



# Sherburn High School

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Dear Parents, Carers and students,

## **Don't forget that next week we celebrate World Book Day 2025!**

World Book Day, takes place on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March. On the day students will be having a range of fun activities including:

**Catch Your Pet Reading** – On World Book Day everyone will vote for their favourite photo. There will be a prize for the winning entry.

**Guess Who?** – There will be six members of staff hiding behind books. Students must guess who they all are to win a prize.

**Book Quiz** – Students will have book related questions to answer during period one.

**Golden Tickets** – There will be nine golden tickets hidden in school. If a student finds one, they will win a World Book Day chocolate bar.

**Blind Date with a Book** – There will be a selection of books to choose from in the school library. All books are wrapped in brown paper with only a few clues to help readers choose. Select a book, check it out, take it home, unwrap, read and enjoy!

**Teacher... Which book character are you?** – Students work out which book characters their teachers are dressed up as. The student with the most correct guesses will win a prize.

**Drop Everything and Read** – There will be opportunities in lessons where students get the chance to read or be read to by their teacher.

**£1 World Book Day tokens** – These will be distributed to students via their form tutors. These can be used in exchange for a free World Book Day book at participating shops. They can also be used to get £1 off any book or audiobook costing £2.99 or more.

## **Charity Day – Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March**

On Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March we will be fund-raising for the charity "Read for Good." This charity raises money to provide books and storytellers to children's hospitals.

On Friday students and staff will be able to wear their own clothes to school, by making a contribution on ParentPay. There will also be a tuck shop at break and lunchtimes and throughout next week students will be able to purchase a raffle ticket for 50p to get a chance to win one of our fantastic hampers of goodies!

Year 7 are also supporting our fund-raising efforts by taking part in Readathon between 3<sup>rd</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> March!

For more details about "Read for Good" visit <https://readforgood.org/>

## **Ever use Vinted or other pre-loved sites? Ever hired an outfit?!**

Well now is the chance to:

- Hire top quality dresses and suits for Prom, weddings or other formal occasions for a very small fee

Donate – top quality items for prom/weddings or other celebrations

Where and how? – See the attached flyer for details.

## **And finally...**

Thank you as always for your ongoing support.

Kind regards,

Miriam Oakley

Headteacher