

World Book Day

Today is World Book Day 2017. What is World Book Day? Every year on the 02nd March, teachers, parents and children all over the world use this day to talk about books. Some children go to school dressed up as their favourite book characters. Lots of shops and libraries are having special events with book reading and they are selling books at special low prices.

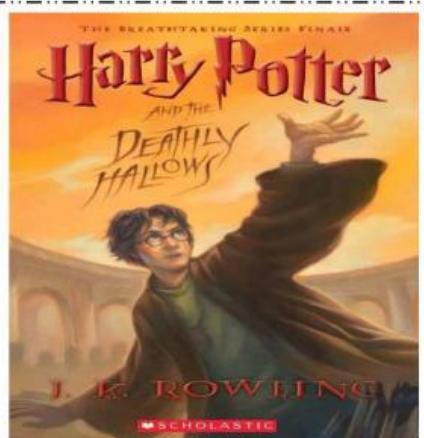
Books are very important to everyone; some people don't like to read they think it's boring but I think that these people just haven't found the right book yet. There are so many different books for everyone to enjoy.

Why should we read?

- Children have to read to learn how to understand vocabulary, grammar and spelling. But even adults should read from time to time.
- Books can give us so much information about many different subjects, History, Geography, Science etc.
- We can learn about other distant countries and cultures, even though we may never be able to visit them.
- We can read about important people from the past and present who have influenced others and may inspire us.
- It has been proven that reading makes you smarter - 'the more you read, the more you will know'.
- It helps you to relax and switch off.

Books are a window to another world. You can escape your daily routine and struggles and dive into a universe of wonder and imagination where anything is possible.

Reading can be fun, there are thousands of funny books for girls and boys!



Answer the questions:

When is World Book Day?

How are schools celebrating Book Day?

Give three reasons why everyone should read books.
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Do you like to read?

What type of books do you like to read?

What books do you find boring?

Imagine that you wrote a book about your life, what would your title be?

Read the sentences in the table below and mark if you agree or disagree with them

	Agree	Disagree
Children should read one book per month		
Reading is fun		
There should be lots of libraries in all cities		
Children's books should not be expensive		
We should only read in school not at home		
I like to receive books as a present		
When I'm reading, I forget all about the time.		
I like to read a little before I go to sleep		