



Weekly Bulletin

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Key Training Dates

Reading Leader Meeting for all Wave 6
Graduated partner schools RLs and
Headteachers Tuesday 15th September 1.30-
3.30pm @ AGTT Training Centre.

Reading Leader Meeting for all Wave 7
partner schools RLs and Headteachers
Wednesday 16th September 1.30-3.30pm @
AGTT Training Centre.

Reading Leader Meeting for all Wave 8
partner schools RLs and Headteachers
Thursday 17th September 1.30-3.30pm @
AGTT Training Centre.



MAGICAL MOMENTS

This week has been another busy one at the Hub.

We held our first online termly briefing with you all and loved sharing all the up to date CPD opportunities as well as the latest DfE updates, reading recommendations and funding opportunities out there. We hope that you found the session a useful one.

Literacy Specialists are now completing their visits in schools, and it is so lovely to hear about the strong start that schools are making.

This week we celebrate the work of Smawthorne Henry Moore as they show such care for books in their beautiful book nooks – It is just joyful to see this 😊

Have a fabulous week everyone,

Sally Mayman (Hub Delivery Lead)
& Team JCEH

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Top Tips for a Strong Start to the Year

At this time of year, we are all focused on making the right start and maintaining the momentum so that all our children get through the reading gateway. Read on to see the top tips for a strong start to September:

- The Challenge Checklist that has been produced by the DfE, reminds us that there is a requirement to commence your phonic teaching no later than **week 2** of the Autumn Term
- The guidance also states that pupils falling behind should access keep up and 1:1 tuition no later than **week 3** of the Autumn Term
- A further new part of the DfE Challenge Checklist states that when writing, children should be taught sat at a table, with a pencil and paper, using the correct pencil grip and correct formation and orientation from the very start.
- The checklist also requires schools to keep a register of all training provided by to all staff, by who and on what date. So having that CPD map and using your practice time is even more essential.
- Finally, remember to make sure you plan your practice time weekly, that all staff attend and that this is then followed up with weekly coaching to support everyone to be the very best that they can be. Do not leave anything to chance.

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ASSESSMENT NEWS

Data Collection: Data Collection 1 Autumn 1: WC 12/10/26

Data deadline: 16/10/26

YR and Y1 assessed using the SSP Programme Assessment.

Google Form: to be released WC 05/10/26