

Lockdown Literacy Week 2021

Primary 4 to Primary 7

This year's Literacy Week is going to look quite different to Literacy Weeks in previous years. With World Book Day taking place on Thursday 4th March 2021, we thought it would be nice to still celebrate reading as a school, even though we are learning remotely. Here are some activities you may wish to try with your families at home as well as information about our Annual Literacy Week Competition.

We would love to see you taking part in these activities by Tweeting photographs to @WoodheadPrimary or emailing them to the school office at gw14woodheadpsoffice@glow.sch.uk.



FREE Audiobooks - <https://www.worldbookday.com/world-of-stories/>

There's nothing better than snuggling up to listen to an audiobook together and the World Book Day website has plenty of awesome audiobooks to get your teeth into courtesy of the wonderful publishers they work with. From **Elmer** for little ones, to ***The Bolds* by Julian Clary** and ***Rumble Star* by Abi Elphinstone**, there's something for everyone to enjoy. So, why not create an audiobook equivalent of film night, complete with popcorn, PJs and pillows?

Author & Illustrator Video Masterclasses with free creative challenges

Whether you are not keen on reading or you are an aspiring author or illustrator, you will love these video masterclasses. Shortlisted for The Education Resources Awards 2020, they feature a sensational line-up of authors and illustrators, including **Waterstones Children's Laureate Cressida Cowell, Eoin Colfer, Matt Haig, Jeff Kinney and Malorie Blackman**. Every film comes with FREE creative challenges to download after watching and with **24 to enjoy**, you will have plenty to choose from!

Click on the link to access:

<https://www.worldbookday.com/online-masterclasses/>



#DrawwithRob



A popular World Book Day illustrator, Rob Biddulph, is running brilliant **#DrawwithRob** sessions for something fun to do with your family. Rob will be running **#DrawwithRob** on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10am so keep an eye on his Twitter feed **@RobBiddulph** or catch the latest videos by clicking on this link: <http://www.robbiddulph.com/draw-with-rob>. You can even learn how to draw your very own **World Book Day bookmark**.

Cookbooking

Cooking is always fun, especially when you can eat the results!

What you'll need:

- Recipes
- Cooking utensils
- Paper and pencils



What to do:

Read your chosen recipe and go over it with a member of your family. Read the recipe to you as you work, and remember that each step must be done in a special order. You could also write down other recipes from the cookbook that you would like to help make. You could even write a recipe for someone else to follow!



'Share A Story Reading Stars' Game

The World Book Day website's popular 'Share A Story Reading Stars' game can be played all around the house and will keep you busy for hours as you share stories everywhere from the garden to the bathtub and collect all your stars. Download the game here:

<https://www.worldbookday.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/Reading-stars-leaflet-4.pdf>

Quiz o'clock!

Everybody loves a quiz so why not set up a mini quiz competition for a relative or a friend? You could write the quiz and then set it up over a video call (please only do this with adult supervision). Or for another booky challenge, play this online quiz and see who can score the most!

<https://www.worldbookday.com/resource/quiz-for-older-bookworms-primary-pull-out/>



Literacy Week Competition

Get creative & make your favourite book characters!

For this year's Literacy Week competition, we would like you to **transform a potato or wooden spoon into your favourite or a well-known book character**. From Harry Potter to Gangsta Granny, classic fairytales to more recent releases, we would like you to be as creative as possible! We'd love to see what you create – tweet us your pictures **@WoodheadPrimary** or email them to the office at gw14woodheadpsoffice@glow.sch.uk. Entries must be submitted by **Friday 5th March 2021** and will be judged by the House Captains. Winning entries will receive a book token. We can't wait to see your creations! Good luck!

