



Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2025

## Term 5 Reading Challenge

Dear parents and carers,

We are excited to announce a brand-new reading challenge for Term 5! As a school we encourage children to read regularly, and we have an exciting reward for those that do.

We are challenging each class to read 600 times in total throughout Term 5. This is a class team effort! If each child reads 5 times every week, we will reach our target of 600 reads. When each class achieves this goal, families will be invited into school on **Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025 at 2:30pm** for a 'BOOKNIC' full of inspiring books and picnic treats.

For your child's home reading to count towards the total; **every read must be logged in their reading record and signed by a parent.** We will begin counting the number of reads in book change on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April.

Finally, you continue to be welcomed into your child's class or the 'street' every day straight after school 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

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