## St Edward's Catholic First School Reading Ambassador Application Form



Reading is a huge part of our curriculum and learning across all subjects at St Edward's Catholic First School. To help promote a love for reading, our school has 8 Reading Ambassadors across Years 3 and 4. We are looking to recruit 4 new Ambassadors from Year 2, ready for the following academic year. Our meetings will take place on Friday lunchtimes from 12:45-13:15 in Miss Albrighton's classroom (Owls' Class).

## **Reading Ambassador Job Description**

Reading Ambassadors work towards promoting reading and reading for enjoyment across the school. They must love to read, read books of different genres and authors and like sharing books and stories with others. We would love someone who has lots of good ideas about how to get everyone reading across the school – even the staff!

The job of a Reading Ambassador involves the following:

- Attending weekly meetings on Fridays during lunchtime.
- Sharing recommendations and book reviews with the school.
- Working together to write the Reading newsletters.
- Pre-reading new books in the class libraries across the year groups and writing reviews to go alongside the books.
- Reading and recording picture books for the younger year groups.
- Helping to organise Reading days, events and Read-athons.
- Lending a hand in the class Reading Café.
- Helping with the book swap trolleys in the courtyard.
- Taking trips to local libraries and book shops.

## How to apply

If you think you would like to apply to be a Reading Ambassador, please fill in the application form below and ask your parent/carer to sign to give permission. Please return the form to Miss Albrighton by **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2023.** 

I look forward to receiving your application!

Miss Albrighton

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| In school, what do you enjoy about reading?   |   |
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| How do you think you could encourage people at school to read more? (children and adults) |   |
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