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Accelerated Reader

Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of our reading system in school, we use Accelerated Reader. This is the system where children take an initial reading test and it generates the range of books your child can select from.

Each time children complete a book, they then take a quiz to check their understanding. As a school, we have a target of 85% as a pass rate for each quiz. To encourage children to ensure they are reading their books carefully and understanding them, we are implementing a reward system.

When children achieve 85% on a quiz, they will earn 1 super swirl. If they achieve between 86%-99% on a quiz, they will earn 2 super swirls. If they achieve 100% on a quiz, they will earn 3 super swirls.

We want all children to enjoy reading a variety of books, but we also want to ensure that they understand what they are reading. It is important that children are choosing books on the points that they are allowed, and that they are fully reading the book before taking a quiz.

Thank you,

Miss Cleasby and Miss Catley.