





Dear Parent/Carers

Please can your child have their book bag in school every day. They will be changing their reading books on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The children will be choosing two books independently. One will be a levelled reading book and the other will be a free reader which they share with you (we don't expect them to read it themselves). Talk about the pictures in the book, what might the story be about and can they recognise any of the sounds they have started to learn in class, and then enjoy the books together.

Please can you read with your children at home for at least 5 – 10 minutes a day. Please could you indicate if you have read with your child by making a comment in their blue homework diary. The comment can be how they found the book, did they enjoy the story, a smiley face or just a signature. Please see the example below:

Date	Book and Page numbers	Comment
18.09.19	Sam and the nut	Sarah enjoyed looking at the book. She used the pictures to tell the story and then we read the story together. She could spot two of the new sounds she has learnt in class this week.  /  A Gosling Please use any of the above.

Any questions please ask your child's class teacher.

Kind regards
The Reception team.

