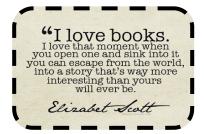




How Can I Help my Child with Reading?

Ways to Support your Child with Reading:

- **Listen** to your child **read aloud** at least twice a week (choose a quiet place).
- Give your child time to correct any mistakes he/ she makes.
- Help your child to sound out unknown words.
- Ask your child questions about the story. For example: Why do you think X did that? How must X be feeling and why? What od you think X will do...?
- Encourage, encourage tell your child what a brilliant reader he/she is!
- Read to your child. Use facial expressions and tone of voice to show them how much fun reading can be!
- Be a good role model (read books/magazines/ newspapers). Perhaps you could try reading some teenage fiction yourself – it is more engaging for adults than you may think!
- Read signs together when out walking or driving.



Some Ways to Read with your Child:

- Read the parts of different characters in a play script (this could easily be a whole family activity).
- Whilst reading a story, take it in turns to be the characters/narrator or read one paragraph each.
- Pick a story from a newspaper/magazine to read out loud to each other.
- Take it in turns to read an information text aloud. Examples of information texts: recipes, instruction manuals, and directions.
- Read a new poem a day—these can be short and a fun way to read a wide variety of authors.

The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go.

-- Dr. Seus

Some Popular Reads:

The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins

Terror Kid by Benjamin Zephaniah

The Mortal Instruments by Cassandra Clare

- Running on the Roof of the World by Jess
 Butterworth
- Uglies by Scott Westerfield
- The Fault in Our Stars by John Green
- The Breadwinner by Deborah Ennis

Noughts and Crosses by Malorie Blackman

The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole Aged 13 3/4 by Sue Townsend

Northern Lights by Philip Pullman

The Weight of Water by Sarah Crossan

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