

## Reading Matters at School: An Introduction to Reading Leaders

This is a general, literacy awareness workshop which provides the participants with an insight into becoming a Reading Leader. It will encourage participants to develop empathy with others who struggle with reading.

### Overview

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- A fun and informal workshop-style course
- 2 hours duration
- Develops literacy awareness in preparation for full Reading Leader Training
- For up to 20 participants
- Workshop notes provided by Reading Matters
- Suitable for Year 8 pupils upwards
- Supports school cohesion

### Content

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Following the workshop, participants will:

- Understand the responsibility of becoming a Reading Leader
- Have gained an insight into working together and how reading skills are developed
- Understand the impact a good Reading Leader can have on their reading partner's reading development and confidence
- Be able to provide a positive one-to-one role model for younger pupils

### Cost

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£495 per course - as little as £25 per head if the full number of participants takes part.

### Next steps

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Further training on the Reading Leader NOCN Accredited Level 2 course will enable participants to become Reading Leaders and work with younger students in their school.

Please note that this Introduction to Reading Leaders Workshop does not equip the group to work 1-to-1 with pupil partners.