
Reading in Greene Class



Reading information evening

Miss Ryder and Mr Ellacott will be holding a reading information evening for EYFS and year 1, on **Wednesday 16th January, straight after school at 3:30pm**. Miss Harding and Mrs Robinson will be able to look after the children in Greene Class, and we will be in the hall.

This will be a great opportunity for us to talk through reading and phonics, including:

- strategies to help at home;
- how we teach phonics in class;
- activities for home;
- the phonic screen that takes place during year 1.

Reading at home

We will also be looking at ways to promote reading books, and opportunities to read outside of these.

To coincide with this, Greene class are starting their reading challenge! Celebrating 55 years of Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, we now have a car themed Magical Reading Tour.

All it needs is for children to read 10 minutes a day, which is the recommended minimum amount of reading for accelerated progress.



Each time they read for 10 minutes, simply colour in a block on the fuel gauge and we're on our way! We will be giving out certificates and prizes in the Friday assembly on the 15th March for anyone who has completed the challenge. Good luck!

Future Letters

To save paper (and the world!) we are switching to a paperless letter system. Please fill in the slip below, and return it to allow us to send future letters via email. All previous letters are available at: <https://www.st-catharines.gloucs.sch.uk/news-events/parent-letters/>

Please sign and return the form below.

I consent to receive future letters via email concerning _____.
(student's name)

My preferred contact email address is: _____

Signature of Parent / Guardian: _____ Date: _____