



World Book Day 2019

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World Book Day celebrates the joy and value of books and reading, especially for children. We will be celebrating World Book Day on **Friday 22nd February**. Throughout the day the children will be participating in lots of exciting activities with their friends and teachers, however we would love you to share in our celebrations.

Share a Story

'Share a Story' is the theme for World Book Day 2019. We know that spending just **10 minutes** a day reading and sharing stories with children can make a crucial difference to their outcome and it's fun for all involved! In the week leading up to World Book Day, we are challenging you to share a story with your child every day and record your reading on the record form, that will be sent home on Friday 15th February. Each child who completes the challenge will receive 10 Dojo Points from their class teacher!



Character Costume Catwalk



On this special day, your child can come to school dressed as a favourite character from any book of their choice; we would love to see children bringing their favourite book to school to show which stories inspired their costumes. As part of our celebrations we will be holding a character costume catwalk for pupils to show off their wonderful costumes! **There is no expectation for costumes to be purchased; we encourage you to be creative and use clothing that the children already have at home!**

Extreme Reading Competition

Books can be read **anywhere** and **everywhere!** We are inviting you **ALL** (including parents!) to take part the Milton Primary Extreme Reading Challenge. Think about unusual, exciting, fun and safe places you can enjoy a book and take your best selfie! Share your photographs with us on Twitter (@MiltonPrimary17) or with your child's class teacher on Class Dojo. We will be choosing the top three entries from Foundation Phase and Key Stage Two to win a special prize.



Scholastic Book Fair

Following the success of the summer term book fair, we are delighted to be able to hold another event! The book fair will be available for classes to browse on **Tuesday 19th February**. Children can buy books from the fair between 3pm – 4pm throughout the week. There will be lots of great titles with prices starting from £2.99, as well as stationery and posters.

