

Reading Newsletter



January 2025

WELCOME

We've had a wonderful start to 2025 here at Heath Primary, and it's been heartening to see reading continue to bring our school community together! January has been filled with inspiring stories, thoughtful discussions, and exciting activities. Thank you for supporting us in making reading a central part of our school life.

Mrs Brough and the Reading Ambassadors

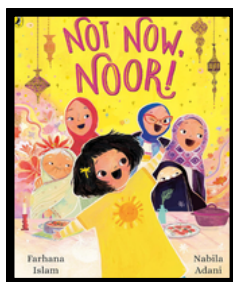


EXCITING NEWS

We are delighted to announce that Heath Primary is now part of the Literacy Partner Programme! This partnership reflects our ongoing commitment to raising the profile of reading and providing enriching opportunities for our pupils.



- **Martin Luther King Day:** Pupils shared their dreams in a special reading club session inspired by Dr. King's powerful message of equality.
- **World Braille Day:** Pupils learned about accessibility and listened to inspiring stories about overcoming challenges.
- **World Religion Day:** Wonderful books helped us explore and celebrate different beliefs and traditions.



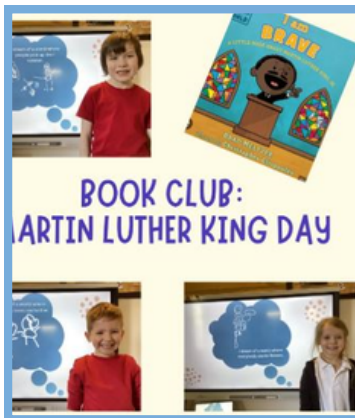
READING AMBASSADORS



Our Reading Ambassadors have been busier than ever! They've been hard at work planning exciting clubs and brainstorming creative ideas for our upcoming World Book Day celebrations. Keep an eye out in next month's edition for more updates and details about their wonderful work!

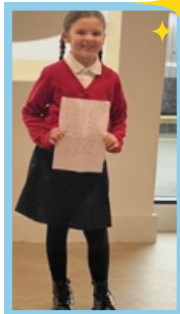
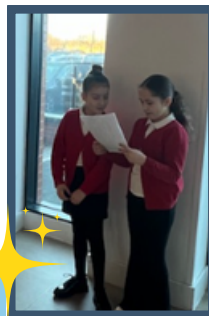
READING CLUBS

Our reading clubs have been an absolute highlight this month! From sharing dreams inspired by Martin Luther King to paired reading sessions with peers, these clubs have provided a fantastic space for pupils to share stories, discuss ideas, and strengthen their love of books.



POETRY IN ACTION

In preparation for the Poetry By Heart competition, we've been reading and learning poems together. A special moment was seeing Thea, Fleur, and Brooke share their poems with us during our Author of the Week assembly—their wonderful performances were truly inspiring for everyone!

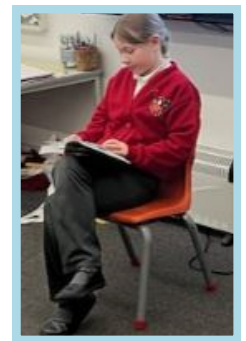


THANK YOU

Our reading corners and library have been buzzing with activity this month—it's been lovely to see so many pupils exploring books and finding cozy spaces to enjoy their favorite stories. A special thank you to our staff for continuing to nurture these spaces and making them so inviting.

STORYTIME STARS

We were thrilled to see pupils from across all phases stepping up to deliver storytime sessions this month! Their confidence and storytelling skills have been truly impressive, and they've brought so much joy to their peers.



RECOMMENDATIONS

This month, our Reading Ambassadors are taking on an exciting new role—they'll be recommending their favourite books in this edition! Head over to the library to check their chosen titles.

