



Picknalls First School

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Dear Parents,

This year we are excited to be introducing a new systematic synthetic phonics program called **Little Wandle Letters and Sounds**. Although this is a whole school initiative, it is primarily aimed at children in **Reception, Year 1 and Year 2**. For the first few weeks we will be embedding the teaching of reading in school therefore your child will not initially bring home a reading book.

Year 1 and Year 2 staff will be holding a parent workshop on **Thursday 15th September at 3:30pm**, and **Reception Staff** on **Tuesday 20th September at 2:30pm**, to explain the program and how you can further support your child at home and to learn a bit more about how we teach reading in school. Carers and grandparents are most welcome to attend.

We look forward to showing you the resources and answering any questions you may have at the meeting.

Kind regards,

Mrs A Tapp – Headteacher

Mrs De Soyza - Key Stage 1 and English Leader

