



## **Reading Newsletter**

### **Summer 1**

To all our avid readers !

Welcome to your penultimate Reading Newsletter of this year, and what a year it has been for reading at Coppice! An amazing World Book Week, Author Visit, Competitions, Book Fairs, MANY Reading Champions and even a brand new Coppice Academy Book Vending Machine!

I hope you enjoy this half-term's content as we once again celebrate all of the things that make reading at Coppice so special...

## Reading Champions for Summer 1

**1st: 4C**

**2nd: 5E**

**3rd: 5F**



Well done to all of our winning classes this half-term for meeting the whole school class target. I hope you enjoyed your 10 minutes of extra play-time!

### Home Reading Expectations

- All children are expected to read for 10 minutes every night, at least 3 nights per week. Please sign their reading diary pages in their organiser to confirm they have done so.
- Reading books need to be in school every day.
- If they have read and bring their book in, they get 2 ticks on the class chart.
- The class with the highest percentage on a Friday win extra playtime and the Reading Champion wins a book prize from our Book Vending Machine!

Week Beginning 4 <sup>th</sup> September 2023	
Spellings: _____ _____ _____	
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Tuesday Book title:	Today I have read: At school: <input type="checkbox"/> Page ____ to page ____ At home: <input type="checkbox"/> Page ____ to page ____ Parent signature: _____



## **New Coppice Academy Book Vending Machine!**

A huge thank you to Mrs Green for upgrading our Book Vending machine, which now features the our new school name and logo!

The Book Vending Machine is always restocked regularly to feature the latest texts - which can be won by our weekly Class Reading Champions in Celebration Assemblies every Friday!

## **Year 6 SATs**

A huge well done to all our Year 6 children who completed the statutory SATs Reading Test - which is the national measure of attainment and progress in Reading.

In true Coppice Academy style, you found ways to persevere and strive for the best marks you were able to.

On behalf of our whole school Reading Community, we are so proud of you!

## **Key stage 2**

### **English reading**

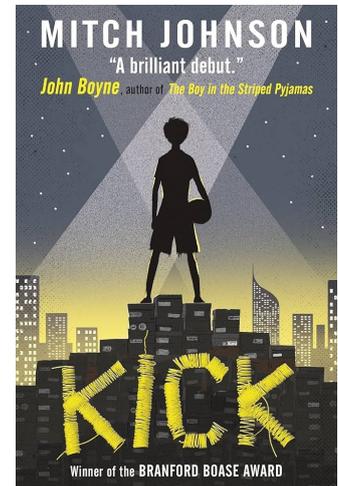
Reading answer booklet

First name				
Middle name				
Last name				
Date of birth	Day	Month	Year	
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## Year 5 After-School Book Club

In Book Club this half-term, we have been reading 'Kick' by Mitch Johnson. This powerful text tells the story of Budi's hopes, dreams and journey to becoming a world famous footballer like his idol, Real Madrid's Kieran Wakefield.

Set on the streets of Jakarta, Indonesia, this inspiring story explores the concepts of friendship, determination and never letting anything stand in the way of achieving your dreams.



## Get Caught Reading!

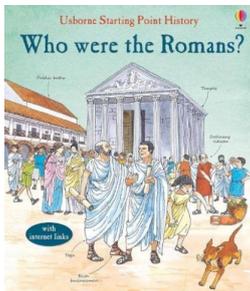
Summer has arrived, so what better reason is there to find an outdoor space to enjoy a book of your choice in!

For our final Reading Newsletter of the year, I am looking for photos our anyone in our Coppice Academy Reading Community enjoying reading outdoors. This can be as simple as relaxing in a garden or park to more adventurous (but safe) locations to enjoy a few pages of chapters.

Please send your **Get Caught Reading photos** to Class Teachers on Class Dojo to be in with a chance of appearing in July's edition!



## Next Half-term's Texts:



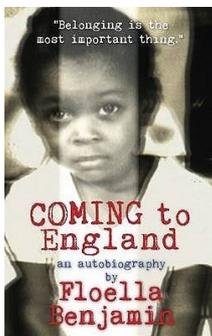
### Year 3

'What was the Roman army like?' 'Did the Romans have parties?' 'Did they have painkillers?' These are the kinds of questions you'll find answered in **Who Were the Romans?** It's packed with fascinating and surprising facts about Ancient Rome and the people who lived there!



