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Dear Parent/Carer

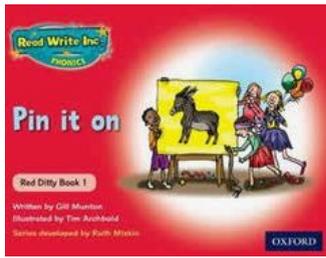
At William Davies we place a great deal of emphasis and importance on reading and helping your children learn to read effectively.

I am writing to remind you of what you will find in your child's book bag each week and to let you know how you can use this to help your child learn to read.

Your child may have 3 reading books in their book bag. Children's reading develops at different rates and so the books they have in their book bags may also differ through the year.

 <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p>  <p style="text-align: right;">OR</p>	<p>Your child will have either:</p> <p>a homework sheet with information about the sound they are learning. Ask your child to practice this sound and the other sounds they have learned. You will have phonics cards at home to help.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>A sheet with a 'Pre-ditty' for your child to practice reading to you</p> <p>OR</p> <p>a Phonics book.</p> <p>This book is for them to read to you daily to practise the sounds they are learning, developing phonics skills.</p>
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If your child is reading the Phonics books, they might also have an additional RWI phonics book (sometimes called a '**Book Bag Book**'). This is also for **them to read to you** to practise reading words containing the sounds they have learned so far.



Your child will have a book from the class library. These are **books for you to read to your child**.

At this age, children enjoy hearing stories again and again, so please read the books to them every day - possibly as a bedtime story. Encourage your child to join in with familiar parts and talk to your child about the story and pictures.

Please feel free to ask the class teacher if you have any further questions.

Yours Sincerely

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