

Hello!

Welcome to the final instalment of The Dringhouses Reading Newsletter for this year! We hope you have found the information shared in the newsletters useful and if there is anything that you would like to be focused on next year then please let us know.



BENEFITS OF READING TO CHILDREN



Christmas announcement!

It might feel far too early to talk about Christmas but it has been announced that the Julia Donaldson book that will be animated this year is Tabby McTat! There have been many fantastic animated adaptations of her popular books including Smeds and the Smoods, The Gruffalo and Superworm and we're sure this will be another magical treat this festive season! All of these books can be found in our school library or Dringhouses library with all of the animated versions available on BBC IPlayer.

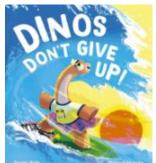


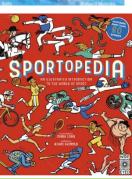


Summer Reading Challenge 2023!

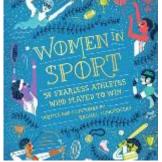


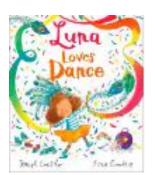
The Summer Reading Challenge is ON! Ready, Set, Read is the name of the game and this year, you've guessed it, the theme is sports and games. Children can take part in the Summer Reading Challenge by registering at any York library for a chance to win prizes, certificates and a medal. Alternatively you can register online at https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/ Set a reading goal and log the books that you have read on your online profile. When you reach your goal you will unlock some digital goodies! Children don't have to read books just about sports or games to take part in the reading challenge but there are some great options out there if they do.



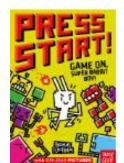


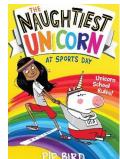


















What should we be reading this summer?



Name: Holly

Year: 3

Book: The 26-Story Treehouse

They are a great series, really funny and good for summer reading. If you like comics, you'll like these books.



Name: Tala

Year: 3

Book: Diary of a Wimpy Kid

There are lots of books in the series so you'll have lots to read over summer. I like them because they are really funny!



Names: Elliot and Sam

Year: 3

Book: The Percy Jackson series

These are great books because they are full of adventure and they are really exciting and interesting!



Name: Evie

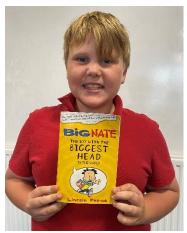
Year: Reception

Book: Owls at Night

Everyone should read lots of books about owls! I have this book at the weekend and now I know that owls can turn their heads all the way round!



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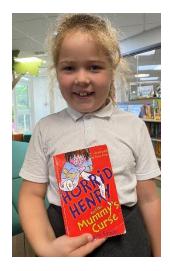


Name: Harry

Year: 3

Book: Big Nate

If you're a fan of Diary of a Wimpy Kid then you'll really like reading these books this summer. They are really funny and enjoyable.



Name: Florence

Year: 2

Book: Horrid Henry and the Curse of

the Mummy.

This is a really good series and will keep you busy over summer! Horrid Henry's parents teach you not to be naughty.



Name: Ben

Year: 1

Book: Minecraft

Lots of people enjoy gaming and they might do lots of gaming over summer.

Minecraft books will help you get better and you can learn how to build dragons!



Name: Freddie

Year: Reception

Book: Any books about football!

I got a new football from Tesco. When it isn't raining you can play football and when it is you can read about football. This looks like a great football book!



Reading for pleasure!

Books for Topics have also created a summer reading bingo challenge that could be completed in conjunction with the Summer Reading Challenge or as a standalone activity. There are so many great resources and recommendations on their website including a summer recommended read list for different ages https://www.booksfortopics.com/booklists/summer-reads-2022-2/





Book Match!

Children often find an author whose books they really enjoy but once they have finished reading everything that author has to offer they can get a bit lost when it comes to choosing what to read next. In every newsletter we will feature one of the Reader Teacher's book match poster that will help children to discover new books based on an author they love.



If we can help you in any way to support with reading then please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher. Alternatively our English Leads - Mrs Floyd and Mrs Scott-Southwould be more than happy to offer help, ideas or recommendations. If there is anything in particular that you would like featured in future reading newsletters, please send your suggestions in to admin@dringhouses.co.uk.