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People with time for Children

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am very excited to invite all children to take part in Littledean's 2018/19 Reading Challenge!

How does it work?

Each child will be given a list of suggested reads and genre's appropriate to their Key Stage. The aim is for all children to complete a list of 16 **new** books off the sheet. It is suggested that it is a title they have not read before.

The titles read or shared at home must be signed off and dated by an adult, this can be validated both at home and in school if the child brings the book to school. Children will receive a certificate in celebration assembly at each stage of the challenge - 4 books will allow you to reach a new stage:

- 4 books = bronze reader
- 8 books = silver reader
- 12 books = gold reader
- 16 books = platinum reader

Children who reach a platinum reader will receive a book prize to celebrate their great achievement.

How can you help your child with the reading challenge?

- Help your child to choose the genre of their books. Talk to your child about the book they
 have chosen, what is it going to be about?
- Listen to your child read and talk about the books in stories. What is good about it? What has made the book exciting or interesting? How did the character's make you feel? What the ending same or different to what your child expected?

I very much looking forward to seeing lots of children finding a real enjoyment in reading and sharing variety of new books.

Miss Haynes

English Subject Leader

Head teacher: Mrs Hayley McGoldrick