



Sherburn High School Literacy Bulletin

February 2025



Welcome back to our Literacy Bulletin, keeping you updated with all things literacy at Sherburn High School!

The library continues to be a busy place at break and lunchtimes, with opportunities to borrow and renew your books, catch up on homework and take place in the numerous activities and events the library regularly offers.

Remember you can ask the student librarians for help and Mrs Law is always on hand to respond to your inquiries. The library can be accessed before school, at break time, lunchtime for your year group and after school.

The stationery store is open every day with very competitively priced products! Get your red pens, glue sticks and rulers plus much more!

Recent events:

The library hosted Marrieanne Pal, editor of The Resident magazine. Ms Pal met with Post-16 students to offer insight into her career journey, the work she does and her work at The Resident.



Richard Bilton, Panorama documentary filmmaker, visited to speak to Post-16 students about his experiences travelling the world filming for critically acclaimed documentaries.

In honour of Holocaust Memorial Day, Judith Rhodes, visited in January, speaking movingly to Year 11 students about her mother's experience on the Kinder Transport. Her mother had to flee persecution from Nazi forces.

What we're reading:

The shortlist for the Leeds Book Awards



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Are you ready for
World Book Day?
Keep a look out for
competitions and
events happening!



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READ YOUR WAY THIS WORLD BOOK DAY 6 MARCH 2025

Choose a World Book Day book for **FREE** with your £1/€1.50 book token.

Books available in shops from 13 February until 23 March 2025.

Books shown: Soccer diaries, The Wolf Trials, This Story is a Lie.

BOOK TOKEN

You can redeem your World Book Day £1/€1.50 book token at the following retailers:

Your local independent bookseller

Asda

Blackwell's (selected stores only)

Lidl

Sainsburys

Tesco

The Works

Waterstones

WHSmith

Catch Your Pet Reading photo competition



All entries to be taken to the library before March 6th (World Book Day).
A prize will be awarded for the best entry.
This competition is open to both staff and students!

This year we are supporting the charity **Read for Good**, who provide books and author visits for children in hospital.

<https://readforgood.org/>

Year 7 will be taking part in this year's Readathon!

- Pupils choose what they want to read from comics to classics – anything goes.
- They ask friends and family to sponsor them per book or per minute of reading.
- Sponsors can pay online, so no need to collect money!

Whole school non-uniform day 7th March!

- All money raised will be donated to **Read for Good**.
- Tuck shop at break and lunchtime
 - Raffle to win a hamper
 - Crack the code competition