

Reading for pleasure can change a child's life!

Organisations supporting reading in Gloucestershire schools:

GCC SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

EYFS TO KS5

- GLOSSI – bespoke school improvement offer, including Reading Evaluation Visits
- English Networks – termly meetings for English leads including Ofsted, DfE Reading Framework and EEF research updates, consultant presentations and case studies from Gloucestershire schools

Visit: businesssupportservices.org



CHELTENHAM FESTIVALS

KS1 TO KS5

- *Reading Teachers = Reading Pupils*: free national network of teachers' book groups & CPD
- RTRP Conference: keynotes and workshops from authors, academics and experts
- Cheltenham Literature Festival: bring your class along to hear from authors, poets and illustrators

Visit: cheltenhamfestivals.com/rtrp



READ WITH ME

EYFS TO KS3

- Volunteers to hear children read in schools, for 10-15 minutes, twice a week
- Vital one-to-one sessions to improve children's literacy skills and confidence
- Free *Not So Secret Book Clubs* with access to books and activities for primary school children and their siblings during school holidays

Visit: readwithme.org.uk



READ FOR GOOD

EYFS TO KS5

- Readathon® sponsored read - pupils reading to help provide books to children in hospital *and* for their schools
- Brilliant Box of Books - providing brand-new books for schools in need
- Loads of free-to-use tools, ideas and resources to support reading for pleasure in your school

Visit: readforgood.org



THE VAISEY TRUST

EYFS TO KS5

Awards outstanding initiatives by GCC Libraries:

- Funded awards for State School libraries and reading initiatives to be piloted in 2024
- Encourages projects that involve other local reading organisations
- Awards presented at Cheltenham Literature Festival

Visit: davidvaiseyprize.co.uk



GLOUCESTERSHIRE LIBRARIES

EYFS TO KS5

- Free membership - borrow up to 20 books!
- Discover events for all the family at your local library
- Take part in *The Library Challenge* every summer to keep kids reading

Visit: gloucestershire.gov.uk/libraries

