



Northern Parade Schools

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Northern Parade Infant School are hosting their own pyjama party to celebrate **BookTrust's Pyjamarama** and raise money to help every child get a bedtime story.

Children attending **Northern Parade Infant School** can expect to enjoy story time, PE in PJs, rhyme time and lots of other reading activities on **Friday 14th May**, to get them excited about the magic of books and stories, and to encourage families to have fun reading together.

We're asking children to dress in their Pyjamas at school on **14 May** and **donate £1** to **BookTrust** so that we can help all children have access to books and stories because reading really does change lives.

"Sharing stories both at school and at home is a fantastic way to help children build social skills and resilience and supports communication skills, language development, confidence and mental health, which is even more important given the difficulties of the last year".

Funds raised from BookTrust's Pyjamarama campaign could go towards:

- £25 could provide 15 pre-school children living in women's refuge centres with their own book pack
- £50 could provide 6 families from deprived communities with additional support through their children's centre to develop a reading habit
- £100 could help us work with a struggling schools to support teenagers re-engage with reading
- £1,000 could enable us to support 740 children with a disability that impacts motor skills, providing them with specially created touch and feel books, finger puppets and guidance for parents



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We hope that you will encourage your child to join in with this exciting event and help to support an amazing cause. We cannot wait to create the magic of story time in our pyjamas. If you have any questions please ask your child's class teacher

Thank you for your continued support and encouragement with your child's reading.

Yours Sincerely,
Mrs K Taylor-Horsley
English Manager

