



Walderslade Girls' School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

RE: Accelerated Reader

This letter is to inform you that Walderslade Girls' School is beginning the Accelerated Reader program. This national program helps teachers support and monitor students' reading and motivates students to read books at home and at school. The girls will select a book at an appropriate level (determined by an online test), read it at their own pace and when complete, undertake a short quiz to measure their understanding of the book.

All the books in school have been labelled with an AR level, points based on the word count, an interest level and quiz number to help students make suitable choices. Your daughter will read in school for 20 minutes every day and we would like to encourage you to urge them to read at home. Their reading age will be assessed three times a year to track their progress.

If you have any questions please feel free to email me and I look forward to your support with this exciting new venture.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs Jiggins

Teacher of English

