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Dear Parents & Carers,

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Most Recommended Reading Lists

As part of our ongoing passion to promote the love of reading and learning, our team of staff have collated their favourite choice of children's books for their key stage. Reading is the foundation to the children's range and bank of vocabulary, their understanding and their ability to imagine and create stories of their own.

Our most recommended book list is designed to encourage children to read a variety of books across a broad range of genres and authors in order to empower their love of reading while providing them with access to different literary styles. These books range from modern fiction and non-fiction to the classics, so there should be something for everyone. I have attached the list so that you can see the range of literature that is available and suitable for your children to read.

At Coulston C of E we place a huge emphasis on the importance of children reading regularly and reading a wide range of materials. Over the last two years we have been investing in our range and quantity of book resources to facilitate children with a wider choice to stimulate their imagination. Books will be sent home by the class teachers on a regular basis and then held in quarantine until they can be rotated and sent out again. While we try to ensure that your child(ren) is constantly exposed to a variety of different books, you may find that your child chooses a book they have already read. Consolidation in reading is just as important as being immersed in new stories and provides the children with a more in-depth analysis of the book. They may find that they see or read something that they had missed before. Consolidation can also aid memory recall skills by asking the children if they can recall what happened in the story and what they thought of it.

We hope that you will enjoy immersing yourself into reading the stories with your children as much as they do.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

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