



World Book Day 2026



The theme of World Book Day is – Go All In!

This year we would like to encourage everyone to dress up in pyjamas on **Thursday 5th March** and bring a favourite story book (new or old) to school. This will be an opportunity for children to share their book with others within their class.

On the run up to World Book Day all classes are participating in a “read-athon” to promote reading for enjoyment. Classes are recording every time they achieve 15 minutes of everyone reading. We are celebrating the results weekly at Learn to Learn and on World Book Day we will announce how many minutes we have read as a school.

On Thursday 26th February the Scholastic Book Fair arrives. All classes will have an opportunity to browse the books with their teacher. We will open the book fair after school on **Monday 2nd and Wednesday 4th March from 3.00pm – 3.45pm** for parents/carers to visit with their children and purchase a book if you desire.

Everyone will receive a £1 voucher which can be used if purchasing a book. Alternatively, you can order the book online. More information will come with the links for this.

The Reading Council MAD group has also organised a whole school designing a bookmark competition to be done in school. They will decide on a winner prior to World Book Day. Everyone will enjoy viewing all the bookmarks which will be on display on the day too.

We also have lots of exciting literacy activities planned for the day including author visits, a reading carousel, paired reading sessions and drop everything and read time.

