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Seedlings News

Dear Parents/Carers,

Home Reading Update

Children will now be issued **1** school reading book, at a time, to read at home. This book is aimed to support their sound awareness. Each book also has questions inside, to ask your child, aimed at building opportunities to talk about and understand what they have read.

It is recommended that each book is **read 2 or 3 times**, to develop accuracy and fluency. Books will be changed once each book has been read at home and recorded in their reading record book. Please remember to read and record **at least 3 times per week**

Children will now be encouraged to place their book and reading record in a tray at school, during morning register time, these books will then be changed. Please encourage your child to place books in the tray, at school, should they need renewing.

Stanford Library

This term, we are very fortunate to have the opportunity for children to visit the Stanford Library, **each Monday**. Children will be able to choose a book to share at home. It is hoped that these books help to build your child's love for books and interest in reading. Books may then be returned the following Monday to be exchanged for a new book, if you wish.

Teddy Bear's Picnic

Children will need their **teddy and wellies** for our teddy bear picnic at our school's nature area, weather permitting on **Wednesday 22nd January**.

Learning Share

We pride ourselves in having strong and positive links with families and the community at Stanford. We know you have enjoyed the Christmas Nativity and the Craft Sale last half term. We would like to invite you to our Learning Share **on Monday 10th February, from 2:45pm in Seedlings class** to see what the children have been learning linked to their Toy Town themed work.

Thank you for your support

Miss Wilson and Mrs Groves