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**Dear Parents** 

## BOOK FAYRE TUESDAY 26 - FRIDAY 29 SEPTEMBER

One of our main priorities for this academic year is to continue to encourage a love of reading, in order to increase reading ages and develop reading progress. When a child reads a book, they enter a whole new world which captures their imagination and takes them to places and situations which real life sometimes never can.

Boys who read on a regular basis, not only achieve better results in school in reading but also in writing.

A successful home school partnership is essential in ensuring that children become fluent and avid readers. There is a direct correlation between children who have regular access to books at home, whether through being read to or reading for themselves and the progress they make at school in reading.

Please support us with our aim to promote reading as an enjoyable and worthwhile activity. Each pupil at the Junior School has been given a Reading Record booklet. This should be filled in by your son and signed by a parent on a daily basis.

Our school library is open every day thanks to our Year 6 Librarians and a team of parents.

We would also encourage you to visit our **Book Fayre** which takes place next week, from Tuesday 26 to Friday 29 September in the Junior School and will be open at breaktime between 10.35 – 10.50 am and lunchtimes between 12.30 - 1.00 pm each day.

To avoid any disappointment or delays books can be purchased on the same day. An appropriate amount of cash should be placed in an envelope for your son to bring with him or cheques for purchases should be made payable to **Merchant Taylors' School**. The brochure given is to give you an idea of what is on offer and should not be used to place an order.

For each book sold a percentage of the profit will be given back to buy new books for the school library and last year we were given over £300 to spend.

Yours sincerely

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