

Reading at Light Years – Parent Meetings

Dear Parents/ Carers,

As you know, instilling a love of reading is a huge priority for us at Light Years. To do this, we teach reading initially using the highly regarded ‘Read Write Inc’ approach to equip the children with the fundamental strategies to decode words and access new texts. We then move the children on to learning other reading strategies like using etymology and sight words alongside teaching reading comprehension skills.

To introduce you to our reading provision, we will be hosting a virtual reading information session on Wednesday 7th February at 5.00pm titled ‘The Importance of Reading – the Light Years Approach’. This will give us an opportunity to share some insight into what the children are learning about and how we support them in their learning journey at Light Years.

Due to the short notice nature of this meeting, the meeting will be recorded and sent out to those that are unable to attend live.

Over the next few weeks, the children will be bringing home a range of books aimed at encouraging them to read for pleasure and read books that are comfortable and matched specifically to their reading level. The importance of reading meeting will explain our offering in more detail.

Date:	Meeting Focus:	Form of Meeting:
Wednesday 7 th February 4.00pm-4.30pm.	The Importance of Reading – The Light Years Approach	Virtual Meeting

Please contact the school office if you have any questions, we will send out a Teams Link in the days before the meeting.

Thank you in advance for your support,

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