

Beeston Primary School

Town Street, Leeds, LS11 8PN "Engage, Enjoy, Enrich, Excel"

World Book Day 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

World Book Day will take place on **Thursday 6th March 2025**. This year at Beeston, staff and pupils are invited to attend school dressed as their favourite character/book theme. Be as creative as you can! Prizes will be given for the best dressed.

For World Book Day we are setting you an extreme reading challenge. We would like you to find the most unusual and out of the ordinary place to read your favourite book. To enter the competition you must bring in photo evidence to your class teacher or send an email to the main school office. All entries need to be in by Wednesday 5th March 2025.

Throughout the day there will be lots of reading activities for children to take part in. Some year groups will be joining online live lessons where children will be celebrating the joy of books, authors and reading for pleasure. Class teachers will be sharing lots of stories with pupils throughout the week and we have arranged some virtual author visits throughout the month of March. On World Book Day, children will also take part in a whole-school 'Big Read', where children will visit other classrooms to read with pupils of different ages.

World Book Day celebrates the joy and value of books and reading, especially for children. To help get them started on their reading journey, every child will receive a £1 World Book Day book token, which can be redeemed at our school Book Fair which will be arriving on 24th March, alternatively it can be used in many high street shops (details will be given on the voucher). Another letter with details of the Book Fair will be sent shortly.

You can join us in building your child's enthusiasm for books well beyond World Book Day. Children are never too young to start their journey with books, and the benefits of reading are enormous. So we hope, like us, you will use World Book Day to celebrate reading with your child! For more information about World Book Day and ideas on sharing books at home, visit www.worldbookday.com.

Many Thanks, The English Team







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