



# Pott Shrigley Church School

## Church of England Aided Primary

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*Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other,  
just as in Christ, God forgave you"*  
Ephesians 4:32

Dear parents,

I hope that this message finds you well.

We would like to encourage you to have a focus on **READING** this week. I myself am ploughing my way through *The Mirror and the Light* (Hilary Mantel) which is great but rather difficult to hold up being rather long and heavy!

Mrs Turner has put together some helpful information for you which is at the bottom of this letter. Please try to post something reading related on Tapestry or the website if you are in KS2; we love to see what you are up to. Lisa Paton sent a lovely book last week all about *NOT GOING TO SCHOOL* which I have put on the website as a homework item for class one and two and Mrs Turner has uploaded it to *Tapestry*. Definitely worth a read.

We have been using your photos to add to the class pages on the website. You will see that class one's page has some amazing images of things people have achieved at home. We hope to add to this in the coming weeks so do send us pictures of anything you have enjoyed doing recently.

St Christopher's virtual family service will take place this Sunday via the internet, you are all welcome via Facebook – the link is on the services page of the church website. We hope to arrange another virtual school worship over the next week, this time led by class 2.

Finally, I would like your feedback on a couple of questions:

1. Have you been using any of the websites we signposted and, if so have they been helpful?

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons>

<https://www.thenational.academy/>

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/covid19-school-closures>

2. Do you want school to produce more work on paper? (Like the pack we previously sent out during the week school closed.)

If you need anything or want to ask questions about work, please email [admin@pottshrigley.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:admin@pottshrigley.cheshire.sch.uk) and your query will be answered as soon as possible.

You are all in our thoughts and prayers every day.

Kind Regards

Joanne Bromley



# Reading



Reading is about enjoyment. It is an important skill to develop to gain real pleasure, escapism and information gaining anytime, but in particular at the moment when we all have extra time on our hands. Sharing reading is important at any age and gives that pleasure of being together and chatting about the information.



We read a lot in our everyday life, it is not just about reading books as we read from technology to gain information, respond to emails, look at leaflets, comics and newspapers e.g. First News.



At Pott Shrigley we thought it would be an idea to:

- **Review books** that you have enjoyed to share with other children. This could be on the website, or messaging Jane Langdon, to add to the facebook page.

Class one and reception could read an extract of a book or a poem to share with their friends on tapestry (recording can only be 3 mins maximum for it to work).

- **Compare a book to a film** e.g. Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Matilda, The Lorax, Diary of the Wimpy Kid, Harry Potter (earlier films as PG) Disney fairy tales e.g. Rapunzel, Beauty and the Beast, Snow White, Cinderella and the Little Mermaid.

We would love to see a **photo of you reading to your pet or a teddy.**



**And/or**

**reading in different places**, choosing an unusual place to read or possibly using IT to enhance your photo to where you would like to read at the moment!



Class one and reception please post on Tapestry, class two use your blog from the webpage.

# The Rights of the Reader

by Daniel Pennac  
illustrated by Quentin Blake



1 The right not to read.



2 The right to skip.



3 The right not to finish a book.



4 The right to read it again.



5 The right to read anything.



6 The right to mistake a book for real life.



7 The right to read anywhere.



8 The right to dip in.



9 The right to read out loud.

Webpage ideas for reading:

<https://literacycounts.co.uk/>

Good parent section. Provides steps to read, year group information, home learning packs and story section to listen to a story.

<https://www.booktrust.org.uk/> Information about books

<https://www.readingzone.com/> Information about books

<https://www.lovereadings4kids.co.uk/> Information about books

<https://www.storynory.com/> Audio books

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/stories> For younger children

