



Creswell C of E Infant and Nursery School

Reading Review

We are currently working with the Department of Education English Hubs to develop the books we have for children to read at home. The English Hub is providing support and funding to help us with this development. We are reviewing all of our home reading books and will be replacing some of them with new books.

This will mean that books that children bring home are aligned to their phonics learning and will enable them to develop as fluent readers.

Home Reading Books

Over the next 2 weeks while this review is taking place we will not be able to send a home reading book for your child. Although this is disappointing now as the children return to school it is a very short term measure and will be beneficial in developing your child's reading longer term. During this period, as an alternative, your child may bring home reading sheets or words and sentences to practice reading.

Reading for pleasure

We would like to continue to develop reading for pleasure with the children. To support this we are sending home a story book, chosen by your child for you to read with them at home. Please ensure that your child brings their book bag to help to look after the books and please ensure that the book is returned promptly each week. A record will be kept of which book your child has. We hope you enjoy this reading time and will look to continue with this alongside your child's home reading book once our book review is complete.

Reading in school

We will continue to read with children in school individually and as part of a group and continue to teach reading skills through group and whole class lessons.

Thank you for your support. Should you have any questions please message your child's class teacher on ClassDojo.

