

Knowsley Junior School

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Dear Parent/Guardian

This year, the official World Book Day will take place on **Thursday 5th March**.

World Book Day is a celebration of authors, illustrators, books and, most importantly, it's a celebration of reading. In fact, it's the biggest celebration of its kind, is designated by UNESCO, and is marked in over 100 countries, all over the world. The theme this year is '**Go All In**' - encouraging immersive and passionate reading, and we will be celebrating in school with a number of activities which will include the following:

Favourite Book	The children may bring in their favourite book from home, or choose one from our class libraries.
Fancy Dress	This may be book-related OR something comfy to settle down and read in (pyjamas, loungewear, etc).
WBD Activities	The children will celebrate reading throughout the day with their classes.
Teacher Swap	Story time to end the day.
Book Swap/Sale	Knowsley Community Group is organising a preloved book fair after school on Thursday 5 th March. The children may bring in a suitable book to donate between Monday 22 nd February and Wednesday 4 th March. Each child will receive a voucher for every 1-3 books donated; this voucher can then be redeemed for a book of their choice at the fair. Preloved books will also be available to buy at a low price.

Lots of reading ideas and more information about World Book Day can be found on the WBD website: <https://www.worldbookday.com/families/>

We look forward to celebrating our love of reading on **Thursday 5th March**.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'E Aldred', written over a light blue rectangular background.

Miss E Aldred
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