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Dear Parents

As part of school development work we have been reviewing how home reading books support the development of pupils’ reading skills alongside the reading curriculum in school which involves a variety of activities. At the same time we have undertaken reading assessments with all pupils as part of our assessment cycle which supports our evaluation of the progress individual pupils are making and the next steps for them individually.

This information has been used to identify where children should be on our school reading scheme; the reading book they are bringing home today will reflect this assessment. This book will be changed when the member of staff listening to them feels that it is appropriate for them to do so.

Please do continue to supplement school reading books with the variety of library and own books which we know our pupils are fortunate to have. Where you would like to supplement the school reading scheme can I ask that you purchase books from a different scheme to the Oxford Reading Tree which we use as a school to enable the children to engage with a variety of reading material.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S. Vaughan