

CARR JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are giving Bookend Cottage, our wonderful school library, a little relaunch and would love more children and families to make the most of it!

Created inside a converted bus through fundraising and the generosity of our Carr community, Bookend Cottage is a special place to discover a new author, explore different books or settle down with a favourite story. We want every child to find something they are excited to read.
Children will have regular opportunities to visit with their classes during the school day. The library will also be open:

- On Thursday lunchtimes, with Years 3 and 5 visiting one week and Years 4 and 6 the next.
- On Mondays after school, starting after half term, until approximately 3.45pm. Families are welcome to come along together, browse the shelves and choose a book to enjoy at home.

Bookend Cottage works just like a library. Children can check out a book to take home for two weeks. After this, the book needs to be returned or renewed if they would like a little longer to finish it. Please help your child look after their borrowed books and remember to bring them back so other children can enjoy them too.

We would also love your help to keep our collection growing. If you are able and would like to support Bookend Cottage, you can buy us a book from our Amazon wishlist. It includes titles we would love to add to our shelves, giving children even more choice and new books to discover.

You can scan the QR code accompanying this letter or visit our wishlist here:

Buy a book for Bookend Cottage

Thank you for helping us make Bookend Cottage a place our children love. Whether you donate a book, pop in together after school or share a library book at home, your support helps us encourage a lasting love of reading.

We look forward to welcoming you aboard!

Kind regards,
Laura Winston
Head of School