



3rd March 2021

RE: World Book Day on Thursday 4th March 2021.

We are happy to announce that the children at Manston St James School will be celebrating world book day on Thursday! This year, we are going to focus on the act of reading and story-telling and each class will get the opportunity to take part in this in a number of exciting and engaging ways.

High quality text

Each class will have the opportunity to share, read and engage in a high quality extract which has been chosen by the class teacher. **This will also go out as a recorded read for remote learners.** The text will be an extract that links to what we are doing in our ongoing learning projects.

Poetry

The children from each class will have the chance to read and appreciate a poem which has been carefully chosen for their year group. They will engage in a discussion about it and be encouraged to share their own thoughts and ideas. **This poem will also be shared with remote learners as your live lesson.**

Tower writing

As part of World Book day the children will also be creating a whole school Tower Story! The year 6 children will start the story then each year group will add to it as it is passed on from class to class. Each year group will be shown an exciting and mysterious artefact which will form part of their portion of the story! **The remote learners will also have the opportunity to join in with this at home and will have already received details from their class teachers. Please look out for a scheduled writing session on seesaw from your class teacher!**

We are confident that all of our children will have an exciting and enjoyable day immersed in the joy of reading and writing!

Please note that we will not be taking part in any fancy dress this year.

Please also look out on our social media for a surprise or two to follow... happy reading!

