

Your VIEW Club can help stop poverty from taking a toll on Ella's learning today.

We are encouraging all VIEW Clubs to support The Smith Family's Winter Appeal by donating any excess funds held by the club at this time of the year.

Right now, Ella is almost halfway through Year 2 - a critical point in the school year where she should be building the core skills in literacy and numeracy that will be the foundation for all future learning.

From Year 3 to Year 4, school shifts from learning to read to reading to learn. If Ella can't catch up by the end of this year, the learning gap between her and her classmates is likely to grow even faster.

Early intervention is crucial when it comes to helping children like Ella overcome the toll poverty takes on their learning.



Your VIEW Club's gift to the Winter Appeal will provide children like Ella access to vital reading support and after-school *Learning Clubs* from the start of Term 3.

Your VIEW Club's support can make a life-changing difference this school year:



After-school learning support

Your gift will provide children access to *Learning Clubs*, where a skilled volunteer can help them build core literacy and numeracy skills and children can complete their homework.



Personalised reading support

Your gift can help match a child with a *student2student* reading buddy a few years older to help them practice, build confidence and improve their reading.

VIEW Clubs can donate to The Smith Family's Winter Appeal by EFT or Cheque.

If paying by EFT, email your Club's EFT Form and email to view@thesmithfamily.com.au.

If paying by cheque, post VIEW Donation Form to GPO Box 5348 SYDNEY NSW 2001.