


Reading and Speaking Survey

Instructions: Put a ring around the answer you want to choose **or** write your answer on the line.

The teacher can write the  answers for you.

1. What subjects do you like best at school?



best _____

second best _____

third best _____

2. How much do you like reading at school?



3. Which reading activities do you like doing most at school?

Tick up to 3

- written work
- talking about books
- reading with the teacher
- reading aloud
- reading with a buddy or partner
- silent reading
- looking at or browsing through books
- listening to the teacher reading
- something else (write what it is) _____



4. What are 3 very important things a person needs to do to be a good reader?

Tick up to 3

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| <input type="checkbox"/> learn hard words | <input type="checkbox"/> choose the right book |
| <input type="checkbox"/> concentrate hard | <input type="checkbox"/> think about what I read |
| <input type="checkbox"/> listen to the teacher | <input type="checkbox"/> read a lot |
| <input type="checkbox"/> go back and try again | <input type="checkbox"/> sound out words |
| <input type="checkbox"/> enjoy reading books | <input type="checkbox"/> practise doing hard things |
| <input type="checkbox"/> something else (write what it is) _____ | |



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5. How good do you think you are at reading?



6. How good does your teacher think you are at reading?



don't know

7. How good does your Mum or Dad think you are at reading?



don't know

8. Does your teacher tell you what you are good at in reading?

heaps quite a lot sometimes never

9. Does your teacher tell you what you need to improve at in reading?

heaps quite a lot sometimes never

11. How often do you read to others at school?

heaps quite a lot sometimes never

12. How much do you like reading in your own time (not at school)?



13. What do you like reading in your own time?



most _____

second most _____

third most _____

story books (fiction)	
books about real things and people (non-fiction)	
poetry	comics
magazines	junk mail
newspapers	other

14. Do you have a favourite author?

Yes

No



If 'yes'— who is the author? _____

15. How do you feel about getting a book for a present?



16. How do you feel about looking at books in a bookshop?



17. How do you feel about going to a library?



18. How do you feel about the stories/books you read as part of your reading programme at school?



19. How do you feel when your teacher reads a story out loud?



20. How do you feel about how well you read?



21. How do you feel about reading in a group in the classroom?



22. How do you feel when you are asked to read out loud to the teacher?



23. How do you feel when you are asked to read out loud to the class?



24. What language do you mainly speak at home?



Teacher

At School

25. How much do you like talking to your **whole class**?



26. How much do you like talking to a **group** in your class?



27. How often do you get to talk to your **whole class**?

heaps

quite a lot

sometimes

never

28. How often do you get to talk to others in your class?

heaps

quite a lot

sometimes

never

Anywhere — not just school

29. In your spare time, which of these would you most like to do? **Tick 3**

read

talk on telephone with friends

do art

play video or computer games

watch TV

play with friends

make things

play games or sports

music (singing, playing, listening, or dancing)



something else (write what it is) _____