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Dear Children and Parents,

As part of our on-going strategy to promote reading, (and also for a bit of fun!) we are setting an 'Extreme Reading' challenge for you all to enjoy over the summer holiday.

Extreme Reading is an initiative promoted by the National Literacy Council, designed to encourage and inspire young people to develop a passion for literature. The challenge is for children to find the most extreme - but safe - place to read their book, have their photo taken and return to school with the picture so that it can be mounted on our 'Extreme Readers' display board. Should any parents wish to partake, there will be a special section for their extreme reading shots also. There will be a prize for the most extremely extreme picture – children only, adults will have make do with the fame and glory of the school notice board!

We will of course be conducting random comprehension tests to ensure the books have been read, particularly of those adults entering the competition!

On Monday I shared the challenge with all the children and showed them a web site which could help them peruse books they may like to read: <http://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>.

I hope you will all feel inclined to embrace this initiative and have fun doing so. I have encouraged our Year 6 leavers to partake and forward their photos to us via friends, family or e-mail.

Wishing you all a wonderful summer and a good deal of fun dreaming up extreme reading opportunities!

Yours sincerely,

M. Gray

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please contact the School Office for assistance.**