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Dear Parents/Carers

Changes to Our School Library Book Organisation

I would like to inform you of a change to the way books are organised in our school library.

Although we will continue to assess children's reading age and reading comprehension regularly to ensure they are making progress and accessing suitable texts, we are no longer using coloured book bands within the library.

Instead, library books are now organised by genre and interest, helping children to develop a wider love of reading and encouraging them to explore different types of books. This approach allows pupils to choose books that interest and engage them while still being supported appropriately.

School staff will be available to help children select books that are suitable for their reading ability, interests, and stage of development. We will continue to monitor reading progress closely and provide guidance to ensure that children are accessing texts that both challenge and support them.

If you have any questions about your child's reading or book choices, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Thank you for your continued support in fostering a love of reading.

With kind regards

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