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### SPONSORED READING CHALLENGE 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

To celebrate and encourage a lifelong love of reading at home and school, we will be running a sponsored reading challenge between **MONDAY 16TH MARCH** and **SUNDAY 22ND MARCH 2026**.

The project is being organised in conjunction with our local Independent Usborne Partner and all the money raised will go towards brand new books for our school.



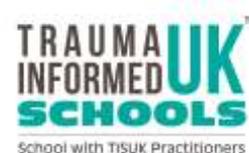
In addition to the sponsorship money, Usborne will also donate up to 60% of the total raised in **EXTRA FREE BOOKS** to the school. So, for every £600 raised, we will get an extra £360 in **FREE Usborne books!**

Please help us to enhance our reading resources for pupils by encouraging your child to spend a small amount of time each day either reading to themselves, to others, or being read to. They can read books, comics, magazines, newspapers, menus, websites, recipes, poems, leaflets, instructions - anything with words!

There are also prizes to be won for the person who reads for the most amount of time (recorded on the reading log). There will be a prize for pupils in FS, KSI and KS2.

Sponsorship forms and reading logs to record the number of minutes that have been read are being sent home with each child on Friday 13th March and copies will also be available to collect in the school office.

After the sponsored read, please send all the sponsorship money that your child has raised to the school by **WEDNESDAY 15TH APRIL**.



We look forward to having lots more books for your child to read, share and enjoy.

For more information, contact your child's class teacher or myself.

Kind regards,

**Mrs Travers**  
Assistant Head and English Lead

