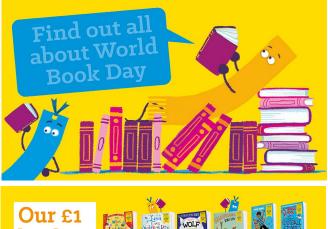




WORLD BOOK DAY 4 MARCH 2021

One of our core aims at Piddle Valley is to nurture a love of books and in reading for pleasure. We know that Piddle Valley children all enjoy books that give them the giggles, that cast a spell over them, and have them saying, "just one more chapter!" We hope to create book-loving memories for special stories they will remember sharing with you (and with us!) for years to come. On Thursday 4th March we would like all Piddle Valley children and their families to come together to share the joy of reading for pleasure! Piddle Valley get ready for #WorldBookDay! www.worldbookday.com



Our £1 books line-up for 2021

Bring your favourite book character to life by dressing-up! If you are in school, come to school dressed as your favourite book character! If you are learning at home send a photograph to Mrs Browne. Mrs Browne will make an online gallery of the photos on our school website!

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Please consider donating to Book Aid International who send books to children in some of the poorest communities around the world. Every £2 you give helps send another book that can enrich, improve and change lives. Alternatively, you can donate by the World Book Day Just Giving page. Please click on either of the links below. Thank you.



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It's never too early to read stories with your child and spending just ten minutes every day enjoying books together can make a BIG difference to their development. Sharing stories boosts creativity and imagination, improves wellbeing, is a positive experience for everyone – and is great fun! If you are at home arrange for relatives, friends or grandparents to Facetime or Zoom and read a story to your child! How many ten minute stories can you fit into your day?

In School, we will be taking part in 'Stop, Drop and Read' - when the school handbell rings, we will have to stop and drop whatever we are doing and read a book! You could try this at home too!

Look forward to a star-studded cast of authors, illustrators and hosts on 'Share a Story LIVE' to help you celebrate the most exciting booky day of the year!







DESIGN A NATIONAL BOOK TOKEN COMPETITION 2021



You, your children and our school could win HUNDREDS of pounds worth of books with our fantastic National Book Tokens DESIGN A BOOK TOKEN competition. One lucky winner's design will be made into a real life National Book Tokens gift card and distributed across bookshops nationwide in time for Christmas! And there are National Book Tokens galore to be won too – just imagine all those beautiful new books for our school's bookshelves . . . Watch out for this on World Book Day!

