## St. Mary's Primary School Cabragh

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

I hope that you and the children are keeping well and have had a lovely Easter break.

I would like to update everyone on the Accelerated Reading Programme in St. Mary's Primary School. Firstly, congratulations to all those children who met their individual targets before the Easter holidays in Term 2. Well done!

Mrs Poacher, our Literacy co-ordinator, has reset individual targets for pupils in P4-P7 for Term 3 (ending 19<sup>th</sup> June 2020). Unfortunately, the children are not in school to take another STAR reading assessment. Mrs Poacher, therefore, has had to use the pupils' last STAR reading assessment results from January 2020, in order to set targets.

Mrs Poacher has allocated reading time each day for every child and the Accelerated Reader Programme has formulated new reading targets for Term 3.

In these exceptional circumstances, we actively encourage the children to continue reading and to take quizzes at home once they have finished a book. We also encourage the use of 'MyOn', a resource that provides access to thousands of digital books.

The children can log into Accelerated Reader using this specific website address: https://ukhosted52.renlearn.co.uk/2235012/

The children all have their individual usernames and passwords to take quizzes.

Thank you for your continued support and co-operation during these very challenging times.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Louise Quinn

