

# The importance of reading...

Ofsted strategy 2022-27 'A good early education, particularly in reading, sets the foundation for later success.'



## It is universally recognised that...

Children who read for enjoyment, develop a rich vocabulary, have increased general knowledge and understanding of other cultures.

Being a competent reader also supports children in accessing learning across the whole curriculum.





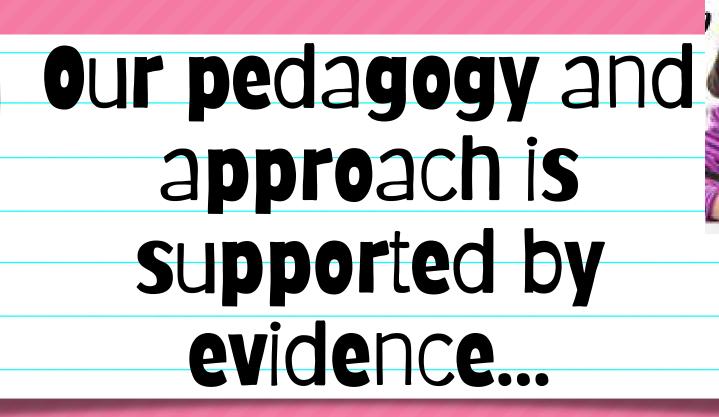
#### Reading for pleasure can promote better health and

wellbeing, aids in building social connections and

relationships with others and is associated with a range

of factors that help increase the chances of social

mobility.



## Shared reading

Storytelling

Explicitly extending children's vocabulary



#### Education evidence

Early Years Toolkit

A summary of the best available evidence on key areas for learning and development.

PREPARING FOR LITERACY Improving communication, language and literacy in the early years

Guidance Report

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## Communication and Language

## Parental Engagement



## Early Numeracy Approaches





## Early Literacy

## What do we do in Nursery?

#### Three Books a Day



## Singing



## Storytelling



### **Shared Reading**



## High Quality Interactions



### Gross and Fine Motor Development



#### Bags of Rhythm

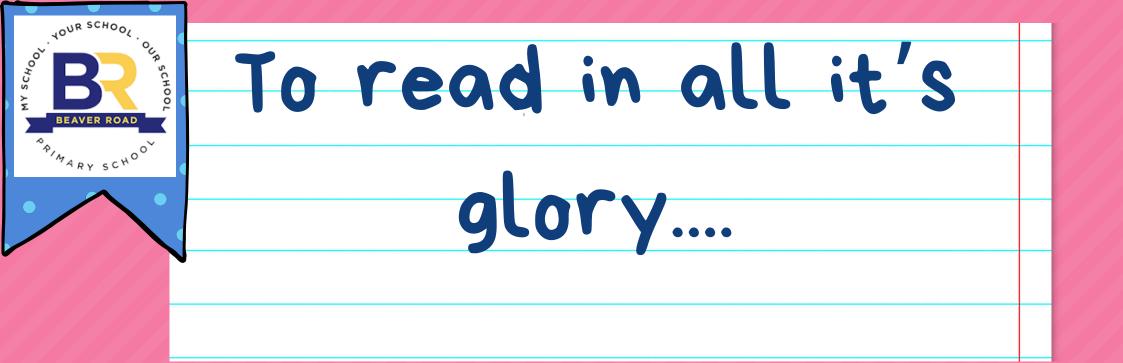


## Early Intervention



## Sustain Shared Thinking

Two or more individuals 'work together' in an intellectual way to solve a problem, clarify a concept, evaluate an activity, extend a narrative Early Phonelogical Awareness





"THERE ARE MANY PICTURE BOOKS WHICH YOUNG CHILDREN APPEAR TO 'INHABIT'. THEY 'BECOME' THE BOOK. THIS IS SO CRUCIAL IN THE PROCESS OF HOW CHILDREN LEARN WHAT IT MEANS TO 'READ' - IN THE FULLEST SENSE OF THE WORD"

#### MICHAEL ROSEN