THE GROWING READERS

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WE'RE BACK!
We hope you enjoyed your well-deserved summer break and are ready and raring for the new academic year. We have lots of exciting things planned for the term ahead and will be continuing our quest to get every child enjoying reading! As always, if you have any questions or need a book recommendation, please do not hesitate to get in touch – we are here to help!
Happy reading, Miss Ayers

This half term's reading events:



Reading is Magic Festival – 26th-30th September 2022
The Reading is Magic Festival is returning this month. There are so many writers, illustrators, and poets taking part in the five-day festival. Its aim is to promote creativity and connection through stories and shared experiences and there truly is something for everyone!

Poetry Post – Thursday 6th October 2022
On Thursday 6th October, we will be delivering poetry to the village and posting poetry to the local village of Broughton. This will be part of a week-long initiative to celebrate poetry as part of National Poetry Day.

Book Swap – Friday 14th October 2022
The first book swap of the academic year! We invite children to bring in any of their unwanted books. This sustainable approach allows children to swap books they have already read for brand-new reads.

Parent Reading and Phonics Workshop – Date TBC
We will be inviting parents of Squirrels children to join us for a workshop on early reading and phonics teaching. This workshop will take place after school and will aim to give you an insight into your child's experience of learning to read and how you can best support them at home.

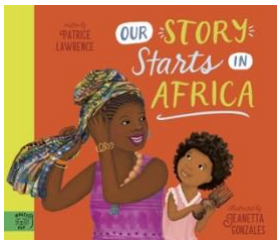
Summer Reading Challenge
A huge well done to all the children who got involved in the summer bingo reading challenge. There were lots of children who attempted it and those who completed their bingo sheet were entered into a wheel of names. The winner was Cody Dixon from Badgers, and his chosen book was David Walliams' brand-new novel Spaceboy which will be released on September 29th. Well done to everyone who got involved in the reading challenge over summer!

Hampshire School Library Service and Sora

Broughton has gone live with Hampshire School Library Service's new online platform, Sora. Here you can enjoy an exciting integrated collection of premium ebooks, audiobooks, comics, and magazines available on computers and devices like smartphones and tablets, anytime, anywhere! Your child will be sent home with new log in details to use. To get started, you will need to search Sora on your internet browser or download the Sora app or explore in browser https://soraapp.com. Enter the setup code hampshiresls and sign in with your school credentials. The Sora app is available through the Google Play and Apple App stores.

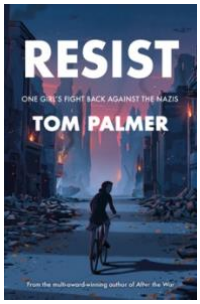


Key Stage 1 Book of the Month



Join Tante and her inquisitive niece as they share the story of how her family came to the Caribbean, through the dark days of colonization and slavery, to the emergence of a thriving, contemporary community.

Key Stage 2 Book of the Month



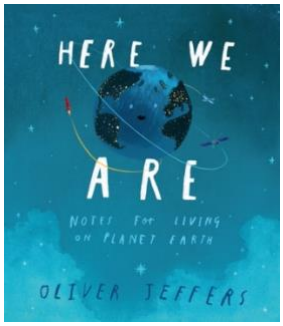
Award-winning author Tom Palmer shines a light on the incredible work of the WWII Dutch resistance, in a story inspired by the childhood of Hollywood legend Audrey Hepburn.

Topic Reads

Don't forget to look at your child's class topic reads for this half term – it includes lots of book recommendations (fiction and non-fiction) of additional reading around their topic. These can also be found on the school website.

A Book for Bedtime

Here We Are is an utterly heartfelt book from Oliver Jeffers.



Our world can be a bewildering place, especially if you've only just got here. Your head will be filled with questions, so let's explore what makes our planet and how we live on it. From land and sky, to people and time, these notes can be your guide and start you on your journey. And you'll figure lots of things out for yourself. Just remember to leave notes for everyone else… Some things about our planet are pretty complicated, but things can be simple, too: you've just got to be kind.

Book Fair Money

We were totally amazed by your generosity in supporting the book fair at the end of the year. Thanks to you all, we raised over £300 which has bought dictionaries for each class, lots of new poetry books and some recently released fiction too! We have booked in the next book fair for summer term this year.

We are very grateful for your support as always. Thank-you.