

At Samuel Whitbread Academy, we prioritise reading to ensure every student can read confidently for pleasure and progress.

Welcome to our monthly newsletter. We hope this will help you support your child with their reading at home.

Why is reading important?

Reading underpins everything we do. A student who can read is a student who succeeds in life. Research shows that students who read for pleasure have 26% more vocabulary - and do better in all subjects, including 10% better in maths!

Every month we will share reading recommendations, news from our library and top tips for how you can support your child's reading at home.

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The best way to create a culture of reading in your home is to read as much as possible.

Prioritise a short amount of time each day to read with your child. Reading aloud together is still highly beneficial for teenagers - no matter their age!







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To hear Danielle Jawando introduce her novel, click <u>here</u> or

