



**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2018**

**Reference: BookBuzz-Year 7&8**

Dear families,

As a school we have signed up to the Bookbuzz programme. This exciting programme is endorsed by the book trust, a company which specialise in supporting reading in schools. The Bookbuzz programme provides year 7 and 8 students with the opportunity to receive a free book from a selection of 12 carefully selected titles. The aim of Bookbuzz is to inspire students to want to read whilst discovering new books and authors.

Bookbuzz is funded mainly by the school and run by Booktrust, an independent reading and writing charity that makes a nationwide impact on individuals, families and communities in the UK. To find out more about Booktrust visit [www.booktrust.org.uk](http://www.booktrust.org.uk).

Students in year 7 and 8 will be able to order their book during their Library lessons. They will be given a book mark to choose their book. Ms Thomas will be responsible for supporting students in choosing their own books. Students will be given time during their community sessions to research the selection of books. A hardcopy of the selection of books will further be available in the Learning Resource Centre (LRC). Alternatively, students can independently access information about the books online: <https://www.booktrust.org.uk/what-we-do/programmes-and-campaigns/bookbuzz/students/bookbuzz-books/>

We need all students to choose their books by Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October, so that all orders can be processed on time. If you have any queries regarding Bookbuzz please either contact Ms Thomas or Ms Lee, our email addresses are available below.

Yours sincerely,

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