

BOOK WEEK

This year, activities for **WORLD BOOK DAY** will take place across the week from Monday 2nd March to Friday 6th March. Children will be involved in learning about authors, reading and sharing books from their favourite authors and having the chance to take part in our World Book Day competition.

Book in a Jar

This year's competition is '**Book in a Jar**'. Children are invited to think about how a favourite book could be represented in a jar. It can be a book of their choice but no books must be damaged in the making of your jar please!

Any clear jar can be used (coffee jar, jam jar or other). Children must carefully put chosen items into the jar that represent and provide clues about their book, selected quotes from the book and ideas about its characters or setting can also be included.

Please make sure that your 'Book in a Jar' competition entries are clearly labelled your child's full name and class.

All entries must be in school on the morning of Friday 6th March for judging. Winners will be announced on Friday and the jars will be displayed for everyone to see as part of our World Book Day celebrations. Winners will receive book tokens that can be used in our April book fair!

When bringing Books into a Jar into school, please ensure they are transported carefully and safely as we are looking forward to seeing your creations!

Bring a Book, Swap a Book



In order to encourage conversations about books, we are asking children to bring in a book they have read and enjoyed at home and swap it for another exciting read! This is a great opportunity for children to read a book that has been recommended and enjoyed by one of their friends. Please could we ask that books brought in are within their current AR range. If you are unsure of the AR range of the book, please ask your child to check at school or have a

look on www.arbookfind.co.uk

If you have another book you would like to swap (a book outside of your child's current AR range or an adult book), then please have a look at our book swap book shelf outside reception. There is a range of exciting books to swap with!

Book at Bedtime

On Thursday 30th April before children go to bed, they can come back into school and listen to one of the members of staff read them a lovely bed time story. There will be a variety of stories being read across the school and children can choose what book they would like to hear. During this evening, the book fair will also be open! Stories that are being read will be shared nearer to the time.

We are all really looking forward to celebrating reading across Book Week. If you need any help or need some ideas please come in and ask. Happy Reading

Mrs Mobbs Mrs Savage

English Leader and Reading Leader

