



# Minet Junior School

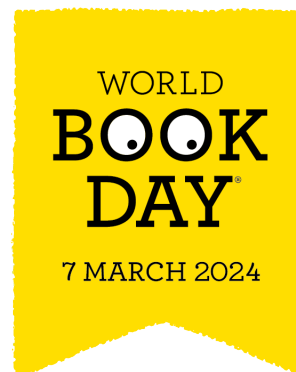
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Dear Parents and Carers,

World Book Day takes place on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March** and we hope you'll join us as we come together to celebrate our World Book Day in school.

We invite the children to continue the tradition of dressing up on World Book Day, but understand that this year many families may find themselves in a difficult financial situation. We don't want our celebrations to be an additional burden so we encourage the use of items you already have in your household. We would also like your child to **bring in their favourite book** or a book that means something to them for discussion in class at some point in the day.



## World Book Day related activities this term

- An assembly introducing World Book Day
- An assembly with a catwalk for the best dressed World Book Day characters – with prizes
- A visit from children's poet (Cliff McNish)
- Discussions in class around the children's favourite book
- Each year group will visit Botwell Library (Letter to follow)
- All children will watch a live performance of The Hobbit (£2)
- World Book Day activities
- Your child will also receive a free £1 book token which can be taken to your nearest book shop and swapped for a World Book Day book or can be used as £1 off any book costing £2.99 or more. You can find your nearest bookseller at [www.worldbookday.com/participating-retailers](http://www.worldbookday.com/participating-retailers)

Check out the World Book Day Family Hub for more things to do at home.

We're very much looking forward to celebrating World Book Day, which could not happen without the support of parents and carers - thank you.

Best wishes

Miss Cooper

Head of Reading

