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Dear Parents and Carers,

Reading Homework Is Changing for the Juniors at Venerable Edward Morgan RC Primary School (VEM)!

Your child will no longer be bringing home a reading book from the present Reading Scheme for the Juniors at VEM. We feel that for too long, pupils have been trawling through books they have not enjoyed, and it is time for a new approach. Your child's homework will now focus around the Lexia Application. We want your child to complete three sessions from the Lexia Application each week. On average, each session lasts about 30 minutes.

Are you worried this will stop your child's progress in reading? Do not be. The benefits of the Lexia Application as a programme are phenomenal, please see the attached letter for more detailed information.

- **Please ensure your child is completing their Lexia Application three times a week**

Do we want them to stop reading books? NO! Of course not, we are going to encourage the pupils to use the VEM library. We will let the pupils choose books that are of interest to them, and hopefully, this will help each pupil to develop a love of reading.

- **Please always encourage your child to read**

Please note you child will no longer be bringing home spelling words to learn on a weekly basis. Spelling will be addressed within lessons during the school week.

Homework Expectations for the Juniors: -

Lexia Application x 3 thirty minutes sessions per week
RM Easi Maths x 3 ten minutes sessions per week
Regularly change your VEM library book
Complete any tasks your Teacher sets for you on SeeSaw

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Please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher or Ms Woodward If you wish to discuss these changes further or have any queries.

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