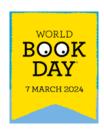


World Book Day Letter



Dear parents and caregivers,

World Book Day takes place on Thursday 7th March and we hope you'll join us to celebrate. We are celebrating World Book Day this year in our setting because we support the charity's mission to change lives through a love of books and reading.

Dressing up or bringing books into school can be a big part of World Book Day. This year we are aware that the cost-of-living crisis might make this difficult for some families, so we are doing things a bit differently!

Instead of coming in costume, we invite children to wear their cosy clothes, such as pyjamas, joggers etc. as we will be making the most of reading for pleasure in our cosy gear.

We'd love to include you in our celebrations. This year we will be holding a competition to see which class has the most amazing 'Reading Corner'. Each class has been given a small amount of money to enhance their reading corners, in time for World Book Day. We will be having a few key guests coming in to judge each reading area. However, you may be able to help out your child's class by:

- 1. Speaking to staff about any resources we may need, such as cushions, rugs, throws, baskets, etc. that you may have at home, no longer need and are happy to donate.
- 2. Join Year 2, Year 1 and Foundation stage classes at 2.45pm where you are welcome to come in and read to some of the children.
- 3. Send your child in with their favourite book, so that they can read and share them throughout the day.

Your child will receive a free £1 book token voucher — simply take your £1 book token to your nearest bookseller and swap it for a World Book Day £1 book OR use it to get £1 off any ANY book or audiobook costing £2.99 or more.

You can find your nearest bookseller at worldbookday.com/participating-retailers.

We're very much looking forward to celebrating World Book Day, which could not happen without the support of parents and carers — thank you.