

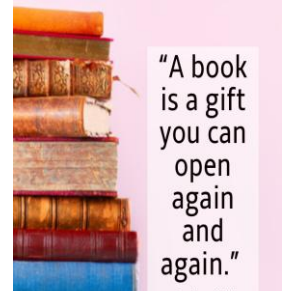


Welcome to St. Elizabeth's Reading News Summer 2024



Welcome to St. Elizabeth's reading newsletter for the summer term 2024

Reading for pleasure continues to be high on our agenda in school and we have had a fabulous year enjoying books and stories. Over the summer holiday please continue to read regularly at home or visit your local library or book shop. Try and sign up to the Summer Reading Challenge, but most of all have fun with books.



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Summer Reading Challenge

The Summer Reading Challenge begins on Saturday 6th July. You can go online or sign up at your local library.

The librarian will give you a collector folder. You can then set a reading goal.

You can borrow books, read your own books, eBooks and audiobooks for the Challenge. In fact, you can read anything you like.

The library will provide you with stickers and rewards for your reading.

Many libraries also offer a variety of events and activities for children and families to enjoy throughout the summer. So check out your local library.



A big thank you to our Reading Champs. Last week, we had our final meeting of the year. We shared our reading recommendations and talked about our favourite authors. We also discussed ways to improve the Reading Sheds to make reading areas more inviting and accessible. If you have any good ideas, please speak to your Reading Champ or Mrs Tarrington.

Don't forget if you're having a clear out over the summer, bring your old books into school and we will reuse them.



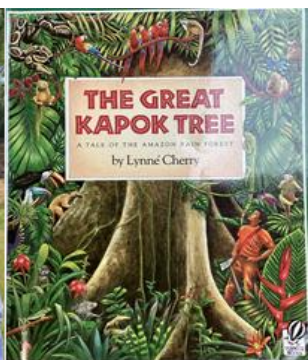
Katie from 5J is enjoying 'The Lottie Project' written by Jacqueline Wilson. It's about an eleven-year-old girl called Charlie who has to do a project about the Victorians, she thinks it's going to be boring, so she decides to make a diary of a girl called Lottie. They are the same age and share the same name.



Louie from 3A recommends 'Horrid Henry's Haunted House' written by Francesca Simon. Henry is a young boy who does unimaginable horrible things. Louie said this book is really funny because Henry gets a scare when he spends the night in a haunted house.



Jacob from 4KB is a huge fan of Diary of a Wimpy Kid written by Jeff Kinney. This book is the 18th book in the series. In this story, Greg wishes he could take his brain out of his head, leave it at school for the day, and go out and have fun. Instead, he and his brain are stuck in a school with bad test scores. Read this book- it's a no-brainer!!



Year 5 have enjoyed reading The Great Kapok Tree written by Lynne Cherry. This book tells the story of a man who walks into the Amazon Rainforest with his axe, ready to chop down a Kapok tree. It discusses important issues related to deforestation and how it affects the animals living in the rainforest. Does the woodcutter chop down the tree or walk away? You'll have to read it to find out. Year 5 had great fun acting out scenes from this story.

Over the summer break, continue to read regularly. These websites provide lots of reading recommendations:

<https://www.booksfortopics.com>

<https://misterbodd.wordpress.com>

<https://www.thereaderteacher.com>

<https://www.booktrust.org.uk>

**Enjoy the
summer break and
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READING!!!**



Mrs Elder recommends 'Moonthief' written by Roger Mc Gough. This beautiful picture book explores the themes of friendship and love. Bobby the bear steals the moon to give to his sweetheart Betty. A great book to read to your younger brothers and sisters.



This story, written by Sam Harper, is guaranteed to make you laugh. Mr Farrell loves reading Superpoop to his Y3 class. Superpoop is fresh from hero training and only needs one mission under his belt to join the super league of superheroes, but will he succeed?