



# WORLD BOOK DAY BULLETIN!

Celebrating with

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**BOOK**  
**DAY**<sup>®</sup>

Please enjoy browsing these slides to see what we got up to on World Book Day this year. Reading For Pleasure is a high priority at CAW so this special day is one of the many things we do to promote reading. More information can be found on our curriculum and reading pages of our website. If you'd like any support with choosing books for or with your child/children or have any questions about our reading curriculum, please don't hesitate to get in touch with the office who will put you in touch with the relevant teacher.

# LAUNCH ASSEMBLY

We started off the day with an assembly led by Miss Scozzafava (featuring Mr Wilderness on the stage!) for Year 4-6 and Miss Delaney for Reception – Year 3. We read half of the book and heard about what was to come. We learnt some new words and got really good at our 'Voice Choice' for three key words!

Voice Choice! Let's practise these words that you can look out for when we read the story. When you see them, say them out loud!



Outside?!

LOST!

Whooft!

New words!  
MTYT



lurk - to hide/linger

trepidatious - nervous

murky - hard to see through

wonderstruck - amazed





# LETTER WRITING

Many letters have been emailed and posted out including to

- King Charles
- Kevin & Katie Tsang
- Laura Ellen Anderson
- Sophie Anderson
- Onjali Q Rauf
- Julia Donaldson
- Nick and Rosie from Read Write Inc
- Konnie Huq
- Steve Backshall
- Sue Hendra
- Steve McCarthy
- Marcus Rashford
- SF Said
- Tom Fletcher



Children were tasked with writing letters to local authors or significant figures who may be interested in coming to open our library when it's finished its transformation! Some families may remember we had a Platform 9  $\frac{3}{4}$  Themed Library and that last year it moved rooms. This means we get to decorate it all again! This time we are being inspired by The Wilderness and creating a night-time adventure camping theme. It will be called City Academy Wilderness! See the next pages for some incredible examples!

Things to include...



Best handwriting

Capital letters:

names

places

Punctuation

! exclamation marks

? question marks

. full stops

Really persuasive! Try to make it an irresistible invitation

Why is this important?

Person 1	Person 2	Person 3	Person 4
Find an email address & a postal address for your author	Draw a picture or decorate the envelope – needs to be beautiful	Writing the letter – neat handwriting	Helping write the letter, checking spellings/facts on iPad



Dear Julia Donaldson,

I am writing to you about the opening of our brand new library on April 18th 2024. We would love for you to be a part of this exciting experience. I love your books because when I was a baby my mum read your books to me every day, and now I still read them.

We have chosen you because we love reading your books. The funny gruffalo is one of my favourites because I used to read it everyday, and I like stickman because I love where the dog tries to eat him.

The library is at our school City Academy Whitehawk. You can contact us using the number 01273 681377.

Dear Julia Donaldson

Would you like to come to our incredibly fantastic library opening at City Academy Whitehawk? I love reading Monkey puzzle because I love the bit where the butterfly thinks the monkey's mum is an elephant! What's your

To Julia Donaldson  
Would you like to see our new library 18th April at City Academy Whitehawk? Your stories are amazing I love your books are library is special and will have a woodland theme and reading helps me learn from Tattulah Yeart and I love you thank you for writing are Books I love reading from Tattulah Yeart was puffing class I want to read all of your books thank you Julia Donaldson from Tattulah.

mum is an elephant! What's your favourite book you wrote? Is it the Room on the Broom, the Highway Rat, the snail and the whale or the Gruffalo? It could be my favourite Monkey puzzle? Love is you can't wait with you. Ayla



Year 1

OK

Dear Steve Backshall,

DEADLY

Our names are Jonty, Oscar, Justin and Malachy and we love your show and your books. We know that you love adventures and so do we! Every day we try and help nature. We are writing to you because we want you to open our school library and it's going to be called City Academy Wilderness.

You were the first person we thought of because you are a fantastic person and a great author. We think you'd be the best choice to open our library because you set a great example of being amazing at writing and protecting the world and plus Jonty has seen you on your tour! You are similar to us because you love nature. It would be a once in a lifetime experience to see you at our school.

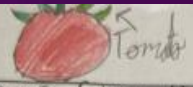
Our location is City Academy Whitehawk, Brighton, England. You can come at any time on Thursday 18th April 2024. Our stage will give you a lunch and refreshments. Call 01273 681377 or email Miss Scozzafava.

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We adore your books and love your show Deadly 60. Oscar says "Cribby" Justin says "I love your books" Malachy says "You are an amazing person, I hope you come." Jonty says "I love you." From Jonty, Oscar, Justin, Malachy.



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Dear SUE Hendra, Our names are Lily, Maya and Harlie finally Aminah! We love reading and vegetables (not the green ones!) Do you like evil peas and broccoli? We have one important question would you like to open our library? We chose you because we know you also think books and illustrations are important to children! - We like writing (and potatoes especially!) that's why we thought of you! as well, we thought you'd be willing to come because... your passion for about reading and funny jokes! IT would be astonishing if you come because we absolutely love for you read us your books (and eat potato salad with us!) We would all love for you to open our new school library! Our school is City Academy Whitehawk in Brighton.



