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Term 4 Reading Challenge

Dear Parents,

I am excited to announce our new reading challenge that will run throughout Term 4. This reading challenge has been designed by children at HVA during pupil conferencing. Therefore, we are anticipating high levels of engagement. As a school we encourage children to read regularly, and we have an exciting reward for those that do.

Throughout this term every time a child reads their school reading book they will earn a raffle ticket. Then during celebration assembly each Friday, a name will be drawn from both Reception/KS1 and KS2 and the winning name will win an exciting book themed prize bundle.

All names will remain in the raffle until the final week of term where a group of children's names will be drawn to go on an exciting school trip to Hans Price Academy Library. They will get the opportunity to read to other older pupils, listen to a story read by a school prefect and be inspired by the amazing Hans Price Library.

In order for your child's home reading to count towards winning the prizes; every read must be logged in their reading record. The new challenge has been announced during assembly this week. Learning Partners will begin filling in raffle tickets during their weekly book change on Friday 11th March.

Finally, you continue to be welcomed into your child's class or the 'street' from 3:15 until 3:30 in Reception, Year 1 and 2 or 3:20 until 3:35 in Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 Monday to Friday, to read your child's school books with them.

Thank you for your ongoing support with regular reading at home. If you have any questions about how best to support your child, or about the new reading challenge you can continue to speak to your child's class teacher.

Yours sincerely

Della Hall

Reading Lead

