

18th September 2023

Read With Me

Dear Parents/Carers,

From **Monday 25th September**, we will be inviting our parents and carers of Reception for weekly reading sessions. We aim to provide an opportunity for your child/children to share their love of reading with you and for us all to work towards having a positive attitude and culture with reading.

Regularly reading for pleasure with our children can have a huge impact on their education and mental wellbeing. It has astonishing benefits for children: it builds self-esteem and their knowledge of new words, develops creative skills and can even improve their sleeping patterns.

We know that finding time to read with your child at home can be a challenge, so please join us each week on **Monday's** for both **RC and RSJ** at **2:45pm**.

Class teachers will put reminders on X of each session.

There will be a new letter with a different date and time sent out before October half term detailing next half term's Read With Me session.

The school gates will be open early on these days and a member of staff will meet you at your child's classroom door.

We look forward to seeing you and your child's love for reading grow.

Yours faithfully,

Miss Cowling