# **Bilston CE Primary School**

## **Reading recovery policy for Parents and Carers**

If your child needs extra help to progress with reading or writing then they will be given the opportunity to participate in an Every Child a Reader programme.

At Bilston Church of England Primary School we offer Reading Recovery at Key Stage 1, Fischer Family Trust at Key Stage 1 and 2, and Better Reading Partnership at Key Stage 2.

#### **Reading Recovery**

Reading Recovery is an intervention program that supports the children who find reading and writing difficult.

The children who take part in Reading Recovery have individual daily lessons of 30 minutes for up to 20 weeks which are taught by a specialised Reading Recovery teacher.

The lessons include reading, making and reading words and writing sentences. During these personalised lessons children read 3 familiar books and a new book every day. They also compose, remember and write their own story sentences. Every day they take home a book to read and a sentence puzzle to share.

Children are encouraged to be independent in their learning and use a variety of strategies to read and write successfully.

By the end of the program children will have acquired a range of skills and strategies to enable them to read unfamiliar texts and write independently in the classroom.

#### **Fischer Family Trust**

This programme is delivered by a trained Teaching Assistant and supports children individually 3 times a week in their reading and writing.

### **Better Reading Partnership**

This programme is also delivered by a trained Teaching Assistant and supports Key Stage 2 children in their reading. They have three 15 minutes sessions each week.

These Interventions not only support the children's literacy development but allow them to develop confidence in their own abilities.

If you would like any more information or have any questions please contact Miss R. Jasper or Mrs K. Rogers who are the school's Reading Recovery Teachers.