

CCJS Reading Scheme

Steps to becoming a Free Reader

Becoming a free reader means that your child is able to read any book of their choice as their school reading book. This will happen at a different time for each child and depends not only on reading fluency, but also on their comprehension skills. It is usually at the discretion of the class teacher when each child is moved on. Some children become free readers in Yr 3. Most children become free readers by the end of Yr 4 or Yr 5.

Once your child is a free reader, they still need to be heard read and to maintain their reading records.

Reading records are maintained throughout the school from Yr 3 to Yr 6.

Scheme Levels

Free Reader

Extended Reading Scheme

Band 11 - Lime

Band 10 - White

Band 9 - Gold

Band 8 - Purple

Band 7 -
Turquoise

Band 6 - Orange

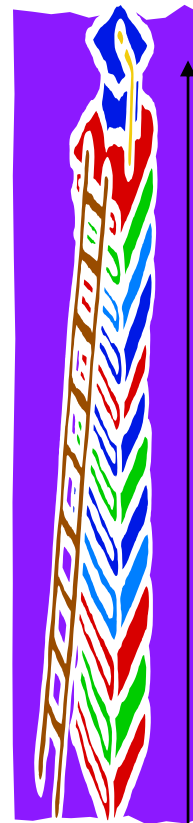
Band 5 - Green

Band 4 - Blue

Band 3 - Yellow

Band 2 - Red

Band 1 - Pink



Please note:

Our school reading scheme has been updated so that the colour bands are in line with national levels. Your child's class teacher will place them on the book band appropriate for their reading level.

CCJS Library Information

Every child is issued a library card when they join the school. They are allowed to borrow **one book** and **one maths game** at a time.

Each class are allocated a set day to visit the library (usually one afternoon each week). Your child's class teacher will inform them of when this time is.

Additionally, children can use the library during lunch times to borrow new reads and can return books/ games every morning by handing items in to the book buddies, who will visit their classroom during registration.

Please note that both books and maths games are issued on a 2 week loan. If your child wants to keep an item for longer, then it is important that they RENEW the item after 2 weeks. Every year we have many books that go missing or are not handed back in at an expense to the school, so please do help your child keep track of what they have borrowed.

The library is an invaluable resource, which supports and enhances learning. It contains a wide variety of resources which aim to make learning an enjoyable experience, as well as encouraging reading for pleasure. We hope that your child enjoys using the library during their time at CCJS