

Dear Parents/Carers,

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I am pleased to report that I have been kept very busy writing Reading Rebel certificates this term! We have had several children earning certificates and badges for reading either 10 or 25 home reader books. I was also extremely excited to award our very first certificate and book mark to a pupil who has read 50 home reader books.

Looking forward to next term, I am already getting excited about our 'Book Week' which will take place in the second week of term (week beginning 27.2.17). There will be a range of book themed events and activities during the week, including a visiting story teller and our ever popular bring and buy book sale; and of course we couldn't let World Book Day go by without dressing up to celebrate! I expect that you will all be busy over half term planning those costumes. Have fun!

Congratulations!

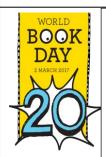
To Oliver Jones in Blackbird Class

For being the first pupil to achieve his certificate and book mark for reading





And well done to all of the pupils who have received their badges and certificates for reading 10 or 25 books this term.



Book Week Fancy Dress Costume Competition

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Dress up as your favourite book character to celebrate World Book Day at Oaks Primary Academy – maybe you could choose a character from one of your home reader books – there will be prizes for the most original costumes.

Volunteer Readers

Our pupils are really enjoying, and benefitting from, working with our volunteer readers. If you would like to join our volunteer reader team, please do not hesitate to come and talk to me. If you have previously given your name into school and were not able to make the initial meetings, please feel to come and see me (Mrs McFadden), if you would still like to join the team.

REMINDER

We have a well-stocked library that children use regularly. Our library also has an adult section. If you would like to borrow books or visit the library with your children, please see Mrs McFadden.

If you have any questions or concerns about the home reading scheme, please do not hesitate to come and speak to Mrs McFadden.