

Deans Mill School Library

Dear Kindergarten parents and guardians,

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Welcome to Deans Mill School and our school library! We are very excited to be sharing books with your children. They have been learning about how to take care of our books in the library, and about how to take care of books at home. This week they will be taking books home for the first time.

In library, we have talked about keeping our library books in a special place at home so library books are easy to find and out of reach of pets and younger siblings. Please encourage students to keep their book there so they always know where it is on library day! Many students use their backpacks as a special place so they always have it on library day.

Kindergarten students can check out one book at a time. Books are due the next library class, but can be renewed if they bring the library book into school. If they finish a book early, they can return it before library day. They can also bring books back after library day if they'd like to get a book before the next library.

If a book is lost, there will be a replacement fee. This also includes books that are damaged beyond repair. Please look for the book before sending in money, as it is often found under beds, the couch, or in the car.

We will be doing many fun activities in library this year, including author studies like Robert Munsch and Marc Brown, learning the difference between books with facts and books with stories, and learning more about the library. The library paraprofessional, Mrs. Lisa Stamm, will be working with the students on these projects. Please contact me with any questions you may have.

Thank you,

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****Please return the bottom of this slip to your child's teacher so your child can check out books!****

I will help my child (student's name) _____ keep track of their library book and know there will be a replacement fee if a library book gets lost or damaged.

Parent/guardian name : _____

Parent/guardian signature: _____