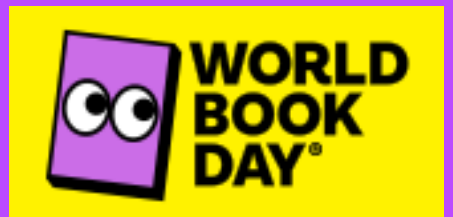


# World Book Day



We will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5th March with lots of book-based opportunities. Please take a look at some of the activities taking place for the Nursery children to take part in.

## Shared Story Sessions

World Book Day is all about celebrating the love of books and sharing our passions with others in the hope of inspiring their next read. Members of the whole school community have been invited into school to act as 'Mystery Readers' on World Book Day. Each reader will share a story or an extract from their favourite books and discuss what reading means to them. We are hoping that some of these, along with our older 'Reading Ambassadors', will be popping into Nursery throughout the day to share some stories with the children.

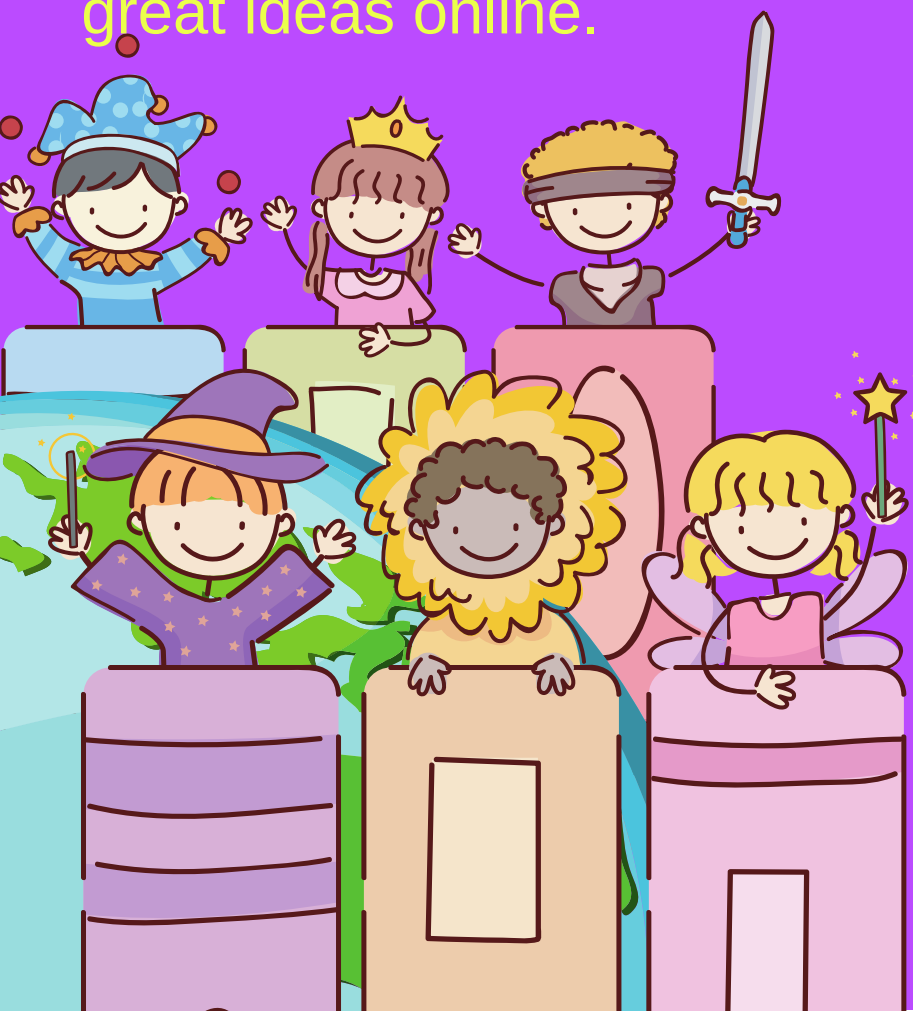
## Book in a Bag

We know that dressing up for World Book Day can sometimes mean lots of effort for something that the children will only wear once. In place of this, we are asking the children to bring a 'Book in a Bag' to Nursery on World Book Day. Please fill a small paper bag with props or clues for the children to guess the book your child has brought in. For example, for 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' you might add some play strawberries, blueberries and oranges along with a toy caterpillar or butterfly. We will put time aside on World Book Day for every child to show off their 'Book in a Bag' and share their love of their favourite books. Alternatively, children may just bring a book into Nursery to discuss or present during the day instead.

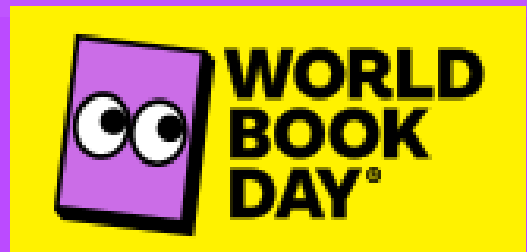


## Story Shoebox Competition

This year's optional whole school challenge is to create a world in a shoebox inspired by your child's favourite book. There will be a bookish prize for the best in each phase (Early Years, KS1, Y3/4 and Y5/6). Please ensure all entries are in school by Monday 2nd March to allow for judging by the Reading Ambassadors. Entries must have your child's name, class (Nursery) and the story which inspired their box written on the top or bottom please. Winners will be announced on World Book Day itself. There are lots of great ideas online.



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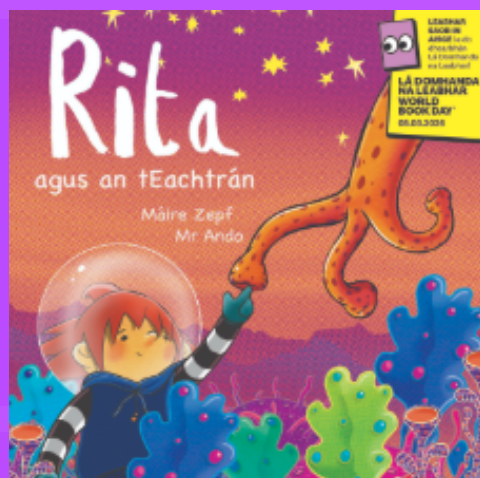


## World Book Day £1 Books

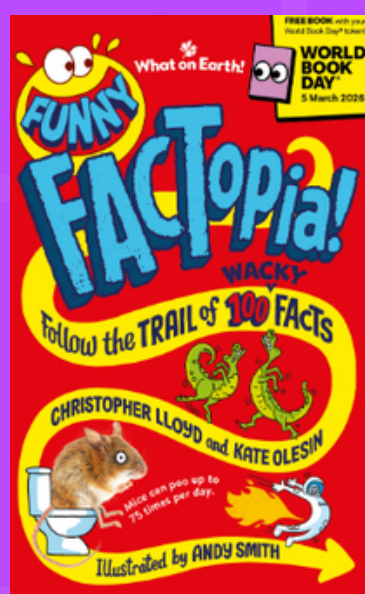


As ever, the official World Book Day organisation has arranged for a fabulous selection of £1 books to be made available. By the end of next week, every child will be given their own World Book Day £1 Book Token to spend as they would like at big book retailers, supermarkets and more; please look out for these in the children's book bags. Let's take a look at the brilliant line up of books available this year. For more information, visit the official World Book Day website at <https://www.worldbookday.com/books/>

### For Beginning Readers



### For Early Readers



### For Fluent Readers

Mrs Widdett's pick!

