Reading

Our Reading Intent

We follow a 'Book Based' approach to learning throughout our curriculum.

We aim to:

- Ensure reading is cross curricular
- Promote and nurture a love of reading
- Promote reading for pleasure
- Develop comprehension and understanding.
- Develop and introduce new vocabulary
- Provide opportunities to read real and virtual texts
- Ensure displays are print rich and promote reading

Reading Opportunities at The Ferrars Academy

- Provide 1:1 reading sessions with an adult
- Book corners are stimulating and exciting
- We have regular themed weeks/days e.g. National Storytelling Week Pyjamarama, World Book Day
- Librarian visits in school and off-site library visits
- Nominated Reader Leaders for 'gifted and talented' pupils in year 2.
- Opportunities for parent involvement in theme days and workshops/information sessions
- Secret storytellers
- Pupil voice leads text choices for the curriculum and in book corners
- Bug Club and Cracking Comprehension
- West End Dance Company
- Indoor and outdoor reading areas
- Provide a wide range of fiction/non-fiction books in the library

Pupil Voice

"If you can read you can do anything!"

(Floresha - Reception)

"Reading helps our brains imagine"

(Umama, Year 1)

"If you can read you can help yourself learn"

(Sihath - Reception)