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Dear Parent/Carer,

With great pleasure we would like to announce the launch of our 'Recommended Reads'.

This exciting news that we are wanting to share with Parents/Carers has been possible with contributions raised via fundraising opportunities the PTA have organised. With this donation we have been able to buy a range of new and exciting books from our recommended reading list. The books which are now listed on the school website contain a mix of new and archaic texts which have been deemed 'must reads' for children within every year group.

With the launch of the new scheme we will be running a variety of class and individual competitions for Key Stage 2 children. This will involve children being entered into a prize draw each time a recommended reading book is read and a book review completed. The more books which are read and reviewed the more likely that your child/ren will win a prize at the end of the school year! The competition will last for the remainder of this academic year with a new competition starting in September 2021.

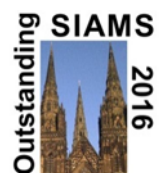
Although Key Stage 1 children will not be taking part in a book reading competition there are now new books available within their year group to be enjoyed.

As you can imagine the purchase of these books has been at a great expense; therefore, we must ensure that all new books are looked after so that other pupils can continue to enjoy them throughout the years. On this note in the event of a book being damaged or lost, we would request a replacement from the family responsible.

Our wonderful new reading scheme would not be possible without the funds donated by the PTA so we would like to say a huge 'thank you' to the PTA for their support and contribution.

Best wishes,

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Year 6 Teacher



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