS WORLD!'

Research shows that children who enjoy reading, do better at school in all subjects. Reading with your child can be fun and very rewarding and even if your child is a confident reader, listening to them read supports how important it is. This system is aimed at encouraging your child to read at home regularly to you or another adult at home.

They can choose to read any books that appeal to them, for example stories or information books on hobbies or interests e.g. football. They don't have to just read school books; newspapers, magazines, recipes, games instructions can be read together and still be part of the process of learning to read for enjoyment.

Our expectation is that your child reads at home to an adult AT LEAST 3 TIMES A WEEK, in addition to reading that they do daily, in school.

Every child will bring home a '**READING IS OUT OF THIS WORLD**' bookmark which will be used for every term this year. Every time you / or another adult hear your child read you must sign and date their reading record and write a short comment if possible. Every **FRIDAY** – your child's class teacher or TP, will check the record. If they have read **at least 3 times** that week – they will be awarded a '**STAR**' onto their bookmark. Please try to ensure that your child has their reading record book in school **EVERY FRIDAY**, otherwise they may 'miss out' on collecting their star.

Children will be awarded with a **READING IS OUT OF THIS WORLD** certificate if they have collected the number of stickers stated on the bookmark for each term. If a child receives a certificate every term, they will be awarded with a special prize at the end of the year 🏆

If you have any worries, concerns or questions about your child's reading, please do not hesitate to come in and see your child's class teacher.

Let's get reading!

Kind regards,

Mrs Clements
Reading Lead