



BBC 500 WORDS COMPETITION



"Write a story you would love to read"

Children can bring in their completed stories into school to be submitted online or alternatively, you can submit them yourselves online or by post. Just follow the links on the website above.

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There are exciting prizes to be won, including book bundles for winners and the chance for gold winners to secure 500 books for their school library.



EVENT RULES

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There will be two age categories: 5-7 and 8-11-year-olds. All children need to do is write a story they would love to read in 500 Words or less.

The closing date for entries is Friday 6th November at 9pm.

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Writing has great positives for children - according to the National Literacy Trust, one in three children say that writing helps them to relax while the Reading Agency points to research showing that children who engage in literacy are "three times likelier to have higher levels of wellbeing than children who are least engaged with reading and writing."