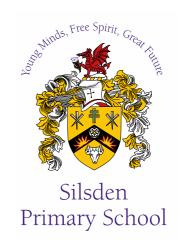


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7th January 2025

Reception WRITING Parent Event

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are pleased to invite you all to our Writing Parent Event on **Tuesday 21**st **January 2025** at **6pm.** This event is a parent only information meeting where you will learn all about how we become writers here in Reception, at Silsden Primary School.

Back at the start of the school year we hosted a meeting about the Early Years curriculum and the importance we placed on **parent partnerships**. We also offered a Reading and Phonics meeting for you, to support your child at home. This next meeting will be the next stage on your child's journey. Your involvement at this Writing Meeting is sure to make a real positive impact on your child's early writing development.

The aim of the above events is to provide you with the following;

- Knowledge of what early writing is
- Differentiate between mark making and writing
- Watch how we teach writing in Reception
- Understand how you can support early writing at home

In addition to the above parent event, we will also be hosting some more of our 'stay and play' sessions after half term, during the week commencing 27th January 2025. These events will be planned in a similar pattern to the previous reading ones, where there is a choice of two opportunities for you to attend and the event is focused purely around writing.

Nightingale Class -Tuesday 28th January 9am session, or 2:30pm session. **Seacole** Class - Wednesday 29th January 9am session, or 2:30pm session. **Jenner** Class - Thursday 30th January 9am session or 2:30pm session.

You will need to 'sign up' to our evening event on Arbor, and you also need to sign up to our stay and play sessions, like you did for the reading event. Please sign up as soon as you can, so we can gauge how many are coming.

We hope you will take up these important opportunities to attend these events, as we are confident that you will find them helpful in empowering you to support your child's educational journey and fully support them at home with their writing.

Many thanks

The Reception Team.