

Middlefield Primary Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers

Read Anywhere Readathon 2021

Thursday 7th October is National Poetry Day. To recognise how amazing reading can be, we are holding the Read Anywhere Readathon to help celebrate National Poetry Day and raise money to rejuvenate and relaunch the Top 100 Reads Scheme across the school.

The Top 100 Reads books are 3 sets of specially selected books which, when the system is up and running again, children are able to borrow for either reading themselves or sharing with family at home. Many of the books would work well as a bedtime story. Unfortunately, the collections were severely depleted during the pandemic and so we are raising funds to replenish the stocks so we can share these amazing titles with you and your children.

To raise money, the children will have 5 opportunities during the day to read/ share a book in different places around the school site for 10 minutes each time. Some of this will be books of their own choice and some will be poetry. The children can be sponsored per station they complete or a single total amount. The sponsor form attached outlines this.

We hope that you, your friends, and family will be able to help support this event. Any sponsorship is greatly appreciated; we do understand the financial strain on some families at the moment.

Please return your sponsor form with any sponsors written on it by Thursday 7th October so we have them available to stamp on the day to recognise all reads on the day.

Forms will then be returned to you after the event to collect in any sponsor money earned.

Any questions don't hesitate to contact me through the school office email.

Many thanks for your support

Best wishes

Mr D Smith

English Lead/ Assistant Headteacher

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