



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Jarrow

Out of this World Reading Information

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What is 'Out of this World' Reading?

Out of this World (OOTW) Reading is a system that goes through our whole school, from Reception to Year 6. It is a reward system to promote reading both at home and in school.



How does 'Out of this World' Reading work?



In each classroom, we have an OOTW display, with ten planets representing 10 'reads'. Each time the children are recorded as reading at home (both with an adult or independently) or in school with an adult, they get a point. Once they get 10 points they 'move up the planets'. This is indicated by a sticker in their home school reading book. Reaching 20 'reads' means a move up another planet, another sticker and so on!

Congratulations

You have **10** reads!
You are on the first planet!

What rewards do pupils get for 'Out of this World' Reading?



When pupils achieve 50 reads, they receive a '50 reads' bookmark. Once they reach 100 reads, they receive a 100 reads certificate and can choose a book from our Dream Big Read vending machine. Alternatively, younger children can choose a 'mystery book' off the 'mystery table'! Once they achieve 100 reads, the move along the planets starts again, but this time with 110! Over the years, we have had many children achieve over 200 reads!



What can you do to help?

Reading with your child, or asking them to read independently, not only increases their skills and aptitude in reading, but also helps them achieve 'Out of this World' reading!