

World Book Day 2023 at Stanton St Quintin Primary School and Nursery





An exciting series of celebrations to celebrate our love of reading

Tuesday 28th February CELEBRATING WORLD BOOK DAY

Book Hats

We would love everyone to create and wear a book hat to school this year. You can wear your book hat with a costume of your favourite book character (it doesn't have to be the same book as your book hat!) or you can just wear your book hat with your school uniform. There will be a prize for the best book hat in each year group. It would be a good idea to include a picture of the front cover of your chosen book on your hat creation. Please see examples of book hats made by Mrs Anderson to give you some inspiration. You can use any hat as a base to decorate as your book hat.







Book Swap! After school from 3pm

We welcome children to bring a book to swap at our World Book Day book swap shop. Please bring a book that you wish to put into the book swap at the start of the day and give to your class teacher. Then visit the school hall at the end of the school day to choose a different book! Please can we ask that only good quality books are brought to be swapped.

Librarians workshop in the library and Book Trail

Throughout the day, our budding team of librarians, together with Mrs Anderson, shall be running workshops within and around the library for each class to take part in, including a book trail around the school.

Stop and Read

When the book bell rings, we stop and read! Children, teachers, office staff and everyone in between!

Author visit- Sophie Cleverly

Sophie will be visiting KS2 to talk to the children about being an author, sharing a reading of her latest book and answering questions. Sophie shall also be joining the librarians as they run their workshops throughout the day. It's always a real privilege to have a real life author in school!

Creating a Reading River

We shall be creating our very own reading river, leading to our library. Each child shall create the front cover of their favourite book and add it to our river throughout the day.

Sharing stories

A chance for children across the school to come together and enjoy lots of new books, together with a book shaped biscuit!

Story Sweet Shop- After school from 3pm

Join us after school in the school hall for our book swap, open library and our Story Sweet Shop run by the librarians team and FOSS. Explore the magical sweet shop of book themed sweet bags to purchase as the perfect end to our booky day!

Wednesday 1st March

We're off to The Story Museum In Oxford!

The whole school shall be heading to The Story Museum for a day of book-themed, sensational story world magic! We shall have the opportunity to explore mesmerising story worlds, take part in workshops and be immersed in all things stories.

For more information

please visit: https://www.storymuseu m.org.uk/

about The Story Museum,

For details of this trip, including request for permission and costings, please see the letter sent to families of children in Reception-Year 6 and children normally attending nursery on a Wednesday.

Thursday 2nd March

Book signing with Sophie Cleverly- After school, 3-3:30pm

In the library between 3 and 3:30pm, Sophie will be selling books from her Scarlet and Ivy and Violet Veil series, as well as book signing. Cash and online QR code payment accepted, so come along, grab a signed book and say hello to the lovely Sophie to talk all things books! You are also welcome to stay and enjoy the library during this time.