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Wednesday 25th February 2026

Book Week

Monday 2nd March 2026 – Friday 6th March 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to let you know that we will be celebrating World Book Day at Canvey Island Infant School and Nursery. We have planned a wonderful week of book-related activities to help our children develop a real love for reading!

On **Friday 6th March 2026** all children are invited to either dress up as their favourite story character and bring along the book that they appear in, **or** come to school in their pyjamas and bring along a favourite bedtime story to share.

Costume Guidelines

- Please keep costumes simple and safe for school – **no masks, toy weapons, or dangerous accessories.**
- If you prefer not to buy a costume, some great ideas are:
 - Wearing everyday clothes and adding book-themed accessories (e.g. a hat, scarf, or homemade badge)
 - Dressing as a character using items you already have at home
 - Creating a book character badge or props together as a fun home activity

Books & Belongings

- Please ensure your child brings their chosen book to school, clearly labelled with their name
- Any other belongings brought in for the day should also be named

We would also like to extend a special invitation to our parents and carers to join us for our **Reading Café event**. Weather permitting this will be held in and just outside our library area. In the event of inclement weather, we will move this event into the school hall. For those who attend Pebbles Nursery the Reading Café will be held in the Nursery, please choose the most suitable day to attend for your child's sessions.

Monday 2nd March 2026

Year 2

- Class 2 – 9am-10am
- Class 1 - 10.15am-11.15am

Pebbles Nursery – 2.30pm-3.00pm

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Wednesday 4th March 2026

Year 1

- Class 4 – 9am-10am
- Class 3 - 10.15am–11.15am

Pebbles Nursery – 11am- 11.30am

Thursday 5th March 2026

Reception

- Class 5 – 9am–10am
- Class 6 - 10.15am–11.15am

Pebbles Nursery – 2.30pm-3.00pm (change of date from Friday 6th March)

If you have any questions about World Book Day or our activities, please get in touch with the school office.

Thank you for your support in making reading magical for our children. We look forward to seeing everyone's creative ideas and enjoying a wonderful week together!

Kind regards,

Miss Victoria Bright
English Lead

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