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**Dear Parent & Carers** 

## **Reading Raffle**

At Barrow, we are continually thinking of new and exciting ways to develop reading for pleasure right across the school. To help develop and strengthen reading at home in all Key Stages, we are continuing (and introducing for Year 1) a weekly 'reading raffle' in 1-6.

You should have noticed in your child's reading log some small tick boxes labelled with the days of the week. We would like your child to tick when they have read at home that day and then tick the corresponding day on the box. We have spoken to the children about them taking ownership of their reading at home too, either the child or an adult can write their reading log and record the pages they have read that day. It doesn't necessarily have to be their school reading book, any book that they have enjoyed either on their own or with an adult.

Week beginning:						
M	Т	W	T	F	S	

Each week, the children be given a corresponding number of raffle tickets for the number of days we can see that they have read during the week. All of the tickets will then be entered into a weekly draw in each class with prizes being given out for the lucky winners.

We would be very grateful for your support with this initiative so please do encourage your child to take part in the reading raffle scheme in the coming weeks. Thank you!

Kind regards

Hayley Dean Reading Lead