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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are writing to inform you about an excellent online reading resource which we subscribe to each year for EYFS and KS1 children to support them in their reading.

'Bug Club' is an online reading scheme with a personalised website for each child. It gives the children the chance to read e-books at the appropriate reading level and can be used in addition to the printed book scheme we already have in school. There are many reasons why we think this is a good resource:

- All books have specifically designed 'Bug questions' for the children to test their knowledge with.
- Each pupil will have their own area where they can monitor the books they have read and get online rewards for the amount of points they build up.
- Some books can be read to the children with the speaker button.
- Each book has a built in memory of where the children reach. This means that they do not have to finish the book in one sitting.

At Treloweth we feel passionate about fostering a love for reading in every child and feel this package could be one way to encourage and motivate them in their reading. We hope that you and your child will love these books and enjoy reading them at home.

Your class teacher will assign each child at least one book per week to read **at their own pace**. There is **no deadline for each book to be read** and the children are under no pressure to complete books at speed. We only ask that if you do have access to the internet, that you enable your child to have the opportunity to access this resource.

If your child reads from 'Bug Club', please write down the book they have read in their reading records. If you do not have access to the internet, there will be opportunities in school for your child to access this site.

Happy reading! Please speak to one of us or your child's class teacher if you have any questions or problems accessing the internet.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Warren
English Lead Teacher

&

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Phonics Lead Teacher