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Reading Books and Library Usage

Dear Parents and Friends of Castle Hill,

Thank you for your patience whilst a safe plan was created to allow the whole school to send reading scheme books home. We really appreciate your enthusiasm to help your children to read at home!

To ensure every child is on the appropriate level, your child will come home with a book the week commencing **Monday 19th October.** From now on, each year group will have a set day in which they will change their books and bring them home. We ask that the books remain at home for the week until they are due to be returned. Please ensure books are brought back on the same day of the week that the new book will be issued. Following the latest guidance, when books are returned, they will be quarantined for 72 hours before they are put back on the bookshelves to come home. The timetable below indicates which day of the week you can expect books to be changed.

Day	Year
Monday	Yr1
Tuesday	Yr R/Yr5
Wednesday	Yr4
Thursday	Yr3
Friday	Yr2

If your child is in year 2 or above, they may also bring in **one** book from home of their choice per week. This book **must** stay in their space at their tables for the week, but this is not compulsory.

Finally, we appreciate that accidents happen, so please don't hesitate to contact us if something happens to a book at home as they will need to be replaced as quickly as possible. Please note that there may be a small fine to cover the cost of the book. Also, we were lucky enough over the summer holidays to have all classroom libraries updated with new, high quality texts. We aim to keep updating and changing the books regularly throughout the year.

Thank you once again for your ongoing support and patience.

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Miss Wyers & The Castle Hill Team