

READING NEWSLETTER

Grimoldby Primary School



First of all, we would like to say a massive **thank you for all of support** with our Reading for Pleasure journey. We are so proud to be the first school in Lincolnshire to have been awarded the Gold Award by **The Lincolnshire Reading Pledge**.



What next?



The **Summer Reading Challenge** encourages children aged 4 to 11 to enjoy the benefits of reading for pleasure. There are two ways you can take part in the Summer Reading Challenge:

- You can join the Challenge at your **local library** and take part in person. The library will give you a special collector folder, stickers, and other special incentives, and help you find books to read for your Challenge. A librarian from Louth Library will be coming into our school to deliver a whole school assembly on the challenge next week.
- Alternatively, take part in the Challenge online by signing up [here](#). Set a reading goal and log your books on your profile. When you reach your goal you will unlock a virtual badge and certificate.

You can choose any books you like to count towards your Summer Reading Challenge. Fact, fiction, poetry, graphic novels, joke books – the choice is yours! eBooks and audiobooks count too!



Does your child like listening to Audiobooks? All you need is a library card, and you can listen to them for FREE! When getting the **Libby app**, you just need to put in your library card number, and you can loan audiobooks and electronic books too. There is even a section on the app for the Summer Reading Challenge to count towards your book total!

Want to talk to your child about their book, but not sure how?

Here are some question ideas from Aidan Chambers' book all about reading and book talk!

- 📖 How can I talk to my child about reading?
- 📖 Was there anything you liked about this book?
- 📖 What especially caught your attention?
- 📖 What would you have liked more of?
- 📖 Was there anything you disliked?
- 📖 Were there parts that bored you?
- 📖 Did you skip parts? Which ones?
- 📖 Was there anything that puzzled you or you thought strange?
- 📖 Was there anything that you'd never found in a book before?
- 📖 Was there anything that took you completely by surprise?
- 📖 When you first saw the book, even before you read it, what kind of book did you think it was going to be?
- 📖 Have you read this book before? [If so:] Was it different this time?
- 📖 If the writer asked you what could be improved in the book, what would you say?
- 📖 Has anything that happens in this book ever happened to you?
- 📖 When you were reading, did you 'see' the story happening in your imagination?
- 📖 What will you tell your friends about this book?
- 📖 When you think about the book now, after all we've said, what is the most important thing about it for you?

Recommended Reads



<http://familybookworms.wales/>

'Family Bookworms' are a family of bookworms based on the Wrexham/Shropshire borders. Their aim is to encourage their own children with their reading and to spread the enjoyment they get from sharing stories, engaging with authors and discovering new books. There are some fantastic recommendations for books.

[Year 3 recommended reads](#)

[Year 4 recommended reads](#)

[Year 5 recommended reads](#)

[Year 6 recommended reads](#)

Books for Topics have updated their recommended reads for children from Nursery to Year 6. Click on the picture below for some inspiration!



Year 6: 50 Recommended Reads



Year 5: 50 Recommended Reads



Year 4: 50 Recommended Reads



Year 3: 50 Recommended Reads



Year 2: 50 Recommended Reads



Year 1: 50 Recommended Reads



Reception: 50 Recommended Reads



Preschool: 50 Recommended Reads