

BIG BLACKWELL BOOK FESTIVAL

-DECEMBER 1ST 2023, 2-3pm-
-families welcome-

As part of their learning in school during the 'Best Books' topic, the children will work on preparing for a 'Big Blackwell Book Festival'.

This is a celebration of books and reading. We hope that you will be able to join us for part of this special event.

Please come along between 2-3pm to visit your child in their own classroom, play a game or share a story and find out about their learning before taking them around school where there will be a book fair in the hall, storytellers around school, book themed yoga with Mrs Hampton and refreshments. (If you have more than one child, please visit each of their classrooms before collecting them all for visiting around school).

There will be a goody bag to take home too!

Once you have visited the BIG BLACKWELL BOOK FESTIVAL, you may take your child/ren home if you wish.

Activities

Hall:

Bookfair
Yoga
Refreshments

Main office area:

Refreshments
Storytelling 2.30pm
Tree of Books display-
please contribute to this

Library:

Storytelling 2.15pm and
2.45pm

Tea and Toast:

Refreshments

Classrooms:

Please visit your own
child's classroom and
complete a review for us!

Dressing up

The children are invited to dress up as a book character if they wish. Some children prefer not to and we will let the children know that they do not need to.

Dressing up need not be expensive as they don't need to have costumes made or bought for them. A list of characters who wear 'everyday' clothes are listed below:

- Charlie from Charlie and the chocolate factory (Roald Dahl)
- Sophie from BFG (Roald Dahl)
- Titch (Pat Hutchins)
- Any children from Lion, Witch and the Wardrobe (C S Lewis)
- Goldilocks or Jack and the beanstalk
- Christopher Robin (A A Milne)
- Characters from 'Going on a Bear Hunt' (Michael Rosen)

Goody Bags

In your goody bag, you will find a pencil (or crayon for Nursery) and some ideas for supporting your child's reading.

You may wish to buy a book or some refreshments to take home and you can add these to your bag as you visit different areas around school.

We hope that you enjoy your visit and are inspired to read some new books.

Travelling Book Fair

The Travelling Book Fair will be in school between 2-3pm and also after school. Come along to the hall to buy a book or two to enjoy together at home.

If you don't plan to buy books, our 'Reading for Pleasure' books are available for the children each week to share at home.