

Case Study:

Blessed Mother Teresa's Catholic Primary School Stafford

“Read Write Inc. Phonics really does deliver results. It caters to all children and gives them exactly what they need to read effortlessly and fluently. The results speak for themselves.”

Reading success impacts whole curriculum

With Read Write Inc. Phonics (RWI) our children have the confidence to decode new words effortlessly. Early reading success allows them to succeed in all areas of the curriculum. Ofsted noted that children were learning to read quickly and from a young age and that their love of reading was being encouraged.



Invaluable training from consultant and via online films

The training we have is invaluable. Our Ruth Miskin Training (RMT) consultant supports us regularly on development days and with remote progress meetings. She wants the children to succeed as much as we do. As reading leader, I use the online subscription films for staff practice. This professional development helps ensure children make the best possible progress.

The RWI behaviour strategies are used across all subjects and help teachers achieve consistency across the school.

Support for lowest progress children

The half-termly data analysis helps us target the lowest 20% of children and track their progress. It helps us allocate reading teachers to groups based on expertise and analyse the need for daily one-to-one

School information

Hannah Roberts, Reading leader/EYFS teacher

Pupils on roll 137

Ofsted date March 2022

Ofsted rating Good

PSC results 2019 - 100%, 2022 - 92%, 2023 – 91%

Trust name Painsley Trust

First trained by RMT 2020

tutoring and support for individual children or small groups. Tutoring has a phenomenal impact on our PSC results.

Children and staff love RWI resources

Children and staff love RWI. All staff have access to the resources they need to teach their phonics session effectively and we use the online files from Oxford Owl as part of our storybook sessions. Children know the routine of the sessions and enjoy reading the storybooks linked to the sounds they know.

Engaged parents support children at home

We have lots of positive comments about the programme from parents and carers. It's particularly helpful that we can send the virtual classroom films home so they can join in and support their children. It's really rewarding for them to see the progress children make.

