

Wednesday 20th March 2024

## **Adult and Child Workshop (Years 3-6)**

## Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2024 from 9.00am – 10.00am.

## **Supporting Your Child in Reading**

## **Dear Parents and Carers**

After Easter, your child will be coming home with a new colour banded 'Real Book' to read, with the hope and expectation that these new books will foster a love of reading and be a way for families to enjoy reading for pleasure at home. So why not come along and join us for a workshop to:

- · Look at what the research says about reading and its importance
- Understand the importance of fluency and how you can build this at home
- Have a clear understanding of reading strategies used at school
- · Give hints and tips of how to get your child reading at home

The workshop groups for this session will be split into Years 3 & 4 and Years 5 & 6 (both based at SJS). Pupils will come into school normally and then those parents and carers who are attending will need to sign in via the school office. At 09:20 am, after a welcome and introduction to strategies to support reading from school staff, your child will join you for twenty minutes, along with a reading book, so that you can both then try these strategies out together in a supportive environment. To conclude the session, Mrs Young will introduce to you all our new wellbeing curriculum called 'Trick Box'.

Places are limited according to the capacity of the workshop space. These will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

You can book your space by clicking on your child's year group below:

Year 3 & 4

Year 5 & 6

We are looking forward to seeing you at this event!

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