21st February 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

**Re; Reading at Home**

In Reception we are developing our reading skills well and are now using the sounds we have learnt in phonics to read words. We teach phonics daily which involves the children learning new sounds, learning how to read simple words and read words unknown.

The children need to read a book more than once so they can practise reading the words, develop their understanding of the story and look at how sentences are structured. For more ideas please take a book mark from in the corridor which has a question on to complete.

Learning logs will be collected in on a Thursday and returned on a Friday with a new book.

If your child has read their book repeatedly and can read all of the words confidently then please put their book in the box and we will change it for you.

The children will now be given a word sheet to read at home which will be words the children can read phonetically and tricky words that they memorise.

Please continue to read at home with your child.

If you have any questions or queries, please come and speak to me.

Thank you for your support.

Miss Bradbury

Reception Teacher