



Holy Trinity Church of England Primary School

To be the best we can be: for God, for others and for ourselves

9th March 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

- ❖ We all know that reading opens the door to all learning.
- ❖ A child who reads a lot will become a good reader.
- ❖ A good reader will be able to read challenging material.
- ❖ A child who reads challenging material is a child who will learn.
- ❖ The more a child learns the more a child wants to find out.
- ❖ It is vital that your child finds learning to read and write a rewarding and successful experience.



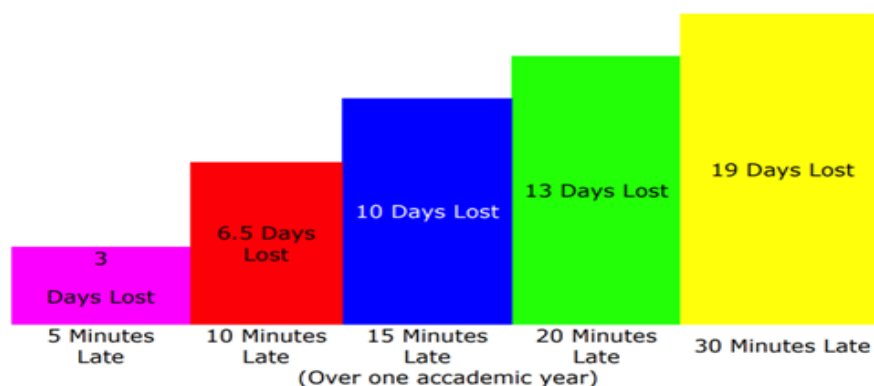
We are delighted to tell you that we have recently invested in a new scheme to help our children develop their literacy skills.

Read Write Inc., developed by Ruth Miskin, provides a structured and systematic approach to teaching literacy. It is used by more than a quarter of the UK's primary schools and is designed to create fluent readers, confident speakers and willing writers. Each Read Write Inc. programme meets the higher expectations of the new curriculum and uses effective assessment to accelerate every child's progress. You can read more about it on our school website here: <https://www.holytrinityprimary.co.uk/phonics/>

At the moment, our Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 classes are having Read Write Inc lessons every morning after the register. This will shortly being rolled out to our junior classes. It is absolutely crucial that your child is in school promptly to ensure that they take part in this lesson every day.

Every Minute Counts

If you arrive late to school everyday your learning begins to suffer. Below is a graph showing how being late to school everyday over a school year adds up to lost learning time.



Having good attendance also means being on time and not being late to school. Children who arrive late can feel embarrassed, left out and miss out on important introductions to lessons. Punctuality is an essential life skill that needs to be taught from the very beginning.

We are very excited about Read Write Inc and we will be sharing more information about this with you soon. Please do all you can to ensure that your child is on time for school every day so that they can enjoy these lessons.

Thank you for your continued support,

Kind Regards,

Mrs L. Thompson
Headteacher