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22nd January 2024

Bath, Book, Bed Reading Challenge

Monday, 22nd - Friday, 26th January

Dear Parents/ Carers of Reception Class

I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to inform you about an exciting event at our school – the EYFS Bath, Book, Bed Challenge Week, which will start today (Monday 22nd January).

As part of the Bath, Book, Bed Reading Challenge, we would like to ask you and your child to use a tick chart at home for the course of the week. Your child will bring home the chart today. Each night, your child can receive a tick for a bath (getting ready for bed) and book (snuggling down and enjoying a book with a grown-up). At the end of the week we will celebrate your child achievements by presenting them with a 'Bedtime Hero' certificate.

Below is a timetable of events for the week to give you an insight into the exciting plans we have made to celebrate reading and the wonderful world of books!

If you have any questions, please ask a member of the Early Years Team.

Happy Reading!

Miss E Owen

Reception Class Teacher

Monday 22 nd January	<u>Make our own class story book!</u>
Tuesday 23 rd January	<u>Bring your favourite bedtime book to school</u> for us to share a 'Story Time' this week. Remember to label your book with your name before putting it in the special 'Story Time Box'.
Wednesday 24 th January	<u>Blind Date with a Book</u> Come to the school at 3:15 to help your child choose a wrapped-up, mystery book to borrow. Take the mystery book home and share together at bedtime, before returning the book to school the next day. If your child is attending after-school club, they will be able to choose a book themselves.
Thursday 25 th January	<u>Bring your Bedtime Cuddly to school</u> We will be sharing the story "Big Red Bath" and talking about our own bedtime routines that we carry out at home.
Friday 26 th January	<u>Story Walk - in our Forest School</u> We will be reading a story and participating in outdoor activities based on the book.

