



Dear Parents/Carers,

Circus Reading Challenge!



As mentioned in our earlier newsletter we are planning to launch our next Eastlea reading challenge on **Friday 3rd October 2014**. The theme for this year is a "Circus Reading Challenge" and as always we have several things planned for the day.

1. Our Circus Reading launch day will be a **non-uniform day** for all pupils – we hope to see as many children as possible (and staff!) coming dressed in anything with a circus theme... and hope that this provides plenty of options! Colourful clothes, big feet, silly hair, crazy trousers... anything that is bright and cheerful!!

The 'fine' for coming in non-uniform is £1 per child. The money raised will go towards our 'reading fund' to help buy new books for our refurbished library. **Everyone who brings in their '£1' fine on the day will have their name entered into a prize draw for a chocolate reward!!**

2. We have an exciting visit from a circus skills performance act '**Circurama**' planned for the morning/lunchtime with the whole school treated to a display of circus skills plus workshops for most classes so the children can have a go themselves!

3. We are also **inviting all parents/carers to come into school during the afternoon (from 2pm)** to share a book with your child(ren) and get them started on the first rung of their bronze Circus reading ladder.

We very much hope you can support your child with this event and look forward to seeing you on the day – your child may well send you a separate invitation so that you don't forget!!

Yours sincerely

Miss Beeston and Mrs Lister

