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Dear Parents/Carers

### **READING CAFÉ - Advance Notice!**

After their success in pre COVID times, the Reading Café is opening again. All education research shows that children who read regularly out of school achieve better in school. As a parent I understand how difficult it can be to read with your child and that sometimes they just won't do it! So we are here to help!! We are hoping to hold these events on the back playground but if it is too cold/wet they will be held inside.

The café will be open from 2.30pm to 3.00pm (dates for year groups below). You are invited to come and eat cake and read with your child, we have purchased some amazing new books that you will be able to choose from. For children who do not have a parent/adult able to attend, they will read for pleasure with their teacher in their classroom.

These reads will count towards their 3 times weekly read. Younger children are welcome but not siblings who are in school: they must attend with their year group. If you wish your child to attend with someone other than their parent/carer, we must be informed in advance in writing by filling in the form that will be sent home the week before each year groups session. Children will not be allowed to leave school before the end of the afternoon but can go home straight from the hall at 3.00pm.

Reception	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> April
Year One	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> April
Year Two	Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> April

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs E Lane  
Executive Headteacher