

# Volunteer Role Description

## Listening to Reading



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SCHOOL

### Key skill

Our book-loving volunteers need to:

- enjoy listening to children read
- like working with children
- be patient, encouraging and friendly.

### Aims of the role

- increase children's enjoyment of reading
- help children discover a love of words, books or reading
- help children become confident readers
- help students apply strategies they know to decode words and build reading comprehension.

### Main duties

- listen to children read
- support students to change readers (as required)
- keep records of students listened to.

### Supervision and safety

- work in line-of-sight of a staff member
- make sure everyone is safe

### What we expect from you

- uphold our school values of Respect, Responsibility, Relationships and resilience
- treat everyone fairly and with respect
- be reliable
- show enthusiasm and enjoyment – have fun.

### Reporting and contact details

Volunteer reports to: Relevant Classroom Teacher.

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