### Year 4

Mankind must put a stop to the dreadful destruction caused by the Iron Man. A trap is set for him, but he cannot be kept down. Then, when a terrible monster from outer space threatens to lay waste to the planet, it is the Iron Man who finds a way to save the world.



### Year 5

Floella Benjamin reveals the hopes and fears, and the pain she experienced when leaving the Caribbean for an unfriendly new life in England. Her feelings are shared by any child who has had to adapt to a new life in a strange environment and culture.

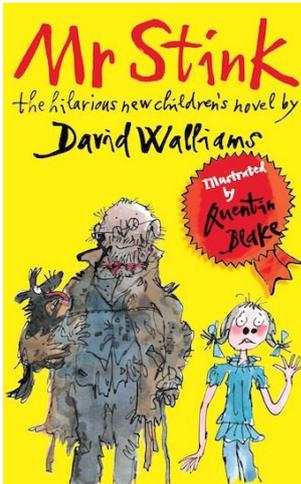


### Year 6

Aveline Jones loves reading ghost stories, so a dreary half-term becomes much more exciting when she discovers a spooky old book. Not only are the stories spine-tingling, but it once belonged to Primrose Penberthy, who vanished mysteriously, never to be seen again. Intrigued, Aveline decides to investigate Primrose's disappearance. Now someone... or something, is stirring. And it is looking for Aveline.

## What We're Reading

### Isla C - 5E



I'm currently reading Mr Stink by David Walliams and illustrated by Quentin Blake. This is the 5th book I've read by this author like: The Boy in the Dress, Demon Dentist, Billionaire Boy and Gangsta Granny. I love David Walliams books because they are so funny, he has good ideas and fantastic tales, a different one in each book!

In this book, Mr Stink is a kind person - who people thought was just a beggar and stank - but he is a lovely person to talk to, especially when you are just passing by. He is also very generous when Chloe tries to offer him a £5 note, he says "Thank you but I can't take it as you are a child." I would recommend this book if you love adventures and enjoy it like I am!

### Miss Wright - 5F



I am currently reading a series of books by the author T J Green all about Fae creatures, fallen angels called nephelim and witches who go on daring adventures and protect the humans of a made-up village in Cornwall called White Haven.

I am currently on book 5 in the series and there have been visits to the Fae World and mad dashes across the globe to rescue different artifacts and mystical objects. I have to be very careful when I pick it up though as I lose hours getting sucked into their world!



### **Blue Peter Book Club**

This month, in the Blue Peter Book Club, they're reading 'The Last Firefox' by Lee Newbery. In 'The Last Firefox', Charlie Challinor faces bullies and unexpected changes at home. But, when he becomes the guardian of a furry fox named Cadno, Charlie must summon courage he never knew he had to protect his fiery friend. Join Charlie and Cadno on a daring adventure to save The Last Firefox!

The Blue Peter Book Club is all about sharing the joy of reading! Each month they'll talk about a different book and want to find out your thoughts on it too! If this wasn't exciting enough, you can now apply for the brand new Blue Peter Book badge!

Please visit: [www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/joinin/blue-peter-book-club](http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/joinin/blue-peter-book-club) for more information.

By sharing your book reviews you could earn a book-tastic badge!

### **Why not add these to your Home Library?**



## The Reader Teacher

The Reader Teacher is a fantastic, free resource to find the best reads, reviews and recommendations of children's books for our pupils and families.

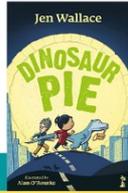
Set up by teacher Scott Evans, the website provides a wealth of information to support children's reading. Each half-term, we will be signposting some of the

latest updates from The Reader Teacher or you can visit the website yourself at:

<https://www.thereaderteacher.com/>



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 Jen Wallace <b>DINOSAUR PIE</b> by Jen Wallace and Alan O'Rourke	 Keedie by Elle McNicoll	 NATURE'S FASCINATING FRIENDSHIPS by Mike Hills and Kerry Hyndman	 <b>PINK TRUCKS</b> by Sam Clarke and Cory Reid	 ONJALI Q. RAUF <b>The Letter with the GOLDEN STAMP</b> by Onjali Q. Rauf
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