



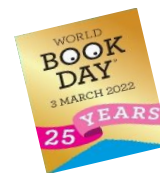
Farington Moss St Paul's Reading Newsletter.



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"Reading is dreaming with eyes wide open."

'Thrive in the Gift of Life' John 10: 10



The 'Word Guerrilla'

Last week we enjoyed a two-day visit from the inspirational, exciting 'Word Guerrilla'. He delivered workshops with all children across the school. Mr B's unique style of beatboxing and live - looping, empowered the children with language and words and taught us that poems do not always have to rhyme. Children from each class performed examples of the pieces they worked on at the end of the day on Friday.



Link to his website, if you would like to find out more.

[Word Guerrilla - Poetry, Performance, Workshops](#)

The Page Turners

The Page Tuners reading group for Year 5 will begin again after school on Tuesday 15th March. 3.20- 4.15pm.

There are many online reading resources that you can access

Story videos

<https://www.booksfortopics.com/storytime-online>

<https://www.puffinschools.co.uk/resource-categories/videos-storytime/>

[BBC iPlayer - CBeebies Bedtime Stories](#)

Read Story Extracts

<https://www.lovereadings4kids.co.uk/>

Audio Books

[Audible Stories: Free Audiobooks for Kids |](#)

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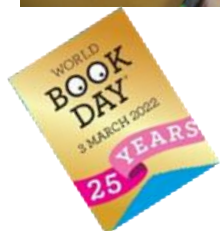
[Children's Poetry Archive - Listen to the world's best children's poetry read out loud.](#)

Why not visit your local library over half-term?

Find a library - [Lancashire County Council](#)

World Book Day Competition 'Dress a potato as a book character'

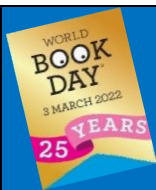
This year, as part of our World Book Day celebrations, we are inviting all children to enter the competition to 'dress a potato as a book character.' Have a look at the examples below.



Entries to be brought into school on the day (Thursday 3rd March).

There will be a winner chosen from each class who will receive a book token prize.

Thrive in the Gift of Life



World Book Day Celebrations 3rd March 2022

St Paul's Great Book Swap.

Dress up as your favourite book character.



This year, we would like to host a 'book swap'. All children are invited to donate a book to the swap; one that they have read and enjoyed and would like someone else to read. We would like these to be in school by the **28th February please**. On World Book day, all classes will visit the hall and children will be able to select a different book to take home and enjoy. Please ensure that donated books are of good quality.



This year, we are also encouraging the children to **come to school and celebrate the day dressed as their favourite book character**. Teachers will be dressing up too and we can't wait.



Your child will be bringing home their World Book Day £1 token which they can use to purchase one of the special World Book Day books or can be redeemed against the cost of another book.

Books can be purchased in many supermarkets as well as local bookshops. Please be quick, as stocks do sell out quickly.

This year marks 25 years of World Book Day, we are looking forward to a day of celebrations with the children in school.

Spotlight On.....Year 6



This term, Year 6 have created a Reading Graffiti wall. Children are encouraged to write their favourite quotes from the books they have read in class or from books they have read for pleasure.

Year 6 love sharing what they have enjoyed reading in their Class Reading Journal. Children take it turns to take the journal home and fill a page with recommendations, reviews, favourite characters and storylines.



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