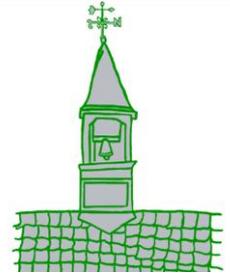




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Be the best YOU can be

Friday, 6th March 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you for supporting the World Book Day celebrations across the two schools this week. As well as the children dressing up, it was great to see Yr5 parents joining us for a Reading Café on Wednesday. The children seemed to have lots of fun.

Reading is important – it is the way into exciting new worlds, learning opportunities and gives you knowledge, power and control. Please do not underestimate the importance of the book in the digital age, I still see so many children and adults getting so much pleasure from a book, however, this needs the skill of fluency, so that the complex task that is reading is not too hard.

Fluency can only be achieved with practice. Regular practice needs to happen on a daily basis for 5 - 10 minutes. Your children also need to have reading modelled to them. So please read to them too, at all ages. A child is never too old to be read too, even a teenager - There is a reason 'audio books' are so popular. Helping your child to read, be a fluent reader and a child who loves books, is the most important thing you can do – by doing this you open up the world to them, also a world of amazing imaginations. Good readers are good writers and good learners. Please **READ, READ, READ.**

I have included a few pictures of 'reading fun' this week.

Have a good weekend, find a good book,
Adam Mason



