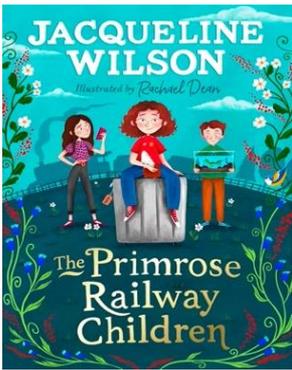




December Reading Newsletter



Dear Parents/Carers,



It is so lovely to be writing to you again about all things READING! ☺
What a fabulous half term we have had! The children have worked so hard during the past 7 weeks and they are more than ready for a well-deserved rest. Well, a rest including reading, of course!
KS2 started this half term with a special Zoom visit with the one and only Jaqueline Wilson! She was absolutely brilliant, and she even answered a Beaumont submitted question, which was very exciting! KS2 classes were lucky enough to receive a copy of Jaqueline Wilson's latest book after their Zoom sessions, and the excitement of getting this book to read is still very much alive, which is so lovely to see.

If you have been one of the lucky ones and managed to read this book already, I would love to hear all about it! Come and find me and let me know your thoughts. You could even write a book review and we could send it to Jaqueline herself in the hope that she sees it... what do you think?



Ruby's Tales at Beaumont

Some children were lucky enough to read to Ruby, our lovely reading dog. She listened to lots of children read and she is looking forward to returning in 2022!



New for 2022!

We have ordered new bookmarks for the Reading Box winners. We hope you like them and will work hard to be one of the first readers to have one!





I have been super busy working with a designer to help with our brand new library. The designs are coming along fabulously and I am getting very excited! School Parliament members have been involved in the decision making, and with their great communication skills, they have been reporting back to their classes with updates. Take a look at this sneak peek – can you spot something that I have made sure MUST feature in our library? I will give you a clue.....woof woof!

Thank you to our KS2 librarians for helping keep our current bookshelves tidy. Mrs Heyes and myself are extremely grateful for all your help! It does not go unnoticed.



After our Christmas break we will be heading into the spring term, which not only means a brand new year, but more reading events too! World Book Day always falls in March and I will definitely be sending you more information about this in the new year. Watch this space!

Parents: a bit of reading for you too! Please find attached a poster on how to support KS2 children with their reading at home. [Click here to find out more about how to help your child become a great reader.](#) I will also tweet this on our school twitter page @Beaumontprimary

As always, here is a list of reading ideas for you. I wonder how many you can complete before December ends? Challenge yourself! You may have already completed some of these this month, without even knowing! If you have won the Reading Bed Box this month, I am sure you will have already completed challenge number 5, and we have ALL definitely completed challenge number 8 during Kindness Week.

I will let you into a secret....I often complete challenges 10 and 15! 😊

December Reading Calendar

1 READ HOW OTHER CULTURES CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS	2 Read a book with "snow" in the title	3 Read a book about snowmen	4 Read a book about Hanukkah	5 Read while drinking hot chocolate
6 Read a book about different Christmas foods	7 Read a book with winter animals	8 Read a book about kindness	9 Read a book with your family	10 READ A BOOK CURLED UP BY THE FIRE
11 READ A BOOK WHILE WATCHING SNOW FALL	12 READ A BOOK ABOUT SNOWFLAKES	13 READ UNDER A FORT	14 Read about the birth of Jesus	15 Read in your pajamas
16 Read before going to bed	17 Read a book that has animals	18 Read a book that has a snow angel	19 read a nonfiction book	20 Read a book to your siblings
21 read a book about giving	22 read a book that has santa in it	23 read a book with "family" in the title	24 read a book with your pets	25 make a book tower





Over the holidays please rest, have fun and smile lots. I would love you all to keep reading on Reading Plus and Bug Club, as well as reading any new books you may receive/buy/loan over the festive period too.



Please let me know if you read a new book over the holidays; I love hearing about new books!

I wish you all a super safe break and I look forward to seeing you all on Wednesday 5th January 2022.

Stay safe & keep reading! ☺

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