## THANK YOU!

Dear Parents / Carers,

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A huge thank you to everyone who supported us in our sponsored reading challenge in July. We were thrilled with the wonderful efforts of all who took part and are pleased to announce that we raised an

AMAZING final total of:

£2549.91

The sponsored reading challenge was lots of fun with children taking part in challenges such as:

Read a book in your garden or at the park.

Read to your pet or an animal toy. Read a book that makes you laugh.

Read a recipe and make it.

Key Stage 1 Enchanted Woodland Retreat







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All money raised is to be used to purchase books for our school.

We have currently spent £760 on sets of core books and key texts linked to personal, social and emotional themes. The remaining money will be spent over the next half term.

Each class has a set of high quality year group core books in their classroom and there is now a complete set in our Enchanted Woodland Retreat. These books are read frequently to the children by adults and shared by the children with their friends. They support our children's reading skills as they share, retell, discuss, sequence and act them out together.

We have also purchased books which support our Relationships and Health Education curriculum around themes such as behaviour, feelings, issues, health, experiences, skills and positive qualities. These books support our children's character development in a positive and meaningful way.

Our future plans for the remaining £1789 include buying a range of books for our Enchanted Woodland Retreat and Woodland Snug areas which children are able to visit at different times throughout the week. We will be purchasing a range of high quality non-fiction texts linked to year group topics which will support children's learning across a variety of subjects in all year groups. We are also looking to purchase high quality sets of traditional tales and stories for children to enjoy.

Thank you for working in partnership with us to enable all our children to be successful readers who love reading.

Thank you for your generosity £2549.91 is a school record!