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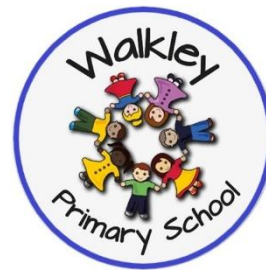
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'Enjoyment, Achievement and Learning for life...'

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School library books and home reading books

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are looking forward to another year filled with wonderful stories, exciting books and lots of opportunities for our children to develop a love of reading. Reading regularly is one of the most important things your child can do to support their learning. We ask that all children read every day. This can be reading independently, reading aloud to an adult, sharing a book together or talking about what they have read.

If your child is taking part in Read Write Inc. (RWI), they should bring home their RWI grouped reading book each week. These books are carefully matched to the sounds and words your child is learning in school and are an important part of practising their reading at home. Children who are not taking part in RWI should choose a banded colour reading book at their appropriate reading level. As well as this In EYFS and KS1 we have 30 high quality picture and story books for you to loan.

In EYFS and Key Stage 1, children will choose their library books and swap them each Friday. These books are yours to take home, enjoy and share together throughout the week. In Key Stage 2, children are encouraged to choose library or banded books from the corridor that interest them and take them home to read and enjoy, either independently or together as a family. We want our library books to be books that children are excited to pick up and read.

Our books are shared by many children across the school, so please help us to keep them in good condition. We understand that accidents happen, but please let us know if a book becomes damaged or is lost so that we can help.

Most importantly, thank you for reading with your child. Whether it is a bedtime story, listening to your child read, sharing a funny picture book, listening to an audiobook, talking about a non-fiction book or simply spending 15 minutes enjoying a story together, your support makes a real difference.

Happy reading!

The Walkley Primary School English Team

