



# Waddesdon Village Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

If you haven't already signed up, the Summer Reading Challenge started on 5th July 2025.

This year's challenge is called 'Story Garden' and is all about Adventures in Nature and the Great Outdoors inspiring children to tap into a world of imagination through reading, exploring the magical connection between storytelling and nature.

### About the 2025 Summer Reading Challenge:

The Summer Reading Challenge takes place every year during the summer holidays. Children sign up at their [Local Library](#), choose a reading goal, then read any books of their choice to collect special stickers along the way – all for FREE.

There is a digital platform too, so the fun can carry on at home! Children can take part in the Challenge at the [Summer Reading Challenge website](#)

How the challenge works · Children sign up at their local library ([Find a library link](#)) to start their Challenge or visit [Summer Reading Challenge](#)

- **Borrow books and get reading! Children set their reading goal (suggested amount: six books) and record what they have read along the way. Library staff and volunteers are on hand to chat to children about books they have read.**
- **For every book read children can pick up stickers (some are smelly!) as they progress through the Challenge.**
- **Children who complete their Challenge are presented with a certificate and a medal.**
- **Children can also take part online to collect digital rewards.**

If you chose to take part in the challenge, let us know what you read.

Happy Reading!

Kind regards,

Miss Cross

Literacy Lead



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