



World Book Day- Thursday 4th March 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

World Book Day is fast approaching and I am writing to let you know about some of the exciting events that we have planned to help celebrate this event. As I'm sure you are aware, this year's World Book Day celebrations will look a little different to previous years, but we are really keen to celebrate such an important event with those children learning at home and those who are currently attending school.



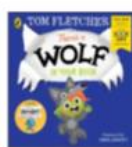
To celebrate World Book Day, each teacher will be recording a short video of their favourite book. These videos will be posted on Google Classroom on Thursday 4th March for children to watch and enjoy at their leisure. In addition to this, children at home and in school will be able to take part in a range of quizzes and activities throughout the week.

The World Book Day website has plenty of resources for children at home to access including:

- Audio books for children to listen to <https://www.worldbookday.com/world-of-stories/>
- Live events throughout World Book Week <https://www.worldbookday.com/events/>
- Author and illustrator academy <https://www.worldbookday.com/online-masterclasses/>

We are expecting the National Book tokens to arrive in school this week. For those children who are currently learning at home, there is an electronic version of this available which will be sent out via email by the end of this week. If your child is learning at home and you require a paper copy of the voucher, please call the office to arrange this.

Below is a selection of some of the £1 books available to purchase with your voucher this year. Alternatively, the voucher can be used to get £1 off any full price book or audiobook instead (as long as the book or audiobook costs at least £2.99).



In true Kingfisher style, staff and children would normally be dressing up as a book character. Of course, please do feel free to dress up for the live lessons if learning from home, or if your child is currently attending school, they are very welcome to come in as a book character on Thursday 4th March 2021. Please note we do not expect parents to go to the expense of buying new costumes.

Best wishes,
Claire Barker