

# Success for All



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Dear Parents/Carers,

In the light of current events we have been reviewing our practices regarding changing reading books. Whilst we want to continue to promote a love of reading for the children their safety is paramount to us. Therefore, in order to keep them safe and avoid mixing class bubbles they will no longer be able to select their own books from the corridor.

Instead a smaller selection of books for their colour band will be made available for them to select from their classroom. This selection will be added to so the children can choose from a wider range. When they have read the book, the children can return it to a box in their classroom, where the books will be left for a period of time before they are then returned to the shelves.

As always, the children are encouraged to read their own books from home and Accelerated Reader tests will be taken on completion as normal at school.

We feel this is safest solution in the current circumstances and we will review our procedures again just before half term.

We will be listening to the children read and, where appropriate, be looking at their Accelerated Reader scores over the next couple of weeks to assess their current reading book band level. This does take a little time so please bear with us and we will use this information to check your child is on the correct book band level.

If you have any questions, please speak to your child's teacher.

Thank you, for your continued support

Mrs Stainsby  
(Literacy Leader)

