



Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2020

**Read, Write Inc. Phonics**

Dear Parents,

Please find below some really useful information about phonics during our school closure.

*We want children in our schools to continue learning to read and have familiar routines during this difficult time for families. Some of you may already have received the information below via our schools bulletin from Ruth, and may even have seen the lessons live this morning!*

**Daily virtual lessons for children**

From **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** we're scheduling Read Write Inc. Phonics lessons on Facebook and YouTube for children to watch at home.

- We will release three short Speed Sound lessons with one of our trainers every day for the next two weeks. The films will be available at the times below:
- Set 1 Speed Sounds at 9.30 am and again at 12.30 pm
- Set 2 Speed Sounds at 10.00 am and again at 1.00 pm

Set 3 Speed Sounds at 10.30 am and again at 1.30 pm

**Please note:** the films are streamed live and will be available for 24 hours until the next film is released.. We're also releasing a film of a poem for Reception and Year 1 children to join in with at 2.00 pm every day. The poems will be available on YouTube to watch again and again. A great opportunity for children to learn these by heart!

**Films for parents**

Films for parents to help their child learn to read at home with Read Write Inc. Phonics are available on our website and YouTube channel. The YouTube channel will have a quick face-lift to help parents find the films easily. We're adding a parent film to Facebook every day too.

I hope you will find the information contained above useful.

Many thanks,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G. Oates", with a horizontal line underneath.

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