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Learning Together to be the best we can.

Dear Parents/Carers,

Our mission at Nathaniel Newton is that every child should be supported to learn to read and love it! Reading is a skill we continue to develop throughout our lives, but starting this process as early as possible has significant benefits for our continued success as readers. This is why, as parents and carers, you play a vital role in supporting your child in becoming a fluent reader, who is confidently able to apply their reading skills across all areas of their lives.

We are very pleased to enclose a book from our Little Wandle Letters and Sounds Revised scheme for your child to read to you at home.

Purchasing these books has cost our school over £8000 so it is essential that these books are taken care of. To do this we really need your help!

- Please keep this book inside its plastic wallet, apart from when it is being read, so it doesn't get damaged.
- Please ensure that this book is put in a safe place after listening to your child read so it doesn't get lost.
- Please make sure this book is returned to school **every day**. Your child will need to read this book each day in school so it is vital they have this with them to enable them to do this.

Staff will be keeping careful records of which books have been sent home and which have been returned each day. Please be aware that this book costs between £4.50 - £5.75 to purchase. If it is not returned, or gets damaged we will ask you to replace it.

Should you need to replace a book we will email you a link to buy a replacement copy which you can then return to school, or you can pay the cost via ParentPay.

Should you have any questions, or queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you in advance for your support with reading in school.

Yours Sincerely,
Mrs Carly Evans
English Subject Leader

