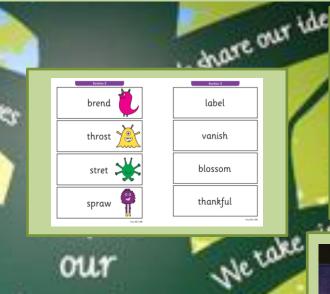


Why do we need to read?



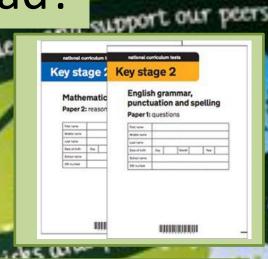






our learning at Senacre







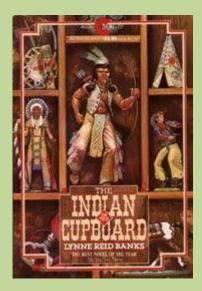
'There can be few things as powerful as regularly reading to a young child. It has astonishing benefits for children: comfort and reassurance, confidence and security, relaxation, happiness and fun. Giving a child time and full attention when reading them a story tells them they matter. It builds self-esteem, vocabulary, feeds imagination and even improves their sleeping patterns.' National Literacy Trust



Which stories stuck with you?

We think for

 As a child, which stories, that you read or were read/told, do you still remember? Why?



Excited
Laughter
Imagination
Wonder

audible





To deepen our

learning at Senacre Wood...



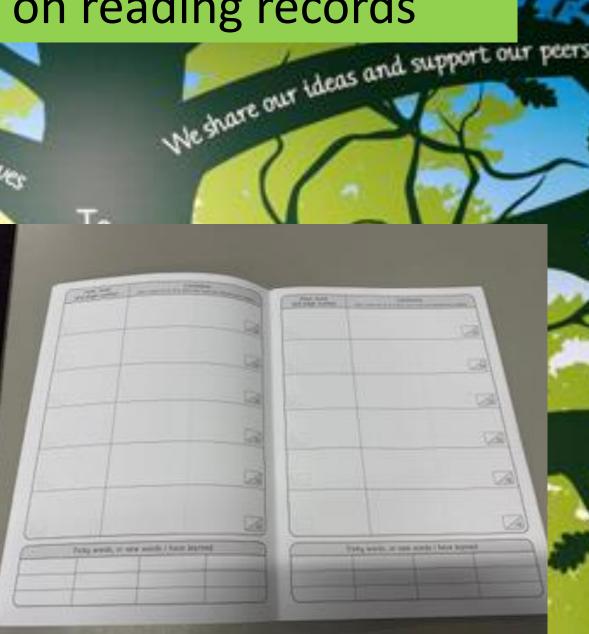




A few words on reading records







Read for pleasure

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The books that you read to your child will look different to the ones that they can read themselves. This is a good thing!

The books that you read with them will fill their imaginations, improve their vocabulary and most importantly, bring them joy.

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Supporting Readers at Home







Open University research suggests there are three important ways to support readers and a love of reading.



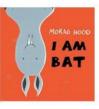
Reading aloud to your children shows them reading is a pleasure, not a chore. Older children can read to younger ones too.

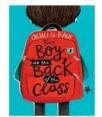






Making time to read alongside one another helps develop children's reading stamina and interest. Let them choose what to read and relax together.





Children who read, and are supported as readers, develop strong reading skills and do better at school.

Book Chats encourage readers. Invite them to make connections and share their views. Join in with your thoughts too!





if...why... what...who...

Book Chat

I wonder

For more ideas see the OU website: www.ourfp.org

Top Ten Storytimes to Enjoy!



Do check out our favourite storytime read alouds for 3-7-year olds! **Let your children choose...**

Snuggle up together and enjoy...



Viviane Schwarz reading her book, *Is There a Dog* in This Book?



David Lucas reading his book, Grendel A Cautionary Tale About Chocolate



Tom McLaughlin reading his book, *The Story Machine*



Emily Gravett reading her story, Cyril and Pat



Dame Kirsten Scott Thomas reading <u>Astro</u> <u>Girl</u> by Ken Wilson-Max



Mini Grey reading her book, Traction Man Meets Turbo Dog



Romesh Ranganathan reading <u>Mrs Mole, I'm</u> <u>Home</u> by Jarvis



Benji Davies reading his story, Grandad's Island



A reading of <u>The Dragon</u> <u>Machine</u> by Helen Ward



Tom Hardy reading There's a Bear on My Chair by Ross Collins

Top Ten Storytimes to Enjoy!



