



Through our Christian Values -
Friendship, Compassion, Trust
and Respect:

We Encourage, Build & Hope
together...no one left behind.

Based on 1 Thessalonians 5-11



World Book Day

Thursday 5th March 2026

WORLD
BOOK
DAY

Reading is always important to us at Sproatley every day so we are looking forward to celebrating books and all things reading on World Book Day next **Thursday 5th March**. World Book Day is the perfect opportunity to spend time reading for pleasure and talking about books and characters.



Children are all **invited come ready for bedtime stories dressed in pyjamas or cosy clothing**. Look out for the World Book Day vouchers coming home.

Happy reading!

EYFS



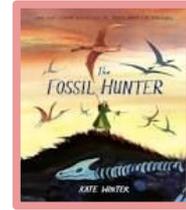
EYFS will be continuing their transport topic and will be reading Emma Jane's Aeroplane.

Parents/ carers are invited to join us for shared reading time from 3pm - 3.30pm.

Year 3/4

Forest schools kits are still needed

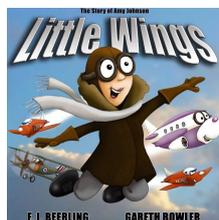
In Year 3/4, we are reading 'The Chocolate Tree' as part of our reading lessons. We are currently reading 'Matilda' as our shared reading for pleasure book.



Year 1/2

As part of World Book Day, we are exploring the history of flight and the significant role Amy Johnson played. We will be reading 'Little Wings' by F. J Beerling.

Parents/ carers are invited to join us for shared reading time from 3pm - 3.30pm.



Year 5/6

We will be enjoying lots of reading all next week! We will be reading a new text: Lights on Cotton Rock. We will also be enjoying some very short stories each day from Joseph Coelho's Ten Word Tiny Tales!

Parents/carers are invited to join us for shared reading time from 3pm - 3.30pm.



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National Year of Reading 2026

Find out more about how you
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Reading:

[What Are The Benefits Of
Reading?](#)

[Families | National Year of
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[Their story starts with you](#)

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Reading with your child

Research shows that there are so many
benefits from reading: improved
wellbeing and social skills; developing
vocabulary and knowledge; more
empathy, imagination and creativity and
[many more!](#)

Reading aloud helps to improve fluency
so reading together at home even in KS2!

Please ask your class teacher if you
need any help with reading at home -
see these top tips from [Words for Life](#).

If you are short on
time, why not try
an audio book that you
can listen to together?
[Here are some ideas.](#)



Book Talk

Set aside a bit of time this week to share
a book with your child - discuss what you
liked or disliked, make predictions about
what might happen next together, ask
questions about how characters feel.
There are lots of ideas for sharing stories
on the World Book Day [website](#).

Book Chat

Developing a Love of Reading

I wonder
what's going
to happen?

Oh no, I hope
she's not
going to...

I wonder
why he
did that?

I think
he's
feeling...

We love
sausages too,
don't we!

That
reminds me
of when...

Ahh, that
word
means...

What can we
see there?

That looks like
our park, but...

Book Chat encourages readers. Open questions, comments and prompts get the
Book Chat going. Invite your child to make connections and share views.
Join in with your thoughts too!

Book Chat develops language, comprehension and pleasure.

Not sure what to read?

Browse our library in one of our library
slots for parents/carers after half term!
Choose a book together.

Here are some [ideas on stories to read
together](#) and videos to share.

Try [Book Trust's Bookfinder](#) tool to choose
books for your child by age and interest.

LoveReading4Kids has great suggestions
and you can read the opening chapter
together to find the books for your child:

<https://www.lovereadings4kids.co.uk/>



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