



*St Andrew's C. E. Primary School*  
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*"Love your neighbour as yourself"*



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Dear Parents and Carers,

This term, we are trialing something new with Y2 reading books.

All children will be able to choose and take home a reading book from our new selection.

For some children, this will be their only reading book and will be the only book they take home.

For some children they will also take home a phonics book. The phonics book is the book the children will need to read every day after school. The other book is a book they can look at with you and will be called a sharing book. This is because the child might not be able to read that book fluently on their own.

If your child has a phonics book, this will still be changed every week.

The book chosen by the child will need to be changed when it has been read. This means we need to encourage the children to tell us when they need to change that book.

We ask that the children still read every night and this is recorded in their reading record. We also need both books to come back to school every day so adults in school can hear them read.

Thank you for always supporting your child's reading and for looking after all of our books. We have spent a lot of money on providing new books for the children so we may ask for a small charge if a book is damaged or lost.

If you have any questions, please speak to one of the Y2 team.

Many thanks,

Year 2 team