

Reading Record Guide Sheet



Today your child will take home this brand new and exciting reading record.

As you read with your child, we would like you to write in their Reading Record. This will give us an insight into how much reading your child is receiving and their wider interest in books. You can write about their weekly reading book, their library book or any other books, magazines, comics etc they have read at home.

Date	Book title and page number	Parent/Teacher/Pupil Comments

In this section, you would write the date, the name of the book etc your child has read and you can also include the page numbers.

Then you can leave a comment in the final box, telling us how you think your child did with their reading, anything you think they need help with or what they enjoyed about the book.

This will give us something to talk about when we read with your child.

Words I need to know

a	for	look	so
about	from	looked	some
all	get	made	that
an	go	make	the
and	got	me	their
are	had	Mr	them
as	have	Mrs	then
asked	he	mum	there
at	help	my	they
back	her	no	this
be	here	not	time
big	him	now	to

Throughout the Reading Record there are some bonus pages that are useful and will help you child with their read. Included here are the top common words that your child will need to know and a handy guide full of superb tips to help your child be “on their way” with their reading.

Reading Tips

If you are stuck on a word, try this...

- Try looking at any pictures to see if there are clues in them.
- Break up the word into syllables.
- Look for smaller words within the longer word e.g fright, ten.
- Look for clues in the text. Try reading the whole sentence and miss out the difficult word.
- What is happening in the text at that point? What word would make sense?
- Do you recognise any groups of letters from other words? e.g ight is in light, might.

Make reading enjoyable by...

- Finding a quiet space and time when you are able to read.
- Sharing the reading with an adult or friend by taking turns to read a page or