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Dear Parents/Carers

Earlier this calendar year we ran some reading workshops for parents/carers to gain a greater understanding of how reading is being taught at Meadgate, and even more importantly, how parents/carers can support their child's reading development. Unfortunately these sessions were not well supported and a disappointing number of parents/carers attended. As a result we are running these sessions again in the anticipation that more parents/carers will be able to attend.

The autumn term reading workshops will take place on **Wednesday 4th October** from 3.10pm to 4pm in the school hall and then in classrooms. We will have support staff on hand to run an after school session for the children while parents/carers attend the workshops.

We will be focussing on a variety of topics that will include;

- Reading Schemes
- Support that must be provided at home
- Questioning to support your children's reading
- Knowledge of the tests that are taken by the children

Please note that you will be provided with the opportunity to look at past papers and see the expectations that are now expected of the children.

I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the reading workshops.

Many Thanks

Mr Joseph Figg

Executive Headteacher