



# Onslow Infant School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of Reading Week, we will be running a Reading Competition. The 'Readathon' starts on, **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February** until **Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> March**.

It doesn't matter how many books your child reads over that time; it is the number of minutes spent reading so all children can take part! Each time your child reads, simply fill in the attached form. There will be a prize given to the child in each year group with the greatest number of minutes spent reading across this time.

The winners will be announced on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March in Assembly so please make sure forms are returned by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March to avoid any disappointment. Forms returned after this will not be entered into the competition.

As we can't let the children have all the fun, we will also run a Parent/Carer Readathon as well as a Staff Readathon! We would love as many Parents/Carers to take part as possible to show our children that reading is something that they can enjoy for life.

If you would like to take part, simply make a note of the number of minutes you spend reading on the Parent/Carer Readathon form. There will be a small prize for the Parent/Carer who spends the most time reading!

Additional forms are available on the school website or in the school office foyer.

*"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go."* – Dr. Seuss

Kind regards,

**Mrs Pardoe**  
**English Subject Leader**

