



Everybody, Every Night



“Encouraging children’s progress by hearing reading every night”

How do I show that I’ve heard my child read?

- Date the diary
- Note the pages read to an adult
- Comment on Progress
- List any words your child found difficult
- Practise any words staff have listed
- Sign the diary

I have a question...

Q Should my child read at the weekend?

A Children are expected to read at least once over the weekend. This should be recorded in the Parent/Teacher Comments section of the diary.

Q What if my child finishes their ‘school book’ over the weekend/in the holidays?

A Record any other reading they have done; eg. Comics, magazines, own books, newspapers, recipes.

Q What if we didn’t have time to read?

A Rarely, unforeseen circumstances mean you just haven’t been able to read with your child. Record the reason in their diary; don’t just leave a blank box.

Q What about school holidays?

A Children are expected to read during holidays - but record **any** reading materials, such as menus, brochures, timetables, postcards.

When commenting on your child’s progress please use our school fluency status.

Fluency Status	Description
Legendary	Smooth and accurate. Consistently pause for all full stops and commas. Appropriate expression which reflects the feelings, events and ideas of characters.
World Class	Smooth and accurate. Consistently pauses for all full stops and commas.
Professional	Accurate – Most words correct.