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Dear Parents and Carers,

Reading Homework

Welcome back to the new school year. This is a reminder that as well as KO homework, students in KS3 have a reading homework every week.

There are two parts to this homework. Firstly, students should aim to read a novel of their own choosing for at least 90 minutes a week. This can include the reading time in tutor, their fortnightly Library session, and any time at home, which could be reading together with another family member. There will be some students who read more than this already, and that's brilliant, they can log that and don't have to do extra.

Secondly, students have to go once a week to the English Google Classroom for their year group, find the Reading Log assignment, open it, and fill it in. They could do this at home, or could use a school Chromebook in tutor, in the Library at break, lunch or after school, or during their timetabled Library lesson. Every week, positive points will be awarded on Arbor for completing the Log with a view to awarding prizes to the most avid readers in each Unit.

The first Log will stay active until 17th September to give everyone a chance to get signed in to the Google Class, and each further Log will then be up for a week after that. If students are having difficulties joining the class, they should see their English teacher for help before the deadline.

Thanks for your cooperation with this important part of school life,

Yours faithfully

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