



Dear parents and carers of year 1 and 2 children,

Invitation to the Great Read Aloud Event

Woodpecker Hall
Tuesday 4th June 2019
3-4pmin the main hall.

Every child will receive a free book.

We are inviting all our Year 1 and year 2 parents/carers and children to a special event to celebrate Read Aloud, the new campaign we launched to encourage reading between parents, carers and children.

Read Aloud. 15 minutes. Every child. Every parent. Every day.

Research consistently shows the benefits and value of reading with your children every day from a little as 15 minutes.

There will be a special story telling time where your child can join in. The theme will be around cooking.

In the hall to mark the **Great Real Aloud event** there will also be lots of activities for the children to be involved such as book mark making, recipe book making, reading a recipe to make food and book swap, there will also be a range of early year magazines to read and a selection of school library books to interest your child.

You can find out much more about Read Aloud. How to get started? What books to choose? How to make reading fun? There will be some fantastic tips and advice about reading generally, including a **helpful advice pack for you to take away**. We will have information about local libraries and the services they offer.

Book swap

Bring a book that you have finished reading and take away one you would love to read. Everyone who swaps a book gets a free bookmark!

We look forward to seeing you there on **Tuesday 4th June 2019 Time: 3-4pm**

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