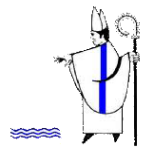




St. Paulinus Catholic Primary School



Inspiring all to live, learn and love in the light of Jesus.
(cf John 8:12)

20th September, 2019

Dear Parents / Carers,

At St. Paulinus, we are always pushing children to achieve their best and encourage them to become independent learners.

To develop that independence in reading, we have devised a library which has been refitted and decorated to attract the readers of all ages. We have ordered lots of new books and the children are thoroughly enjoying spending time in the library. Each class has a library slot during which the children can read and choose a book. This book is to take home.

Children who have not completed the Reading Scheme, will also bring home a second book that will be changed by our support staff weekly (or as and when the books are finished in Key Stage 2, Years 3 – 6). There are 20 levels in the Reading Scheme. If your child was given the 'Free Reader' status without having read all 20 stages, your child will now receive a book from the Reading Scheme. This is only to guarantee that your child will be exposed to all different genres and therefore be familiar with all sorts of reading and not a reflection on their reading. With the book, there will be a reading record booklet. Can I ask for this reading record to be completed either by the parents / carers or by the child? A short comment either saying the amount of pages read or whether the child enjoyed the book (or not / or if they find it too easy or difficult) needs to be written in. This way, we will make sure your child has a book chosen that he / she will enjoy.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to either talk to your class teacher or to myself.

Thank you very much for your support.

Kind regards

Mrs. F. Joyce
English Lead

'An outstanding school, which is deeply committed to the Catholic mission... this school inspires all within this faith community to live life to the full.' Ofsted 2017

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