

Dear Parents and Carers,

On Thursday 1st March 2018, Rowley Park Academy will be celebrating World Book Day. This is an exciting day where children will be able to dress up as their favourite character from a book and donate £1 to charity.

World Book Day is an opportunity for RPA to focus on one of our school values- Do good as we go. There are many children around the world, who do not have access to books. Book Aid, is a World Book Day supported charity, which helps to buy and develop libraries in countries where children do not have access to books. For every £2 raised, Book Aid can send a book to a child who really needs it.

As the theme this year is “Share a book”, we would like pupils to bring in their favourite book from home, which they can share with their friends. Each key stage will focus on a book and will complete activities throughout the day. To fully immerse pupils, we would like to create a library feel in the classroom where children can relax and enjoy a book with their peers. Therefore, your child will be allowed to bring in a cushion or a small bean bag from home for them to sit on.

Pupils will also get the chance to gain a reading certificate by completing the fun reading bingo challenge on the reverse of this letter. Pupils will receive a certificate for either completing a row or a full house. Reading bingo charts will have to be returned to school by Friday 9th March.

Kind regards,
Miss Lewis.

