

Water Primary School

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Dear Families,

World Book Day – Thursday 5th March 2026

On Thursday 5th March 2026, it is World Book Day. The whole day will be dedicated to reading and book related activities. World Book Day's mission is to offer every child the opportunity to experience choosing and owning a book for free. As part of the event every child in school will receive a book token. World Book Day's work is based on the evidence of what encourages children to read for pleasure.

This year, **Water Primary School's theme is 'Bedtime Stories.'** Therefore, we are asking that **children come to school in their Pyjamas!** We would love children to bring into school their favourite bedtime story. Throughout the day, each class will be partaking in lots of activities to enhance their love for reading.

This year, we are holding another exciting competition. The task is to create a scene or a setting from a book in a box such as a shoebox or a cereal box. See below for some examples. Any pupil who wishes to take part in the competition will need to bring their 'Book in a Box' to school on World Book Day, when they will be judged and **a winner will be chosen from each class.**

We ask for a minimum of a **£2.00 per entry**, as we will be using any funds raised to buy new class guided reading books for our children. Please see ParentPay to donate.



Thank you for your continued support.

Miss Ashworth
English Lead
Hazel Class Teacher

