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## BOOKSWAP



Dear Parents/Carers,

As you know, our school is passionate about learning and, in particular, reading. We have committed to a fantastic new dedicated library with the help of the BSA and our reading scores are very strong indeed. Our children love to read and love using the library and listening to stories in class times.

We want to be known as a learning and reading community and we want parents to be as much a part of that community as possible. As a result I have introduced a parents' book swap.

You may have noticed an empty bookshelf in the school foyer. This is where we are offering a book swap for parents. Simply bring along any books that you have finished reading and swap it for any other that is on the shelf. Once you have read that one, bring it back and swap it again if you like. **There is no cost involved.**

The point of the book swap is so that the children can see that we, as grown-ups, read for pleasure and relaxation and because parents are the most influential adults in a child's life, this could be a really powerful message we give to our children.

We want our pupils to develop a love and passion for reading not just as a vital tool for learning but also because reading is a wonderful way to relax and be creative.

Please support our book swap initiative. If you have clean, good quality books that you think other parents might like to read, please drop them off and we will get the book swap up and running as soon as possible. I hope that you find this initiative worthwhile, useful and something you would like to support. Help us show our children that reading is an excellent thing to do.

Please remember that we are a primary school so books can be for grown-ups but nothing too racy please!

If you could bring along your books from Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June and we will get our book swap started. It would be great to have some Dads swapping books too!

Many thanks in anticipation of your support.  
Mr. Brown

