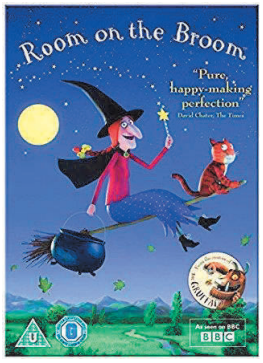
WORLD BOOK DAY

1 MARCH 2018

We're celebrating World Book Day on 1st March with a whole week of activities from Monday 16th February to Friday 2nd March.

During the week the children will be participating in a variety of exciting book-related activities, for example: reading with children from other classes, making their own books, writing character descriptions, drawing illustrations and taking part in drama activities.

To make it a really special week there are three competitions that we'd like you to help us with. Prizes will be awarded to the winners!



<u>Dress up as a book character</u>

Find a book character costume for your child to wear on world book day. Last year's favourites included The Witch from 'Room on the Broom' by Julia Donaldson and Grandpa from 'Grandpa's Great Escape' by David Walliams.

<u>Take a picture of your child reading a book in an unusual place</u>

The list is endless - up a tree perhaps, in the dog basket, half buried in sand, or whilst being pushed in a trolley round the supermarket…

<u>Make a book-themed model</u>

Encourage your child to make a model of a scene from a story, a famous book character or an unusual item – Cinderella's coach perhaps, or a book of spells from Harry Potter. The model must be small enough to fit inside a shoe box.

If you would like to join in the fun, why not volunteer to read your favourite childhood book or poem to a class or group of children. Please, contact your child's teacher if you would like to do this.

Every child will also be given a £1 book token to spend on a book of their choice. Look out for this after half term.