



Dear Parent/Guardian,

To celebrate and encourage a lifelong love of reading at home and school, we will be running a sponsored read over the half term holiday between **28th May** and **3rd June**.

The project is being organised in conjunction with our local Usborne Organiser, Mary Cusens, and all the money raised will go towards brand new books for our school and our pupils. If your child raises more than £10 in sponsorship money they will be able to choose an Usborne book to take home and keep.

In addition to the sponsorship money, Usborne will also donate up to 60% of the total raised in **EXTRA FREE BOOKS** to the school. So for every £600 raised, we will get an extra £360 in **FREE** Usborne books!

Please help us to enhance our reading resources for pupils by encouraging your child to spend a small amount of time each day either reading to themselves, to others, or being read to. They can read books, comics, magazines, newspapers, menus, websites, recipes, poems, leaflets, instructions – anything with words!

A sponsorship form and a reading log, to record the minutes read, will be given to the children to take home today.

After the sponsored read, please send all the sponsorship money that your child has raised to the school by **Friday 15th June**.

Any cheques should be made payable to **Mary Cusens**.

We look forward to having lots more books for your child to read, share and enjoy.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs J Burns