

# St Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

## Fast Phonics & Reading Eggs

These programmes are an excellent online tool which develops all aspects of a child's reading and impacts massively on a child's reading progress.

Each child in Reception/KS1 has their own Reading Eggs account, login and password. The programme develops all aspects of reading skill including: phonics, fluency, language acquisition, comprehension and enjoyment.

Fast Phonics and Reading Eggs supports each child at their own level and once they achieve a certain number of 'eggs', more reading games and activities will be unlocked. The children will be accessing Reading Eggs in school and accessing Reading Eggs at home forms part of your child's weekly homework commitment. We are monitoring children's access to their account at home to ensure they are making the most of this amazing resource. If we feel a child would benefit from extra sessions in school, we will be arranging these in due course. It is our aim to have every child at St Cuthbert's reading fluently and with understanding and for their reading age to be at least in line with their chronological age.

Your child's unique login and password information has been stuck in their yellow reading record book.

**To access the reading eggs programme, please follow the steps below:**

- Go on the website with this link <https://readingeggs.co.uk/>
- Press 'Log in' and enter your child's log in and password shown above.
- Select 'Start here Reading Eggs'.
- Select 'My Lesson'.
- The first time you enter the programme, it will ask you about doing a placement test. Please click-'No reading skills. Start at lesson 1.'
- On the Map page, press on the stepping stone the bird is standing on to start the activity.

The activities will get progressively harder as the children move through the programme. When the children log on to the programme again, they will start the activity where they had finished on their previous session.

Let the children explore the 'Fast Phonics' section too. Children click on the illuminated stepping stone to begin.

The 'Reading Eggspress' programme is more for children in Yr2 upwards.

**To leave the programme, press 'Bye' then log out.**

If you have any questions about this programme or any other matter, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Many thanks,  
**Mrs Marley.**



