

WORLD BOOK DAY

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are very excited to be celebrating **World Book Day** on Thursday 5th March and have a few activities planned across the academy to help promote a love of reading across the school.

Dress Up as Your Favourite Book Character

Children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. Please note that all belongings, including costume accessories, will remain the responsibility of the child throughout the day.

Extreme Reading Competition

We will be launching our **Extreme Reading Competition** in assembly on **Monday 2nd March**. We are looking for the most unusual, imaginative, or crazy places to enjoy a good book. Are you reading at the park? At the shops? Upside down? The more creative, the better.

Please email your photos to **Mrs Tett** via the school email address (admin@ingoldmellsacademy.org) including the name of your child, their class name and the house team that they are in (if you are unsure of this, please speak to your child's class teacher). This is also a house team challenge so all entries will be awarded 5 house points for their team.

The competition will close on **Friday 13th March**, and the winner will be announced during our **Achievement Assembly on Friday 20th March**. We will be selecting a winner from each class so get reading! Here are a few examples to get you started.



World Book Day Book Sale

After school on World Book Day, we will be holding a **Book Sale in the school hall** for parents and carers.

In preparation for this, we would love your support with **donations of good-quality children's books** for our sale. If you have any books you no longer need, please bring them into school by the **morning of Thursday 6th March**, so we have time to set up the hall.

You will be able to choose some books to take home and enjoy with your children. Instead of set prices, there will be an **honesty box** available — simply make a **donation of your choice**.

All donations will help us continue to support reading and enriching experiences for our pupils. All money raised will go towards **new reading materials for our school library** for the children to enjoy.

We are looking forward to a wonderful celebration of reading and creativity. Thank you, as always, for your continuing support and sharing a love of reading with your children. If you have any questions, please feel free to speak to myself or Mrs Tett.

Kind regards,

Miss Pettit
Reading Leader



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