

# Details of our Reading Schemes and Provision

## Early Years/ Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1

The school possesses a number of *reading schemes*, based on phonic understanding. These also include a wide range of text genres. Books are grouped into ability levelled boxes. Schemes include:

- Oxford Reading Tree (at different levels)
- Floppy's Phonics (an Oxford publication)
- Songbirds (an Oxford publication)
- First Facts (a Badger publication)
- Read it yourself (Ladybird)
- Ginn 360
- Ginn All Aboard
- Jelly and Bean (Jelly and Bean Ltd)

When children are ready they select, with guidance, reading books from a range of 'real books', written by children's authors.

Guided reading is carried out with multiple copies of books sourced from a range of suppliers, such as Pelican Guided Reading, and good quality 'real' books.

## Key Stage 2

Older children who continue to need a structured approach to reading have access to books from the schemes listed above.

Most children select reading books from graded 'real books'. Guided reading is carried out with multiple copies of books sourced from a range of suppliers, such as Pelican Guided Reading, and good quality 'real' books, including information texts.

Children also borrow fiction and non-fiction books from our lending library.

In addition to the 'formal' teaching of reading there are many opportunities to develop reading skills in the context of the wider curriculum. Emphasis throughout the school is on developing reading skills, comprehension and application, appreciation and an abiding love of books of all kinds.