Celebrate World Read Aloud Day at the Office

Reading aloud is a powerful and transformative act that isn’t just for kids! Not only is reading aloud a great way for people at any age to relax their brains, but it also builds community and connects people. Join LitWorld in celebrating literacy for all by reading aloud at work on February 1st, World Read Aloud Day!

**Event Ideas**

- **Read:**
  - Original poems or short stories written by staff
  - Favourite childhood stories
  - Interesting articles related to your field of work
- **Play:**
  - A story creation game! Co-workers sit in a circle and say a sentence one after another, to create a story together.

**Organize an office read aloud**
Read aloud on WRAD as part of a meeting, during a lunch break, or after office hours. Plan ahead and notify staff so everyone has the chance to choose their read aloud piece.

**Host or participate in a World Read Aloud Day event happening in your community**
Find a local school, community center, or retirement home in need of readers for World Read Aloud Day! Team up with your co-workers to volunteer time, resources, and whatever else you can to bring the power of the read aloud to as many people possible.

**Fundraise or donate to advocate ‘literacy for all’**
Organize a book drive with your co-workers. Raise money to contribute to home libraries for families at a local school. Reach out to your Corporate Social Responsibility Office and encourage them to support organizations like LitWorld that help ensure children all over the world have access to powerful literacy programs and activities.

For more ideas visit: [http://www.litworld.org/wrad/](http://www.litworld.org/wrad/)  