



## A Guide to Reading in Year 2



As the children move from Year 1 to Year 2, they will continue to have daily reading lessons and will continue to progress through the Read Write Inc levels. The children will be assessed half termly and once they complete all of the Read Write Inc levels they will be moved onto Accelerated Reader (AR).

Read Write Inc book bag books are sent home on a Monday and the Read Write Inc books are sent home on a Friday once they have been read in class. Please ensure books are returned on these days so they can be swapped.



Once your child is on AR, they will complete a STAR test. This will indicate their ZPD which is their reading book range (please see additional leaflet for more information on this) and they will then choose a book at this level from the school library. STAR tests are completed regularly throughout the year to monitor children's progress.



When your child has read their AR book, they complete a quiz online using their login and by selecting AR once logged in. These quizzes can be completed at home or in school. Books will be changed once they have done this and the children will be moved up levels once they have completed a number of quizzes successfully (80% or above). Children are able to quiz as often as they wish but we would aim for at least 2 quizzes a week.

Home –School diaries can be used to record when children have read at home, completed Doodle or maths activities, to practise writing their common exception words or any other spellings they would like to complete. These diaries will be checked once a week by a member of staff.