



Gaywood Primary School

March 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to everyone who attended our recent parent consultations. Your support is invaluable and it's always wonderful to see such strong engagement with your child's learning.

World Book Day was a great success with many children dressing up as their favourite book characters and enjoying a variety of reading activities across the school. It was a joy to see their creativity and enthusiasm.

This month, our pupils will have enjoyed enriching trips to the Fitzwilliam Museum, Duxford and the Tower of London. These experiences offer valuable learning beyond the classroom and help bring our curriculum to life.

It is an exciting time in the academic year and I am incredibly proud of our pupils and staff.

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind Regards,

Mr N.Mindham (Executive Headteacher)

Public Speaking Event



Pupils from our school joined others across the West Norfolk Academies Trust to celebrate World Book Day with a literary debate at the King's Lynn Corn Exchange.

Year 5 pupils from six WNAT primary schools – gave group presentations on topics such as online learning, the impact of reading genres on emotional development and whether books are better than films.

“The event helps pupils develop their presentation skills, teaching them to organise and express their ideas clearly and confidently,” said organiser Emma Hunt from the trust. All participants received certificates and goodie bags in recognition of their efforts.



Tuesday 18th March

Year 3 Flag Fen Trip

Wednesday 19th March

Year 6 Duxford Trip

Friday 21st March

Red Nose Day

Tuesday 25th March

Year 2 Ancient House Trip

Wednesday 26th March

Year 4 Williams Tower of London Trip

Thursday 27th March

Year 1 Holkham Trip



World Book Day Brings Stories to Life



The Gruffalo, Harry Potter and Hiccup the Viking were just some of the vibrant characters that brought the school to life for World Book Day on Thursday 6th March.

Pupils and staff dressed as their favourite fictional heroes and heroines, with each year group celebrating a different children's author through themed reading and writing lessons.

"World Book Day celebrates the diversity of stories and encourages a love of reading," said Year 4 Teacher, Mrs Sneath. "It's a fun way to inspire imagination and curiosity."

A big thank you to everyone who took part and made the day a memorable celebration of stories and creativity!



Y3 Netball Competition

Our Year 3 netball team had a fantastic time at the Lynnsport competition, joining fifteen teams from across West Norfolk. They showcased great netball skills, teamwork and most importantly, our core values of respect and resilience.

The team supported each other, showed determination in every game and represented our school brilliantly. Well done to all – you were fantastic ambassadors for our school community!



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