

Phoenix St. Peter Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Investment in our School Library

We are delighted to announce that we are making many improvements to our School Library over the next few months. These changes include:

- A new online system to record borrowed books from the library.
- 400 new books for our library.
- Whole-school access to an online E-Reader library accessible in school and from home.
- 6 new tablets in the library to access to E-Reader books in school.
- A 'Yoto' player to read stories to our children.
- A collection of audio books for our library.
- 9 10 Pupil Librarians will be trained up to support children when choosing a new book. We were very impressed that 30 children applied for this responsibility and it was very tricky to pick only 10!

These amazing changes have been supported by our Academy Trust (REAch2), The National Literacy Trust and Chase Rewarding Futures.

While we prepare the books ready to be scanned and set up on our new library system, we kindly ask that <u>all books borrowed from our school library are returned by no later than Monday 28th March 2022.</u>

We will need to close our library until the books are all set up on the system. On Monday, we will then share the details to log on to our online E-Reader library while the school library is closed.

If your child has Read Write Inc. phonics lessons, they will still take home a Book Bag book.

Kind regards,

Mrs. E Hayes

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Phoenix St. Peter Academy English Lead