

# Reader selection procedure

## Meetings

- You will meet with
  - Your Parish Priest
  - A Vocations Adviser
  - The Deanery Readers' Adviser, who will be asked to provide a report to the selectors

## Course

- NEW Prospective Readers will be required to complete a one year course, either Foundations, or a Pioneer Ministry course before going forward for selection.

## Forms

- You will get an application form from the RSS and complete it, giving three references.

## Events

- You will attend a pre-selection information meeting followed by an all-day selection conference

## Decision

- The selectors' recommendation goes to the Warden of Readers for a final decision.

## Approval

- If you are recommended for training, the parish priest is contacted for formal approval from him/her and the congregation

This process is run by the Reader Selection Secretary (RSS), who should be contacted at the outset via [rss@stalbans.anglican.org](mailto:rss@stalbans.anglican.org)

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