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Dear Year 7 Parents/Carers

All Year 7 students have received, or will be, receiving a reading book during their next English lessons. The school is part of the Book Buzz programme run by the Book Trust. We give our students the opportunity to choose their own book to take home and keep. The choice of books are carefully selected by a panel of experts who aim to encourage reading for pleasure.

Some students will be reading their books in school and will then bring them home later, whereas others will be bringing them home straight away to read.

Please take the time to talk to your child about their book. Ask them why they chose it, does the opening engage and intrigue them, what is it that they are enjoying or not enjoying. Conversations around reading both in and outside school are important to support and develop a child's reading for pleasure.

Yours faithfully

Isobel Gill (Head of English) and Zoe Milburn (Librarian)

