

BOOK FRIEND

Where The Story Starts

Childhood is made of little moments. BookFriend gives them somewhere to belong.

The idea

BookFriend began with a simple thought: what if a child's school years did not disappear into separate apps, folders, photographs and memories? What if they could grow into one meaningful book - a book that follows the child as they grow?

Three people around one child

At the heart of BookFriend is a three-way relationship between the child, their parent or carer, and their teacher. Each sees a different part of the child's journey. BookFriend is designed to bring those parts together carefully, with the child always at the centre.

A book that grows with you

Every school year becomes another chapter. Achievements, memories, learning, creativity and the small moments worth keeping can build into a story that makes sense over time - rather than being lost when a class, teacher, school or platform changes.

From school to life

As the child grows, BookFriend grows with them. The role of adults changes with age, and independence increases. The long-term idea is simple: when childhood ends, the young person is left with something that belongs to them - their own record of growing up, learning and becoming who they are.

Designed with care

BookFriend is being developed around safeguarding, privacy, appropriate permissions and age-aware design. The aim is not to collect childhood for the sake of collecting data. It is to preserve what matters, involve the right people at the right time, and give children and families something genuinely useful and meaningful.

Every year becomes a book.

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