



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers

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St Joseph's Reading Bingo Challenge

At St Joseph's we are passionate about nurturing and developing your child's ability to read. A love of reading can lead to a love of lifelong learning and academic success. I am therefore delighted to introduce the School's new Reading Bingo Challenge.

Each child will be given a bingo sheet detailing the different categories of books they need to read before the end of the school year in July - this will ensure your child reads the breadth of books laid down by the Primary National Curriculum. For every completed sheet your child's name will be entered into a prize draw where they have the chance to win a fabulous family ticket (2 adults 2 children) to the award-winning Jorvik Museum in York or National Book Tokens. Every child who completes a bingo sheet will be awarded a special St Joseph's reading badge that they can wear with pride on their uniform.

Here are some guidelines for Reading Bingo

- 1) Books can be a school reading book, library book or a book from home.
- 2) Children need to read a different book for each category.
- 3) Books can be read on Kindles or in iBooks (or similar app).
- 4) Audible books don't count.
- 5) Any books read (completely) before Monday 26th February cannot be included on the bingo sheet.
- 6) Write the book's title in the correct box.
- 7) A parent or carer needs to sign and date the box when the book has been read.
- 8) Hand completed sheets into the class teacher to be entered into the draw.
- 9) Multiple sheets can be completed to earn multiple entries to the prize draw.
- 10) The prize draw will be made during the whole school assembly on Friday 20th July.
- 11) All completed sheets to be received by 3.30pm on Thursday 19th July.

If you have any questions about the Reading Bingo Challenge then please speak with your class teacher.

Good luck!

Best wishes

Mrs Fisher
English Leader

To learn to read is to light a fire.

Victor Hugo

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