



'An Academy to be Proud of'

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World Book Day

It is 'World Book Day' on Thursday 7th March. To celebrate, we are encouraging students (and staff!) to dress up as a character from a book they have read and have enjoyed. This can be as creative as they wish, taking inspiration from the many fictional characters they have encountered in the stories and tales they have had the pleasure of exploring. There is no expectation that a considerable amount of money is spent on materials or a costume; ideas can be simple. Pupils who do not wish to take part must attend school in full school uniform.

During the day, your child will follow a personalised timetable of workshops themed on the fantasy genre. These activities have been selected by your child to support them with the writing of a short story titled 'The Adventure to the Gemstone'. There will also be a range of book-themed house challenges for students to take part in for house points.

We ask that participating students bring a £1 donation to school on the day; this will be handed over to World Book Aid International. For every £2 they receive, they have committed to sending a book to a school in a third-world country to support the literacy needs of children in poverty.

Furthermore, all students will receive a £1 book token at the end of World Book Day. These tokens can be used as discount on a book purchase at a range of participating bookshops from 28th February to the 31st March. On the reverse of each token is a list of free books your child can also claim if they wish to exchange their token for a book instead.

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