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## Phonics Workshop for Parents/Carers

Dear Parent and Carers,

We would like to invite you into school on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2024 from 3.30-4.15pm so that we can share important information with you regarding phonics and early reading. As you know, phonics is such an important part of the curriculum, especially for younger children or those who are new to learning in English.

Children in Year 1 at Archbishop Wake CE Primary School, participate in daily phonics lessons. In these lessons they learn to recognise letters and sounds and how to apply this knowledge to read and write. During the workshop, we specifically want to show you what phonics is and how it is taught in our school.

Our hope is that by showing you what and how your child is learning, you are empowered to support them confidently with reading and spelling at home.

To enable as many parents as possible to attend, Mrs Lang and Miss Muncer have kindly offered to provide a creche in the Reception classrooms for our pupils and their siblings to attend. Therefore, you will not need to collect your Year One child until after the workshop (our teaching assistants will take them to the Reception classes) and you can let any siblings know to head down to Lionfish and Starfish also.

We look forward to seeing you.

Kind regards

Sarah Winter and Hazel Ford Year 1 Class Teachers



