READING CULTURE & DEVELOPMENT (KS2/KS3)

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# BOOK TALK AND GRAPHIC NOVELS





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Discover how meaningful book talk and carefully selected graphic novels can transform reading engagement, deepen comprehension and introduce pupils to rich, sophisticated vocabulary. This inspiring session explores practical approaches that motivate readers of all abilities.

| DATE | TIME | VENUE | AUDIENCE |
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| 1 SESSION<br>27 Jan | 3.45pm-5pm | Remote Zoom Session | Reading / Senior Leaders, and KS2 Teachers |

## WHY ATTEND?

Graphic novels and purposeful discussion open new pathways into reading for many children, particularly those who are less confident or reluctant readers.
Explore how visual storytelling, high-quality texts and rich conversations can build confidence, develop vocabulary and foster a genuine culture of reading for pleasure.

### WHY IT MATTERS

Reading motivation is one of the strongest predictors of reading frequency and attainment. When pupils enjoy discussing books and see themselves reflected in engaging, high-quality texts, they are more likely to become confident, independent readers.

## YOU WILL EXPLORE:

- Selecting high-quality graphic novels
- Using book talk to deepen reading engagement
- Developing vocabulary through visual storytelling
- Supporting reluctant and less confident readers
- Embedding graphic novels within reading provision

## THE IMPACT

Engaged readers • Richer vocabulary • Increased reading motivation • Inclusive reading experiences

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