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Dear Parents and Carers of Years 5 & 6,

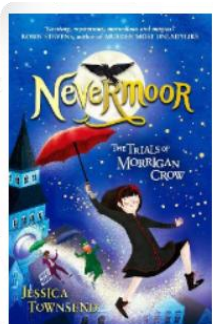
In a bid to make home reading easier and more attractive for pupils in Year 5 and 6 to record, we have decided to move away from paper reading records. Instead, we are going to be logging any reading which is done at home using the online platform 'Reading Cloud'. This has been trialled by last year's Year 5 classes.

Each class will be given a demonstration by their class teacher as to how to use Reading Cloud. When your child finishes a book or has read a section of a chapter book, they will write either a review or a blog about the book. Blogs and reviews will be published onto the Reading Cloud platform and will be accessible by teachers and pupils.

To log in to the platform, use the following link and select 'Log in' - <https://app.readingcloud.net/>

In the 'Site' field type in Broughton Junior School. Each child will then be given a 4 digit username and a password to access their pupil account.

Once your child logs in, the search bar can be used to find any books that are currently being read at home. If there are any books that are not yet available on the system, please speak to your class teacher who will be able to add these to the system. Most books however should be available already.



By Jessica Townsend

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When a book has been finished, search for the book using the search bar and then select 'write a review'. Your child can then write a review which may include their thoughts on the book, what they enjoyed about it, who else may enjoy the book etc. All posts will be reviewed by a member of staff before it is published on the Reading Cloud website and children should be reminded about appropriate online conduct.

If the book doesn't appear in your search, then a blog can be written about the book instead and this can be selected via the home screen. Children should aim for at least one entry per week and this will be monitored by teachers. We will introduce weekly certificates to celebrate readers of the week in Years 5 and 6.

If you have any questions, please ask your class teacher.

Mr Simmons

