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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: **Reading Buddies Scheme**

We are currently running a scheme at Hungerhill School to offer additional reading time for students. This scheme is for readers who have been identified from the GL Reading Test as students who would benefit from additional reading time in order to increase their competency to a level that allows them to access the curriculum confidently. As confident reading helps students make excellent progress, we felt that by offering a peer-to-peer programme, it would promote enjoyment in reading with both the Year 7 students and their partners in Year 9.

The scheme will run for the duration of the year, and it will involve two mornings a week (Thursday and Friday) during form time so this does not encroach on their learning.

We intend to start our reading club on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October. Not only will it allow your child to have time for supported reading of their Accelerated Reading book, but it will also give them a chance to talk about what they like to read and choose other non-fiction texts to read if they wish.

If you have any questions about this support, please do not hesitate to contact the Literacy Coordinator via email at [hunt.s@hungerhillschool.com](mailto:hunt.s@hungerhillschool.com).

Yours faithfully,

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