



THE STONEHENGE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers

Christmas Book Flood

In Iceland, Jólábókaflód is a Christmas tradition where people gift books on Christmas Eve and read them straight away. We would like to replicate this, giving everyone the opportunity to have a book to read this Christmas.

Therefore, we are asking for as many of you as possible to bring in any second hand books you have in good condition or even new books by 11th December.

Please bring books to one of the following drop off points listed below:

Year 11 – Atrium

Year 10 – Room 82

Year 9 – Outside Mrs Fletcher's office

Year 8 – Area outside library (Mr Wooster's office)

Year 7 – Lower school canteen.

Reading is proven to increase vocabulary and grades in English as well as all other subjects across the curriculum. A study found that a quarter of all 15 year olds have a reading age of 12 or below, and we as a school would like to improve this.

"We know there are over 380,000 children across the UK today that have never owned a book, children that are in vulnerable environments. That has to change." – Marcus Rashford

We hope to see as many books as possible, to help those who cannot access books and the benefits of reading.

Yours faithfully

C A Dean

Deputy Headteacher

