## Ruru Home Reading: Term 3 2025

Home reading is going to look a bit different this term.

Students will bring home a **reader of their choosing** to share with you. (Please read it to them if it is too hard). They <u>may</u> have seen this reader before.

At least one night the reader will be a **Phonics Plus** book, sent home to enjoy. This is the book we will have completed a lot of phonics work on during the week.

Phonics Plus books support our BSLA Structured Literacy programme. (More info can be found on the Ministry Parent Portal).

https://www.education.govt.nz/parents-and-caregivers/schools-year-0-13/parent-portal

Phonics Plus books are also known as "decodable readers." They have been made especially to help your child learn how to read by blending sounds together, eg: c-a-t says "cat."

Save the date: Monday 28 July - Whanau Reading Workshop - where we will explain more about our BSLA Structured Literacy programme. (In Titipounamu, after Cross Country).

Ngā mihi

Kerry and Angela

