



## Help your child to read



### Introduction

We all agree that reading is very BASIC to almost all other learning in our school system. Experience shows us that children with good literacy skills are likely to be competent and confident in other academic subjects as well. We also know that acquiring these skills is not easy for all children.

As parents of young toddlers, we are concerned about how our children learn to read. What with the variety of digital attractions constantly being bombarded at our children, developing an interest for reading has become a challenging task.

Here is a workshop that will help you address some of your worries.

### Content

#### In this 3 hour workshop we cover the following

- Your 2 year old recognizes a Cadbury or a Lays packet without having learnt to read. We will see how to use this skill to read many more words.
- Cultivating love for reading: Watching your children spend their spare time engrossed in a book is a treat to any parent. Learn how to achieve this.
- Reading is more fun when done together- Learn the art of paired reading.
- After an enjoyable trip the family returns home full of memories. Can it also be used as an opportunity to teach your child to read?
- Nothing better than a good book to gift your child on her/his birthday - Choosing the appropriate book is a skill. We have some tips on how to choose books for children.
- An introduction to Action Phonics



## Who should attend

Parents of pre-school, Std. 1 and Special Needs children.

## About the resource person

**Madhavi Kapur** has been the founder Principal of The Rewachand Bhojwani Academy and SPM English School in Pune. She has assisted and consulted several school projects all over India. She has facilitated the training of scores of teachers over the years, inspiring and motivating them to maximize their potential. She is a passionate teacher of English and History with 25 years of classroom experience, applying latest theories in pedagogy to real life classes in India.

She is currently the Managing Trustee of the Madhavi Kapur Foundation, which runs Aman Setu, a unique school in the suburbs of Pune. The Foundation also runs Keystone, a training centre, and Cornerstone, a remedial centre, among a host of other projects.

## Dates and Timings

Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> October 2011, 2 to 5 p.m.

## Venue

Central Park Hotel, Bund garden road, next to Inox

## Investment

Rs. 500/- for Aman Setu parents

Rs. 1000/- for non Aman Setu parents

- Cheques are to be in favour of Madhavi Kapur Foundation

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