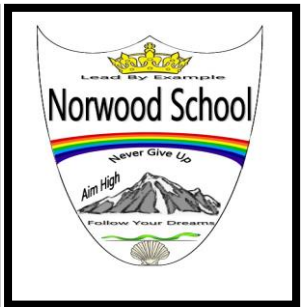


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Reading Newsletter

Spring 2023

English Lead – Mrs Jane Cockerill



Welcome to our Spring Reading newsletter.

I have had some wonderful conversations with children this term, who want to tell me about the latest book they have read. I get some wonderful recommendations and have even been handed books for me to borrow. **Thank you!**

I am delighted that lots of our children are finding books enjoyable. We always aim to have a variety in the library and class book corners so that every child can find something that they enjoy.

If you have any recommendations for books, I would love to hear from you.

Thank you very much to the families who have brought in books that they have finished with so that we can add them to our library, it is very much appreciated.

Jane Cockerill



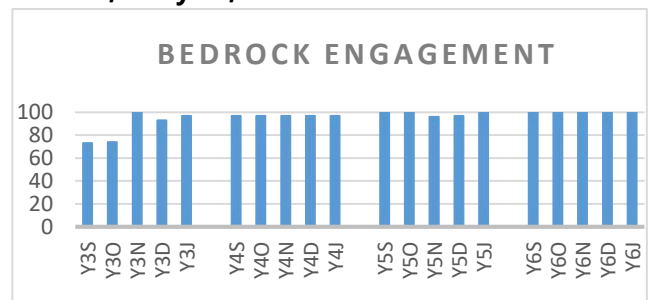
Some of our new Mental Health books for our library and class book corners.



These have been kindly donated by Keep Moat homes to Usborne and Usborne have selected us as one of the schools to receive them. **Thank you**



Our school engagement programme for Years 3, 4, 5, 6 Bedrock online learning usage by class defined by level of usage. Well done to the following pupils for showing most progress/points. **Oscar Y4, Jonah Y5, Ashton Y5, Holly Y5, Aleksander Y5 and Lexi Y6.**



Months are displayed by letter: S=September, O= October, N=November, D=December, J=January.

World Book Day - Thursday 2nd March



World Book Day changes lives through promoting a love of books and reading.

Tips to encourage reading from author Cressida Cowell. <https://www.worldbookday.com/howtotrainyourdragon/>

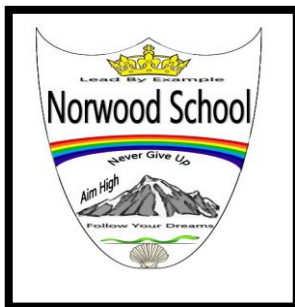
- ☺ Help your child to choose a book.
- ☺ Talking about books.
- ☺ Tips for reading aloud.

“Reading is magic and magic is for everyone”

There are lots of activities and information on their website. <https://www.worldbookday.com/families/>

Audiobooks - The World Book Day has a page, suitable for all ages, for those who like to listen to stories. <https://www.worldbookday.com/world-of-stories/>





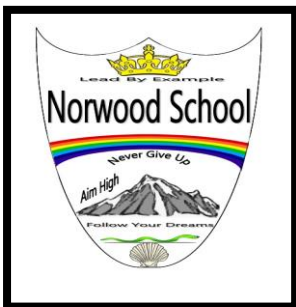
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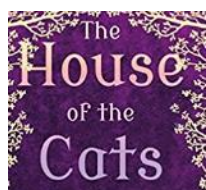
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Reading Buddy



Norwood School say a **BIG thank you** to our volunteer Reading Buddies. They come into school and read with children regularly on a one-to-one basis, helping to develop their enjoyment of books.



The House of Cats is the best book ever. Mrs Cockerill says if you don't like reading, you haven't found the right book. **Kate**

Have you found your best book ever then tell Mrs Cockerill by email at admin@norwoodschool.co.uk

- Email subject Best book
- Title of book, author
- Child's first name and year group



We will try to share your recommendations in our next Reading Newsletter.

Read Write Inc

Thank you to our Reception parents/carers who attended our first Read Write Inc meeting. Follow the link below for the support with pronunciation sounds.

[Norwood school/Read Write Inc meeting](https://www.norwoodschool.co.uk/Read-Write-Inc-meeting)

wh y au ee ur ow

Ruth Miskin Training Videos to support parents/carers with helping their children to learn the sounds and apply them to new words. Click on the link below

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCo7fbLgY2oA_cFIg9GdxtQ



This app is used for children in Reception, Year 1 and select Year 2s to support with learning to read.

<https://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com/>

Logins were given out earlier in the year so please contact the class teacher if they have been forgotten.



**Waterstones
Book Laureate
2022 - 2024**

Joseph Coelho

"Libraries made me a writer and make communities thrive - I wish to champion the services of these essential launchpads of learning".

'Storytelling, in every shape and form, belongs to everyone'.

