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Dear Parents/Guardians

Reading books for students

Reading is an important part of education and at Maiden Erlegh Chiltern Edge we take every opportunity to promote it with students.

You will know that students in Key Stage 3 have a class reading book that is read in Tutor Time (and this has continued during this current spell of Lockdown) and students in Years 10 and 11 have been using tutor time to read or re-read the key texts for the English Literature course.

At the end of last academic year and over the Summer holidays we also began the process of updating and revamping our Library space and we were hugely grateful to parents, ex-students and other members of our wider community who donated pre-loved books to the cause.

As we find ourselves in the early phase of this period of remote learning we are mindful that many of our students do not have ready access to reading books at home and with local libraries unable to open their opportunity to read for pleasure (away from a screen) has been reduced.

Therefore we are hoping to try and provide reading books for students most in need through generous donations from our #MECEFamily. If you feel you are able to support this project you can select a book from either the [Amazon Wishlist](#) or if you would like to support via independent bookshops you can chose to purchase from [here](#).

Books will be sent directly to us and distributed over the next few weeks. The expectation would be that students donate their book back to their library collection once they are able to come back onto site so ultimately all students are able to benefit.

Thank you in advance for your support

Kind regards

Mr A Hartley
Headteacher