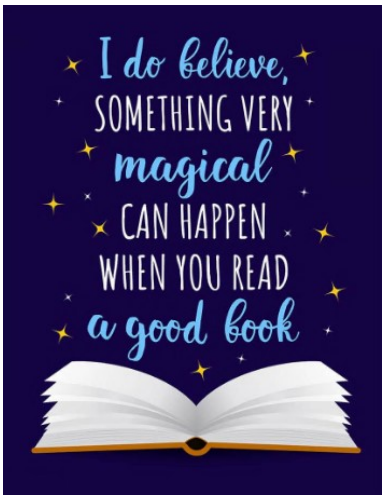
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Reading News

Spring: Term 4
Edition 4

I always think that this time of year is just perfect for sitting curled up with a blanket over my knees, a mug of hot chocolate and reading an exciting tale! In school, we take every opportunity to share our love of reading with the children.

This term we will be expanding our library books even further as well as developing our book corners in class. The new books from our Sponsored Reading Challenge will be shortly arriving and I can't wait to share them with you!





IF YOU READ JUST ONE BOOK
A DAY TO YOUR CHILD,
THEY WILL HAVE BEEN
READ 1825 BOOKS
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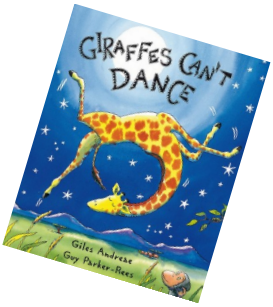
EVERY BOOK COUNTS.



Mrs Hall's book of the term.

This term we asked Mrs Hall for a review of her favourite children's book.

I have chosen Giraffes Can't Dance by Giles Andreae and Giles Parker Rees as y favourite children's book. I used to read this book to my daughters when they were little. I love the bright colours and exciting pictures.



Miss Sneyd's Top Picks for the New Year!!

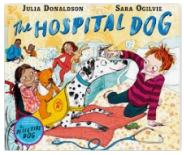
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***Thank you* by Joseph Coelho**

A touching picture about how a small thank you can grow into something much bigger.

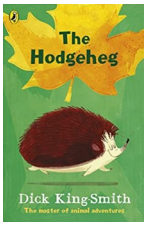
Year 1



***The Hospital Dog* by Julia Donaldson and Sarah Ogilvie**

A lovely rhyming story about a dog who loves to visit and children's ward, and ends up saving the day!

Year 2



***The Hodgeheg* by Dick King Smith**

This story is about a determined hedgehog, who with a little help from his friends, manages to over come an obstacle.

Gifting books

We have been extremely lucky this year to have lots of new reading books for the children to enjoy and to take home to share with you. We have also purchased new books for in classrooms for the children to read and share with each other. The generosity of yourselves and local business has been overwhelming, and we feel extremely lucky to live in a community that values the importance the reading so highly.

It has been an absolute joy to introduce the children to new authors and stories, and we are wishing to develop the scope and range of book in class even further.

With this in mind, we have set up an Amazon Wish List. On the wish list there are a range of books which would be suitable for children who are just entering school to those in Year 2. We have established a wish list so that if you would like to, you could donate a book to celebrate your child's birthday and a special plaque will be stuck into the front cover of the book with your child's name. The Amazon list is just a starting point—please feel free to choose your favourite book to donate and we will ensure the commemorative sticker is added.



Please click on the following link to take you to the Wish List:

