



READING NEWSLETTER



WELCOME TO THE SPRING TERM'S READING NEWSLETTER

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- World Book Day book tokens.



WORLD BOOK DAY 2024

DRESS TO EXPRESS

World Book Day
Thursday 7th March

Book Swap!
Bring a book to swap in school.

WORLD BOOK DAY

For World Book Day this year each class will be sharing books that represent and promote equality and diversity. It will be a non-uniform day and we are inviting children to Dress to Express!

BOOK SWAP

Bring a book from home to swap!



LOCAL LIBRARY VISITS.

Opening times

[View the library bank holiday opening times](#)



This table shows the opening hours for Stirchley Community Library.

DAY	TIME
Monday	9.30am - 4.30pm
Tuesday	9.30am - 4.30pm
Wednesday	9.30am - 4.30pm
Thursday	9.30am - 4.30pm
Friday	9.30am - 4.30pm
Saturday	Closed
Sunday	Closed

WHY NOT POP IN AFTER SCHOOL TO CHOOSE A BOOK?

Every class in school has now visited our local community library in Stirchley.

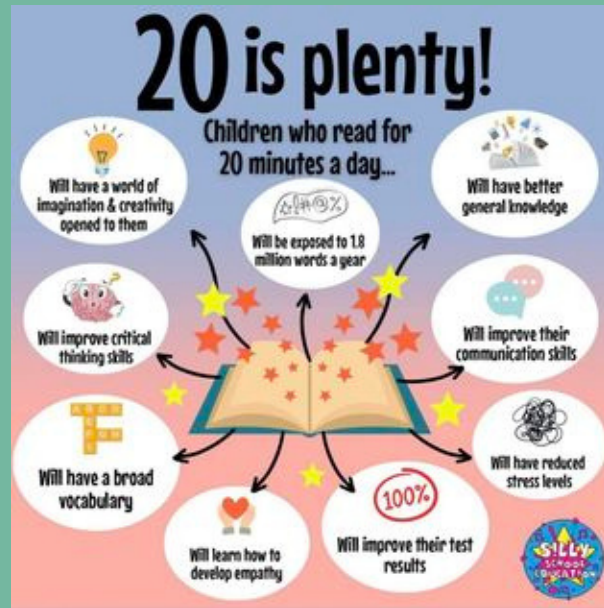
The younger children all had story time and the older children used the library to research a topic they have been learning about in school.



READING AT HOME.

The benefits of children learning to read are clear.

By hearing your child read at home, you will be supporting the reading lessons they have in school and giving your child every opportunity to enjoy these benefits. At Holmer Lake we ask that your child reads at home at least 3 times a week. Comments by adults can be recorded in your child's reading record.



YEAR 1 PHONICS TEST.

If your child is in Year 1 they will be taking the Year 1 Phonics Test in June 2024. Please attend the information session being held for all Y1 parents/carers to find out how you can support your child and prepare them for this test. See Miss. Prentice for further information.

Y1 PHONICS TEST INFORMATION SESSION FOR PARENTS
TUESDAY 12TH MARCH AT 2.45PM

WORLD BOOK DAY BOOK TOKENS



On World Book Day every child will receive a book token that they can exchange for a FREE book. Book Tokens can be exchanged at lots of shops including: Asda, Sainsburies, Tesco, WH Smiths and Waterstones.

READING CARAVAN



We are delighted that our Reading Caravan is now OPEN! At OPAL lunchtimes the children can use this caravan to enjoy some quiet reading time. There are even some fleecy throws to get cosy and warm under!



WORLD BOOK DAY
7 MARCH 2024

HERE ARE JUST SOME OF THE BOOKS AVAILABLE WITH THE BOOK TOKENS.
SEE THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION.
WWW.WORLDBOOKDAY.COM/BOOKS-AND-TOKENS/BOOKS/

