

Thursday 21st May

Reading for pleasure - Intonation and expression

Read your book **aloud** today and focus on the way you are reading it.

- *Intonation - How does your voice rise and fall?*
- *Expression - How do you read particular ideas? Is there an emotion you can show in your voice?*
- *Punctuation - Where do you pause? Which pieces of punctuation require a longer pause? What effect do moments of silence have?*

Ask a member of your house to practise with you. Can they give you feedback (two stars and a wish)? Perhaps you could record yourself on a device and listen to your voice afterwards. **If possible, we would love to receive an audio or video of your best reading!** How successful were you at bringing the text to life?