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### How it works.

Children will be awarded a coloured wristband for different amounts that they read at home. The bands range in colour from yellow up to black. When children are at black band level they will win a prize and certificate to accompany their band. Each time a child moves up a level they must return their current band.

### What counts as a read?

- Reading 3 or more pages of a school reading book, comic/ magazine, or sharing some of a book at home that your child may be unable to read alone.
- Completing a read theory quiz (KS2 children).
- Listening to a chapter of an audio book.

### The Colours:

Yellow— 20 reads  
 Orange— 40 reads  
 Green— 60 reads  
 Blue—80 reads  
 Purple—100 reads  
 Brown—120 reads  
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