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Dear Parent/Carer

Bookbuzz Book Scheme

Your child has just received their Bookbuzz book to bring home and keep as a gift! Here is why: Pembroke is taking part in BookTrust's Bookbuzz programme, which aims to get all children reading. Your child chose their own book to read from this year's selection of sixteen Bookbuzz titles. Bookbuzz is run by BookTrust, the UK's largest children's reading charity, which transforms lives by getting children and families reading. To find out more about BookTrust visit www.booktrust.org.uk.

We hope that Bookbuzz will encourage your child to read more frequently, which will help improve their wellbeing and empathy, spark interesting conversations, and inspire creativity. Here are three steps you can take to get involved:

1. Get talking! The easiest way to get involved is to talk to your child about books and reading. Their own Bookbuzz book is a great place to start. What do they enjoy about their book? Who is their favourite character? Talking about books together can help your child to form and share their opinion on what they like to read and why.
2. What's next? The adventure continues when your child finishes their Bookbuzz book! No matter what their interests, there are thousands of fantastic books out there to discover. You can go to the BookTrust Bookfinder at www.booktrust.org.uk/bookfinder or visit your local library or bookshop for more recommendations. Of course, the perfect place for them to start is in the academy library at Pembroke!
3. Find out more. You can find lots on the BookTrust website about the best new books and how you can continue to encourage your child to read at home.

If you have any questions at all about the Bookbuzz scheme or about different ways you can support your child with their reading choices, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours faithfully

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