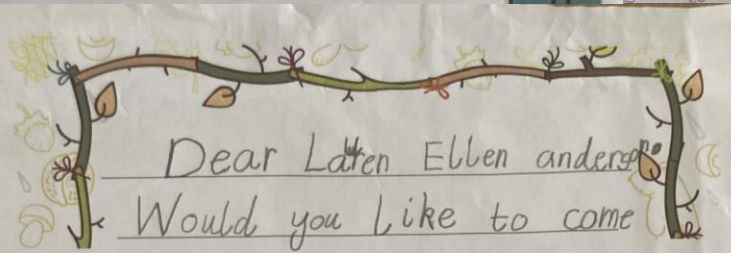
Dear Steve

I am writing to invite you to the best library ever! on 18th of April at CAW we are opening our brand new library in our school. There are two floors. The top and bottom. The top floor has the library in it. There are lots of books. The wildness is going to see it. I want you to come cos you rit the wildness books you are good at riter. Love from Sydney

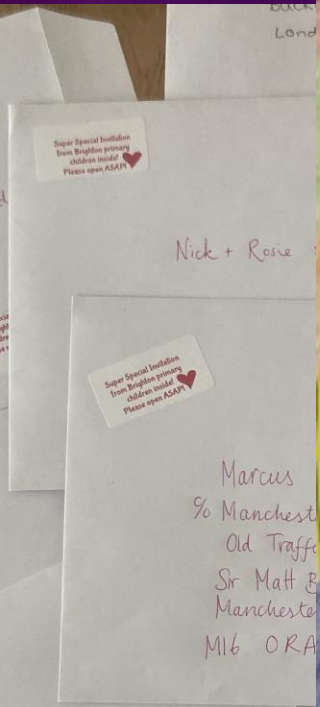
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From April 18



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Dear Lauren Ellen andersen  
Would you like to come  
to our libery on the 18th of  
April? It is at City Academy  
Whitehawk. You are so amazing!  
Marnie Midnight the book  
inspired me to be brave!  
good bye Lily Luna!!

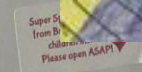


Dear Katie and Kevin Isang

Our names are Veera, Karlean, Freya and Reggie and we love reading especially your books! We know that you write to different aged children as you have written Sam Wu (for lower ages) and Dragon books (for older ages) and we have also read and loved all of them. We chose you over all the other authors to invite you to open our new school library, which will be called City Academy Whitehawk Wilderness and is inspired by The Wilderness by Steve McCarthy because we know how famous you are in our school. All of your books come off the shelves so fast in our library. It would be a once in a lifetime experience if you came because all of the kids in our school love and are inspired by you. The important information that you need is that our school is called City Academy Whitehawk (AKA (AW)) and if you were to come you will be supplied with refreshments such as teas or coffee. We are all really enthusiastic about reading and we read alot in school whenever we get the chance. We hope you enjoyed reading our letter and we hope we convinced you to come to our school to open our newly themed library...

Kind Regards,  
Veera, Freya, Karlean and Reggie.

Lauren Ellen andersen  
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Box 5592  
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# SHARE A STORY

As has become Whitehawk tradition, we had another amazing Share A Story Session. We split the school into Nursery – Year 1 and Year 2 – Year 6 and children picked a book on our theme that they liked the look of. Every member of the teaching and teaching support staff were involved and we made good use of every nook and cranny in the school! They then enjoyed the story and a related activity with a mixed age group of children. These were just some of the books on offer!





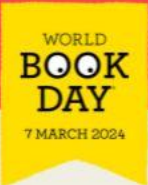
# SOME OF THE SHARE A STORY GROUPS IN ACTION



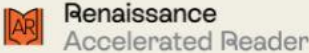



# AFTERNOON

In the afternoon classes worked on decorating leaves in autumnal colours to help decorate the new library as well as taking part in a range of activities including making bookmarks, quizzes, virtual author events and art projects. We all ended the day by snuggling up for a cosy class story time and receiving our World Book Day Books. Did you know all the World Book Day Books have an accelerated reader quiz for them?! All children in Year 2 – 6 can do their respective quizzes in morning work in class!




## Take the quiz on the new World Book Day titles!






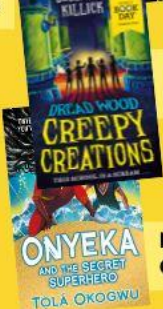
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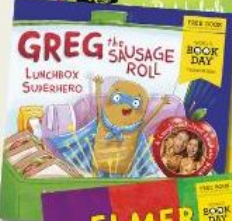
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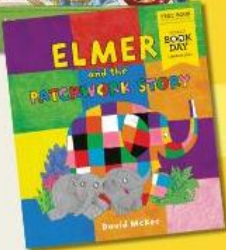
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Book Level: 4  
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Book Level: 3.3  
Quiz no.: #244580



Book Level: 4.5  
Quiz no.: #244579



# OUTFITS!





# LOOKING AHEAD...

- Reading Raffle 4 continues (closing Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March!)
- Reading Raffle 5 starts Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March (and it's a super special one for me, Miss Delaney and Mrs Luna!)
- Invites to Reading Meetings for KS1 will be hitting your inbox shortly
- Year 3-5 will be starting their last class text of the year after Easter (Narnia for Year 5, Pax for Year 4 and Emil and the Detectives for Year 3)
- Year 2 will start their first novel study, The Iron Man
- The new library will open and all families will be invited to come and see inside. We are hoping for this to be the 19<sup>th</sup> April.
- Year 3 are visiting Jubilee Library this term, followed by Year 2 in Summer 1 and Year 1 in Summer 2
- All year groups will be visiting Whitehawk Library every half term as usual
- We are hoping for some author visits before the end of the school year...watch this space!