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Dear Year 1 Parents

I would like to invite you to attend some Read Write Inc phonic workshops that will go right back to basics with regards to the current way that sounds are taught in our school.

The aim of these workshops is, mainly, to support you with ways that you can support your child(ren) at home with their skills in reading and writing.

Every Year 1 child will be part of the National Phonics Screening Assessment process in June and we feel that, by working in partnership with our parents, we can give the children as much support as possible, in terms of preparing them for the assessment.

The workshops will be very simple and straight forward and, whilst I have an agenda for the content of each session, they can also be led by you in terms of what you would like to know. So please do come with as many questions as you like.

Each sound will be shared individually, terminology will be explained carefully and there will be opportunities to practise everything that is covered within the session in a friendly and fun way. I will also incorporate bringing a group of children to the session at some point so that you can see the programme in action and the way that children respond.

I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible and we have made the timings of the workshops easier with regards to drop off in the morning. The first session will be on Wednesday 29th January 2025 at 9.00am. Please come straight to the school hall on arrival. Refreshments will be available.

Please complete the reply slip to indicate whether you will be attending the first workshop.

Yours sincerely,

Clare Dearle

Year 1 teacher

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Reply Slip

Your child's name _____

Class _____

Your name _____

*I will be attending the phonics workshop on Wednesday 29th January at 9am.

*I am unable to attend the phonics workshop

(*please delete as appropriate)

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