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Reading Ninjas

As part of our promotion of reading for pleasure, putting reading at the heart of our curriculum, we will be introducing a new reward scheme for KS2 pupils this term. Our 'Reading Ninja' will recognise those who read regularly with an adult at home. Each child will be able to work their way through the belt system as they build their number of nightly reads. Each read should be a minimum of 15 minutes with an adult and include a mixture of reading aloud as well as discussion about the text.

The belt system will progress as follows:

- 15 reads will earn a white belt
- 50 reads will earn a yellow belt
- 75 reads will earn a green belt
- 100 reads will earn a purple belt
- 125 reads will earn an orange belt
- 150 reads will earn a blue belt
- 175 reads will earn a brown belt
- 200 reads will earn a red belt
- 250 reads will earn a black belt

There will be a display board in the KS2 corridor where children will be able to track their progress.

You will also notice that over the next few weeks your child will be bringing home a 'text map' that correlates with the text that they are studying in their English lessons. This is a pictorial representation of the text that they are learning and they should be able to tell a story from it. Please encourage your child to share this with you and practise their recital of the map to support their learning.

With thanks for your support.
Happy reading!

Mrs E Worth

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English Leaders