

## Ryhope Infant School Academy

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Dear Parents / Carers,

Please join us for our first event of the year:

Dream Big Day! 'If you can dream it, you can do it!'



We would love for you to come along and get to know us a little better. Reception is an important year for the children and it is so important for staff to work in partnership with families. We know you will have lots of questions and some big dreams about your child's future. So please pop along and join us for a session all about how we can help the children to 'Dream Big' this year!

We will have lots of fun activities for you to get involved with alongside your child, and an opportunity for the adults to have a cuppa while we chat a little bit about how your children will learn to read and write.

## This is how the session will run:

- Welcome refreshments and a chat about how we teach reading and writing, including information about reading books and how you can help at home
- Join your child to play with some of the activities linked to practising early reading and writing skills
- Share your dream for your child's reception year by writing it on a feather and adding it to our class dreamcatcher
- Make a mini dreamcatcher with your child and help them to share their dream for this year. These will be added to our display to act as a reminder to your child throughout the year.

Please don't worry if you are unable to attend the session, we will send home packs of information to anyone who cannot be there, including your feather and some craft materials to decorate it with your child at home.

If you can join us, please indicate on the tear off slip below which session you would like to come to and return the slip to the school office (do not put it in your child's school bag) before Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2021:

	Tear off Slip	
Child's name:		
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> October 2021	1.45 pm - 2.45 pm	
	3.30 pm - 4.30 pm	

## Due to Covid restrictions we must limit this event to one adult per child and no siblings.

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