

Dear Parents,

The best gift any parent can give a child is the love of good books and the joy and benefits of good reading. Children who read at home, or are read to, have a head start on reading success in school.

Our school is participating in **Scholastic Book Club** again this year. Twice a term during the school year we will send home a Club Catalogue with a different selection of age appropriate books.

You'll find award-winning books, as well as old and new favourites. We recommend them because the books span a wide range of children's reading levels and interests and because they are inexpensive (some books cost as little as **\$1- \$2**).

It is easy to order. The class teacher will send home the current catalogue. Just look over the catalogue with your child, select the books you want.

Ways to pay:

- **Credit card using LOOP**

You can download the new **Scholastic LOOP App** (Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform for parents) **from** the Apple Store and place your child's order online and pay by credit card! No need to fill in the order form or send any paperwork back to school. The books will arrive around two weeks after you place the order with Scholastic.

- **Cheque payment.**

Please make cheques payable to Scholastic Australia, attach to completed order form and return to school.

- **No Cash Payments, Thank You.**

Owning your own books is something special! We hope that you will encourage your child to order books this year. Each order helps earn free books and teaching materials for our classrooms, however there is never any obligation to order. We know of no better way to encourage reading than to allow children to choose the books they want to read.

Yours sincerely,

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PS: For more information about the books in this offer, you can visit the Scholastic Book Clubs Web site at [www.scholastic.com.au](http://www.scholastic.com.au) . You will also find great activities and resources for you and your child.