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We follow in Christ's footsteps

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Dear Reception Parents and Carers,

BOOM READER DIGITAL READING RECORD

As you may know, in school, we use a digital reading record to record children's reading. Boom Reader is available as a free app or can be accessed on the Boom Reader website. It allows parents and school staff to record reading on any device connected to the internet, removing the issue of lost or damaged planners and promoting an environmentally friendly approach.

Children are expected to read to an adult at home at least three times per week and we ask that all reading is recorded using this system.

To get started with Boom Reader, simply search for "Boom Reader Parent" in your app store and download the free app. Sign up using your own email address and, when prompted, enter your child's unique pin code. (Children will be sent home with this during this week and a text will be sent to parents). The app will remember this code and you will then be ready to record your child's reading.

You can download the app and link to your child on as many devices as you like. Additional adults can also use the pin code to link to your child's account, so other adults such as grandparents can easily record reading without having to pass around dog-eared paper records.

Full instructions and a short video are available on the Go Read website here.

<https://go-read.co.uk/parents/>

If you have any questions, or require any further help, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Many thanks for your support,

Miss E Parry
English Lead