

Reading newsletter Autumn 2020



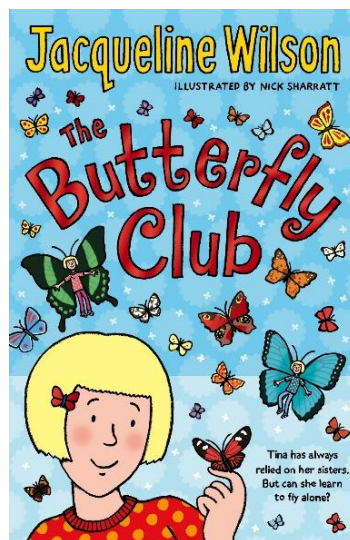
It's a brand new school year at Chapelford Primary and after a crazy 6 months reading is more important now than it has ever been. We want to share with you some important information about the expectations of your child reading at home, our reading resources and how to read at home with your children.

Each child has a reading record that they take home every night, here they can record every time they read at home. In the front of the reading record is a sticker with your child's expectations of reading. Each child is expected to read at home at least 5 times a week.

Children's Choice

Book Title: The Butterfly Club
Author: Jacqueline Wilson
Recommended by: Olivia Mcmanus
Age: 10

Olivia gave this book a 9 ½ out of 10 because it was almost perfect! She said 'I like this book because it is about a girl who is a triplet and she is the littlest one, it also has very descriptive language!'



Reading for pleasure

As a school we are trying to encourage children to read for pleasure. Soon children will take home a book from their classrooms reading area, this will be a book for children to keep for the week and read and share with families at home, children will then need to return the book to school and swap it for a new one.

The more that you
READ
the more things
you will know.
The more you
LEARN
the more places
you'll go!
Dr. Seuss

Top Tips for Reading at Home!

Check out this article on BBC Bitesize that gives parents tips for supporting their children when reading at home.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zbxby9g>



Reading raffle!



The reading raffle is based upon the reading your child does at home. Each child is expected to read 5 times a week, this could be independently, with an adult or with another child, the expectations for this will be shown at the front of the reading record.

If your child reads 5 times a week or more and has their reading record signed 5 times, then they will be entered into a raffle. The children's names will then be placed in a weekly class raffle to receive a reward.

The weekly raffle winners are then put into a half termly draw and the name drawn at the end of the half term, wins a book.

