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Dear Parent/Guardian,

A teacher at your child's school would like to refer them to Jacari. This letter explains what Jacari is and what happens next.

### **What is Jacari?**

Jacari is a charity in Oxford. We work with children who are struggling at school because of English language difficulties.

- We match up each child with a student from Oxford University or Oxford Brookes University.
- The student volunteer visits the child at home for one hour a week for a lesson.
- The student is not paid.

### **What is a Jacari lesson like?**

A Jacari lesson could include:

- language games
- writing practice
- reading aloud
- homework

It lasts for one hour a week.

### **What happens next?**

- After you sign the form, your child's teacher will send their details to Jacari.
- Your child will go on our waiting list.
- When a volunteer is available, we will send you a letter telling you who they are.
- The volunteer will phone you to arrange a lesson with your child.

Sometimes it takes a long time to find a volunteer for a child. We help the children who are struggling the most with English before the children who can speak English well.

### **I have a question or a problem:**

Please contact the Jacari Coordinator. Email [oxford@jacari.org](mailto:oxford@jacari.org) or phone 01865 264 167.