Do check out our favourite read alouds for 7-11-year olds.

Let your children choose...



Mac Barnett reading each chapter of his book Mac Undercover



Fig's Giant written by Geraldine McCaughrean, read by Art Malik



Julian Clary reading his book <u>The Bolds to</u> the Rescue



Nicky Diss reading Abi Elphinstone's novel Rumblestar



<u>Dogger</u> read by the author and illustrator Shirley Hughes



Chapter 1 of <u>The</u> <u>Graveyard Book</u> read aloud by the author Neil Gaiman



Oliver Jeffers reading his picture book <u>This</u> Moose Belongs to Me



Kwame Alexander reading his poem <u>The Undefeated</u> illustrated by Kadir Nelson



Nicola Davies reading her picture book <u>The</u> <u>Promise</u> illustrated by Laura Carlin



Chris Priestley reading his short story <u>Teacher's Tales of</u> <u>Terror</u>







Read a book with a movie adaptation

Read an audiobook Read a book that someone gave you

Read a book published this year

Book that you can finish in one day

Read wearing sunglasses

Read in bed

Read in a fort

Read while eating

Read in pajamas

Read a book that makes you laugh

Read a book with more than 12 chapters

Read a book with a female heroine

Read a book set in a different country

Read a book by a favorite author

Read to a parent

Read outside

Read with a flashlight or headlamp

Read for 1 hour

Read under a tree

Read a book in a series

Read 30 minutes Read a book by an author vou've never read

Read a nonfiction book

Read an award winning book

Imagination Soup



23 Genius Ways to Make Reading Fun!

- 1. Use a Flashlight (classic!)
- 2. Try Finger Lights or a Head Lamp
- 3. Turn it into a Song
- 4. Illustrate the Pages
- 5. Read Closed-Captioning on TV
- 6. Find a Free Little Library
- 7. Start a Family Book Club
- 8. Turn it into a Musical
- 9. Take Turns Reading with a Friend
- 10. Read Past Your Bedtime
- 11. Read then Watch the Movie Version
- 12. Record a Video to Send to a Relative
- 13. Listen to an Audiobook
- 14. Record Your Own Audiobook
- 15. Make Treats Based on a Book

16. Read in a Different Accent

- 17. Type the Words on the Computer
- 18. Turn it into a Play Script
- 19. Make a Craft from a Book
- 20. Create a Reading Nook
- 21. Subscribe to Kids Magazines
- 22. Read Things That Aren't Books
- 23. Read to the Family Pet



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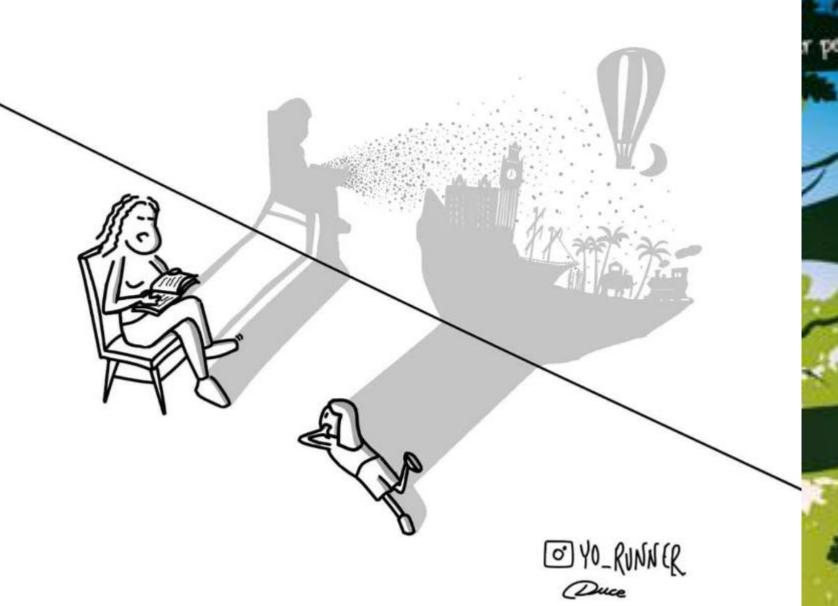
An invite to our reading restaurant!

In term 6 this year we would love to invite you back into school to enjoy our very own reading restaurant.



Useful websites

- www.booktrust.org.uk
- www.penguin.co.uk
- https://www.storyberries.com



Let's bring in the experts...the children

