

Reading

Our Y6 children in 2025 left school confident and fluent readers. Our SATs scores were exceptional with 93% reaching the expected standard, compared to 75% nationally. 50% exceeded this standard when compared to 33% nationally.

Reading is such an important way to unlock the rest of the curriculum. We invested in a programme called Reading Plus which the Y6 class used over the last year .

The adaptive online reading programme helps students to develop the essential fluency skills for proficient and confident reading.

It's an exciting journey to enhance literacy skills and foster a love for reading among our students. Packed with various engaging texts, Reading Plus offers tailored challenges to cater to students' diverse reading abilities. The programme will be used in school and can also be accessed from home via various devices (laptop, computer, tablet).

We have invested in this for the current Y6 class and hope that you will help your child engage with this both at school and at home.

What is Reading Plus?

Reading Plus is a research-based online reading development programme that improves students' reading fluency, stamina, and comprehension.

Used in over 1,400 schools in the UK, Reading Plus is an exciting part of children's reading journey.

How does Reading Plus work?

After completing an initial assessment, Reading Plus places each student at their correct reading level on the programme. Students can then select texts of different genres and types (fiction, non-fiction, informational) suited to their reading ability. After reading a text, students are asked ten comprehension questions. Text selections and questions adapt to reading levels as the students progress through the programme. Weekly assignments are set with personalised instructions for students, including visual skills development for eye-tracking, reading tasks for comprehension and fluency, and vocabulary tasks.

Information for parents, carers, and students.

Access a range of helpful resources and videos that explain more about Reading Plus and its usage at home. They can be found through the links below, including:

- [An introduction to Reading Plus for parents and carers.](#)

- [An introduction to Reading Plus for students.](#)
- [Guidance to get the most from Reading Plus at home.](#)

For more information about the programme, please visit www.daisyeducationuk.com.

Contact Mr Yearsley for more information on how we use Reading Plus.