**Meeting Tactile Reading and Braille professionals**

Date: 19.01.2024 (on Teams)

**Those who attended the meeting:**

Ásta Björnsdóttir - Iceland

Melissa Auðardóttir - Iceland

Tine Hansen – Denmark

Marja Lounaskorpi – Finnland

Carina Söderberg - Sweden

Victoria Bergström - Sweden

**The subject of the meeting:**

Dual media readers (children that use both braille and the sight that they have).

Ásta told about the case of users we are working with in Iceland.

Carina talked about materials they use in Sweden when teaching children.

All participants of the meeting agreed that the lack of time for teacher assistants for preparation was a problem and that not enough time was expected in the time table for preparation and adaptation of content for the student.

We talked about Tactonom reader that can read swell images. Klaus Peter Hars is the founder of this. <https://www.tactonom.com/en/> The idea is to get Bo Larsen to introduce this to us better at the next meeting.

At the end, Victora and Carina presented *The Rydaholm method* on power point.

**Next meeting scheduled for 15.03.2024**