



## Hyndland Primary School

### 'Reading Ambassador' Application Form



For term 4, we hope to recruit **15** Reading Ambassadors. One child will be chosen from each P1-7 class. Our meetings will take place on Tuesday lunchtimes from 12:15-13:00 in Miss Liveston's classroom.

#### **Reading Ambassador – Job Description**

Reading Ambassadors are working towards promoting reading and reading for enjoyment across the school. We will do this by organising a range of book themed activities across the school, keeping our school and class libraries up-to-date with new authors and books, taking trips to local libraries and book shops, as well as hosting book quizzes and sharing recommendations at school assemblies. Last year, the Reading Ambassadors helped to organise and lead the Scholastic Book Fair, ran Book Club meetings, organised a whole-school read-a-thon, organised a lunchtime Reading Cafe and organised a whole-school Book Swap! We are hoping to take part in the First Minister's Reading Challenge, and the Reading Ambassadors would have a very important role in helping us to achieve this goal.

A Reading Ambassador is someone who loves to read, reads different genres and authors, enjoys sharing books and stories with others, as well as being creative. We would love to see someone who has lots of ideas of how to get everyone reading across the school – including teachers and staff!

#### **Reading Ambassadors – How to apply**

Please fill in the application form overleaf and gain permission from your parent/carer to become a Reading Ambassador.

**Once completed, please return the application form to Miss Liveston by lunchtime on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February.** Selected candidates will be asked to come along to a short interview and sharing session after the holidays with Miss Liveston and the current P7 Reading Ambassadors.

We look forward to reading your application!

Miss Liveston and the Reading Ambassadors

## Reading Ambassador – Application Form

Please complete the questions below to apply for a position as a Reading Ambassador.

<b>Name</b>	
<b>Class</b>	
<b>Why do you want to become a Reading Ambassador?</b>	
<b>Give an example of something that you are responsible for either at home or school?</b>	
<b>How could we as the Reading Ambassadors encourage the other people within our school to read more?</b>	
<b>What ideas do you have to share with us to improve our school's reading culture? How could we make reading more fun and enjoyable? (Activities etc.)</b>	
<b>Do you have any additional responsibilities in school such as a buddy, JRSO, Digital Leader, Rights Respecting Schools, Play Activator, Riverside representative or House Captain?</b>	

I give permission for my son/daughter to become a Reading Ambassador if selected.

I give permission for my son/daughter to be photographed for the school website and Twitter as part of the Reading Ambassadors.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_