

### STOP PRESS!

Watch out for our **phonics and reading** workshop – available on our website from Monday 9<sup>th</sup> November.

#### Welcome to October's Reading Corner!

The children have been enjoying our new daily guided reading lessons and their in depth study of books such as George's Marvellous Medicine, The Queen's Handbag and Lost and Found.

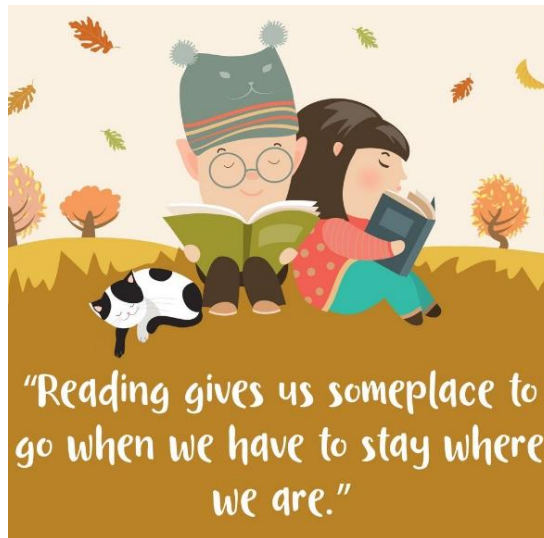
We interviewed some children about it...

*"We get to read 'George's Marvellous Medicine'. I like trying to memorise what's in the story."* Chloe

*"I like doing the ticking questions after we have read some of the story."* Sam B

*"Guided reading is fun because I like to read and it involves reading. My favourite challenge is learning new words."* Isabella

*"We get to read stories and poems. I like that."* Sam J



## WE LOVE READING



#### TOP TIP

##### All reading is good!

You don't just have to read school books...you could read comics, magazines, leaflets, food packets and road signs. Reading is reading and it's all **worthwhile**.

Whilst you are out and about during half term, go on a reading hunt. What sounds and words can you spot?

#### Virtual Mystery Readers

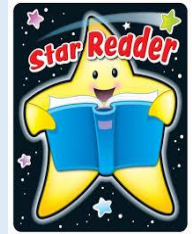
Holly Class were treated to our first virtual Mystery Reader. They enjoyed listening to 'Alberto the Dancing Alligator' and spotting Alberto who kept making surprise appearances too!



Remember to contact Mrs Alexander to sign up if you'd like to be a Mystery Reader too.

## Star Readers

Each half term, the staff will nominate a child from each class to be a Star Reader. This is awarded to children for effort and achievement taking into account reading at school and at home. Star Readers will receive something special directly to their door!



# CHALLENGE!

### Reading in unusual places

Some of the teachers have been caught reading all around the school this week! Where can you be caught reading? We challenge you to find unusual places to read this half term. Please send your photos in **by 6<sup>th</sup> November** via email [info@cambridgeschool.hants.sch.uk](mailto:info@cambridgeschool.hants.sch.uk) Or **Tapestry**



### Book Buddies

There was a wonderful 'buzz' around the classroom when we held our first Book Buddy session as the children chatted happily about the books they were reading. This month's Book Buddies takes place on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October**. Your child should bring a favourite book from home.

