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Dear Parents and Carers

Bookbuzz for Year 7 students

Our school is taking part in BookTrust's Bookbuzz programme, which aims to get children reading.

Your child has chosen one book out of sixteen Bookbuzz titles, which they get to keep. We hope that this will encourage your child to read more frequently, which will help improve their wellbeing, spark interesting conversations, and inspire creativity.

The books will be distributed to students over the next few weeks.

Here are three steps you can take to get involved:

- Get talking! The easiest way to get involved is to talk to your child about books and reading. What do they enjoy about their book? Who is their favourite character? Talking about books together can help your child to form and share their opinion on what they like to read and why.
- What next? The adventure continues when your child finishes their Bookbuzz book! No matter what their interests, there are thousands of fantastic books out there to discover. You can ask a librarian, visit a local bookshop or go to BookTrust's Bookfinder at [Bookfinder: find children's books for every age | BookTrust](#) for more recommendations.
- Find out more. You can find lots on the BookTrust website about the best new books and how you can continue to encourage your child to read at home

If you have any feedback or questions, please email us at library@thomastallis.org.uk.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gayle Viegas".

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Librarian