

## **Istead Rise Primary School**



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Year R, Year 1 and 2 Snuggle & Read

Dear Parents/Carers,

Children love the feeling of closeness when a parent, grandparent or other carer reads to them. When children find out that reading with a caring adult can be a positive and happy experience, they begin to build a love of reading that will last a lifetime. To continue building and embracing a love of reading at school, we would like to invite you to attend a 'Snuggle and Read' afternoon on **Tuesday 7**th **May 2024 from 2:00pm until 3:00pm.** 

The children will have the option of coming to school dressed in their PJ's, dressing gowns or onesies, and if you wish, you may bring along a duvet, bean bag or cushion. Please do not feel obliged that you need to supply your child with any of these items for this event, your child will benefit just as much by snuggling up to you and reading on a chair. Should you not be able to make the session, please feel free to offer this to a family member. Members of staff will be available to read with your child if you or a family member are unable to attend.

This event will take place on the school's top field (weather permitting) and is available for 1 adult per child. If the weather does not look favourable, this event will take place in the following rooms:

- Year R Acorn's classroom
- Year 1 KS1 Hall
- Year 2 KS1 Library and Forest School Room

Unfortunately, due to the nature of the activity, we are unable to accommodate siblings or other young children for this session. Upon arrival, please make your way up the driveway and enter the **side door** of the **Key Stage 1 building**, opposite Kiddiecare, where a member of staff will be available to register and greet you.

Please complete the google form <a href="here">here</a> by Friday 26th April 2024 to confirm whether you are able or unable to attend this event.

We hope that you agree that this is a wonderful opportunity in promoting reading at school and we look forward to seeing you.

Yours sincerely,

Miss K Underdown Assistant Headteacher

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