



Tuesday 24th February 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

World Book Day – Thursday 5th March 2026

We are excited to announce that we will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5th March 2026! This is a fantastic opportunity to promote a love of reading and creativity among our children. To make the day extra special, our Reading Ambassadors have invited all children to **dress up in their pyjamas**. Each class will be reading to other children in different year groups so please can children also come to school with their favourite bedtime book?

To celebrate World Book Day, there is an exciting competition for children to enter. Children are invited to create a **sock puppet based on a character from a book**. This could be:

- A favourite story character
- A villain
- An animal from a story
- Even a character from a story your child has written themselves

Your child can use an old sock and decorate it using craft materials such as buttons, wool, felt or paper! Please ensure the sock puppets are labelled with the character's name, your child's name and their class.

Prizes will be given for the most creative, funniest character, best detail and Headteacher's choice! **Please hand in your entries to your child's class teacher from Monday 2nd March – Thursday 5th March.**

We look forward to celebrating World Book Day and can't wait to celebrate books and reading together!

Yours Faithfully,

Mrs Rebecca Nicholson

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