



RANDALL PLACE CAMPUS

(Nursery, Reception, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3)

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ROYAL HILL CAMPUS

(Year 4, Year 5, Year 6)

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Wednesday 22nd February 2022

Dear Parents,

This year's World Book Day will be celebrated in school on Friday 4th March.

In the run up to our celebrations, children will be given a voucher to put towards buying a book at a local retailer. There will be lots of exciting events happening at James Wolfe around this date to celebrate the power of reading!

The key events/dates are:

- This year, we will be embarking on a **Book Week Project** on the book 'Hike' by Pete Oswald, exploring how he represents setting and character.
- Year groups will visit **West Greenwich Library** to explore the books and discover exciting new titles.
- **Royal Hill author visit** – Monday 28th February: Lou Kuenzler will be visiting Y4 – Y6 delivering workshops and assemblies about being a writer.
- **Randall Place West End in Schools** workshops- Monday 7th March and Tuesday 8th March: Years 1-3 will take part in a performing arts workshop based on a well-loved children's book.
- **Early Years Storyteller Visit**- Tuesday 1st March: Nursery and Reception will receive a visit from storyteller Helen Tozer, who will perform a story before leading a dance workshop.
- **Second-hand book swap** - RP: Tuesday 1st March, RH: Wednesday 2nd March: Please search your homes high and low for any once-loved books that are no longer being used. Children will have the opportunity after school on to swap them for a new book in the playground at the end of the day.
- **World Book Day book character dress up** – Friday 4th March: Children are encouraged to dress up as their favourite *book character* for the day. If you have any difficulties or questions about this, please speak to your child's teacher.

Competitions – deadline for all entries: Monday 7th March

Prize: Waterstones vouchers

- Wacky places to read: Up a tree? On a boat? In the swimming pool? Take a picture of you reading in a 'wacky place' – there will be prizes for the most ambitious and unusual! Hand your entries to your class teacher. Alternatively, please email entries 'for the attention of Ms Bedding (Royal Hill) or Ms Nutley (Randall Place) to admin@jameswolfe.greenwich.sch.uk .



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- Book Review competition (RH): Write a review of your favourite book. Tell us all about the pacy plots, captivating characters and stupendous settings that you love. Hand your entries to Ms Bedding or email them for the attention of Ms Bedding into admin@jameswolfe.greenwich.sch.uk
- Cosy Reading Nook (RP): Create the perfect reading nook and take a photo. You might want to cover it with blankets, pop in your favourite cuddly toy or even add some fairy lights to make the best reading spot. Send you photos for the attention of Ms Nutley to admin@jameswolfe.greenwich.sch.uk

Thank you for your support, we look forward to celebrating World Book Day with you!

Yours sincerely,

The English Leadership Team