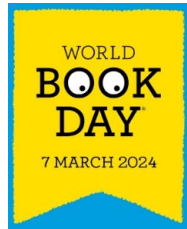


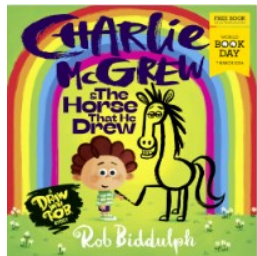
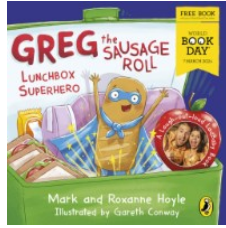
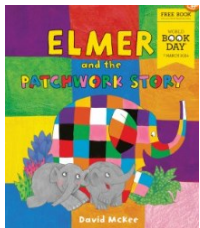
WB 4th March 2024

Another exciting week ahead!



Thursday is World Book Day and your child is invited to come to nursery dressed as their favourite book character.

Your child will receive a book token which gets them a free book from selected shops (you may see the stands in the supermarket or shops such as WH Smith).



### Reminder—Beat the Street



How is Beat the Street going? Don't forget to take a walk around Ipswich between the 14th February and 27th March. Tap your card on the Beat Boxes to win points. We are currently 11th on the West Ipswich Schools leader board—wouldn't it be fantastic to get in the top 5?

You can find more information here: <https://youtu.be/KJbOghMQ5ZM>



### Jewellery

Hooped earrings are not permitted to be worn at school as they are a safety risk. If a child's earring gets caught, this could cause serious injury to their ear. Please change to a stud-style earring. Thank you



### Monday 4th —Literacy

We will be reading our book of the week, 'Jack & the Beanstalk'. We will learn a new song called 'I'm a Little Bean'. You can find the words on the reverse of this newsletter.



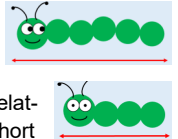
### Tuesday 5th—Maths

We will be learning about height and linking it to the story 'Jack & The Beanstalk'.

Children will be taught the vocabulary of height, tall and short and will be encouraged to use the words taller and shorter to compare the height of different objects.

### Wednesday 6th—Maths

In this lesson, children will explore the length of different objects. They will be introduced to the vocabulary related to length, including long, longer, short and short. Then they will be encouraged to compare the length of different objects.



### Thursday 7th—World Book Day

Come to nursery dressed as your favourite book character!



### Friday 8th—Maths

Consolidating our learning on long and short, and tall and short.

Being regularly read to at home, prior to beginning school, is the single most significant factor influencing a child's educational success

National Commission on Reading, Children's Access to Print Material and Educational Related Outcomes

Reading with your child can raise your child's IQ by more than SIX points. "The earlier the interactive reading takes place, the larger the benefits."

How to Make a Young Child Smarter, Perspectives on Psychological Science, 2013

Please ensure each child has a small drawstring bag of spare clothes that they can keep on their pegs in case of accidents.

They do not need to bring these home every day.

Children should also have a **bookbag** to take home their books and letters each day.

Please, no backpacks.



## I'm a Little Bean

(Sung to the tune of "I'm a Little Teapot")

I'm a little bean small and round.

(Curl up on the floor)

Bury me deep in the ground.

Sprinkle me with water,

(Act out watering a seed with a watering can)

Sunshine too.

(Hands out wide)

Watch me grow as tall as you!

(Stretch up to the sky)

