



# SILKMORE PRIMARY ACADEMY

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Dear Parents/Carers

As you are aware reading is the core of our curriculum and at Silkmore Primary Academy and we truly believe reading provides a ticket to an enriching curriculum and future life. Our reading progress has been exceptional over the past couple of years so we want to further encourage daily independent reading and appreciation of reading to ensure every child has the opportunity to access a range of texts and vocabulary to sustain this progress.

With this in mind we have decided to change our reading incentive to 'Silkmore's Book Bingo!'

This will be an individual challenge where the children will have a range of reading challenges to be signed off to complete a row, column and finally a full house!

- Children will need to evidence they have read an age-related text, which fits each challenge, through their reading diaries-so extra care must be taken with their diaries!
- The challenge starts in September so books must be read from September onwards.
- Children will receive a gold star for each row and column they complete and an extra prize for reaching a full house!
- Each class teacher will check the evidence in their diaries before awarding the prize.

We are very excited for the Book Bingo to commence from Monday and thank you for your support in encouraging your child to read a range of texts and develop their ability with independent reading.

Kind Regards

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Reading Lead