Playaways are an exciting and immediate way to enjoy books. Each self-contained unit allows users to listen to favorite authors and titles. Each recorded Playaway has a corresponding print text in our media center (many have more than one on each Playaway). Students should check out both the Playaway and the book that goes with it. Therefore, a Playaway can be used simultaneously with the book to practice independent reading or the student can read some chapters and listen to others.

To use a Playaway, students connect headphones or computer speakers from home and press play on the device. The unit can quickly jump between chapters. There are specific operating instructions printed on the inside of the Playaway case. It will come with the necessary batteries. If there is a problem with the Playaway, please notify Mrs. Soper.

Because these are expensive items, students who would like to checkout Playaways will need permission from a parent or guardian. By signing the permission slip, you are agreeing to pay for any loss or damage of the Playaway. Have your child return the bottom portion of this note to the Media Center. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Mrs. Soper
Media Specialist

Playaway Checkout Authorization

My child________________________________________ has my permission to check out a Playaway. I understand that if anything happens to the Playaway, I am responsible for the cost of the item.

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Parent Name                                      Parent Signature

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Student’s Teacher                                 Date