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Dear Parent/Carer,

Today, your child has been sent home with their carefully chosen 'Decodable Reading Book'. You may notice that the first couple of books that are sent home with your child are wordless. Wordless books have a big role to play in helping children develop their language and literacy skills and are an important first step towards their reading journey. There is a bookmark in your child's book bag with some top reading tips.

Your child would have read their 'Decodable Reading Book' at school throughout the week and they should be fluent in accessing and reading this book by the time they bring it home to you.

Along with their reading book, your child has also been sent home with their Reading Record. We ask that you record each time you read with your child at home which you should aim to do 5 times a week. Reading at home will provide your child with an opportunity to practise reading the book again and become even more confident using the skills they have learnt to read words and also develop an understanding of the meaning of words and comprehension. It is important that books and reading records are looked after and kept in book bags ready to be swapped for a new book each week.

Kind Regards

Mrs Richardson
(Early Reading and Phonics)