

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Dear parents and carers,

### **Term 4 Reading Challenge**

We are excited to announce our new reading challenge, which will run throughout term 4.

This term, each child will participate in **Reading Bingo** where they will be encouraged to complete a variety of reading challenges. Each time they complete a challenge, and it is written in their reading record, it will get ticked off during weekly book change. Once a child has completed a row, column, or the entire bingo board they will earn a certificate which will be celebrated within classes.

Please ensure you write in your child's reading record whenever a bingo challenge has been completed. We also welcome families to share pictures of your children completing the challenges by emailing them to the class email addresses.

We are very excited about this reading initiative, as are the children. We very much appreciate your ongoing help, support and encouragement with reading at home. We would also like to remind you that all parents are welcomed into school everyday to read your child's schoolbooks. Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are welcomed in from 3:15pm until 3:30pm and Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 are welcome from 3:20pm until 3:35pm.

If you have any questions about how best to support your child, you can continue to speak to your class teacher.

Yours sincerely

Gemma Hill

Reading Team



# Term 4 – Reading Challenge Bingo

Bingo Board



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

I have drawn a new front cover for a book.	I have read my book using character voices.	I have read whilst wearing my pyjamas.	I have read in bed.	I have read to a friend.
I have read whilst wearing odd socks.	I have drawn a picture of the characters in the story.	I have read to someone who is younger than me.	I have read on Saturday and Sunday.	I have read my parents' favourite children's book.
I have read a book with a female author.	I have read 10 times in one week.	I have re-told the story and explained the main events.	I have read from a newspaper or magazine.	I have recommended a book to someone.
I have read a book borrowed from a friend.	I have read a book from the school library.	I have read a book in my classroom.	I have written a review of my book.	I have read a book in the park.
I have read whilst outside.	I have read a book with a male author.	I have made a den and read inside it.	I have read a book and written down questions about it.	I have answered 4 questions about the book.

**Don't forget an adult has to write in your reading record to prove you completed each challenge!**