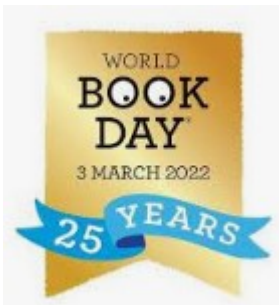




# Templars Primary School Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we celebrated World Book Day at Templars. Twenty-five years ago World Book Day was started, partially as a result of more and more children turning away from books and seeking distraction in videos! This was well before the advent of smartphones, the instant access to a wealth of media content online and the rise of gaming.



During those twenty-five years schools have continued to work hard to improve reading, introducing new and exciting books to the children as well as sharing classic stories and embedding a love of books. World Book day, which celebrates this, is so much more than just dressing up. At Templars we really do value everything that reading brings and I am so grateful for your support with helping our children to become better and more enthusiastic readers in alignment with the ethos of World Book Day. We do this here by having special events such as our Bedtime stories session, and the regular 'Chat Play Read' sessions in Reception - as well as ensuring that the children read every day as part of their lessons. The children were an absolute delight on Monday and it was so lovely to see them engaged in a variety of reading related activities for the majority of the day. As ever thanks for your support in providing wonderful costumes.

If you need child care during the Easter holiday we will be open for Holiday club on each week day except Good Friday and Easter Monday. The charges for a whole day session are £26 or £4 per hour and the club is open from 7.45am - 6.00pm. Please call the school office, speak to Tina on the playground or call the Holiday Club number on 07572 179485 to book a place.

Franklin and Hawkins Funeral directors on Tile Hill lane are collecting donations to send to Ukraine. They are desperately in need of the following items which can be dropped off there, or here at school and one of our grandparents has kindly offered to deliver the donations to Franklin and Hawkins for us.

They need: nappies, toothpaste and brushes, baby wipes, sanitary products, flasks, plasters, bandages, baby formula and baby food, rice and pasta.

Mrs Biddell





# This week in Tweets



**Hope Springs Church** @HopeSpringsCov

Well done 😊 to class 1W from @TemplarsPrimary who made 100 sandwiches in 30 minutes. The sandwiches will be taken by @LangarAid and given to those currently homeless

Amazing work! #alwayshope #Coventry

**Miss Stuart** @Miss\_KStuart

Expectation and reality for 6S's #WorldBookDay 📖 #windowwanderland display! I'm so impressed with their #teamwork today!

4:56 PM · Mar 7, 2022 · Twitter for Android

**Miss N Pryor** @MissNPryor

Today in computing, 1P did some coding work. They worked in pairs but I was super impressed by how much they've improved at completing the coding tasks and using the computer keyboard independently @TemplarsPrimary #primarycomputing #computing

**The Coventry SCITT** @Coventryscitt · Mar 8

Our Primary Trainees had a fantastic active PE session led by @missclean75 @Templarsprimary yesterday with a focus on teaching KS in a range of different sports! It was great to see our trainees using the skills and remembering the joy & excitement that PE offers! #traintoteach

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**The Coventry SCITT** @Coventryscitt · Mar 8

Our primary trainees were also lucky to have a wonderful geography session with @MissMorgan4M @Templarsprimary yesterday afternoon with a focus on lesson planning. They were lucky to observe lessons amid the school's wonderful world book day celebrations.

**Miss Morgan** @MissMorgan4M

4M had a great time comparing two cities: Coventry and Cairo (capital city of Egypt). They used Google Earth to research physical and human features, drew symbols they found and tried to work out which is larger. They then explained which city they prefer! @TemplarsPrimary

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**Mrs Gentry** @Denise\_Gentry1 · 18h

@TemplarsPrimary looking forward to visiting @waterstones\_cov on Saturday to spend our £100 voucher. Hopefully we will get lots of non-fiction books as we really could do with lots more for the children to pick from our reading shelves #lovereadng #nonfiction #discoverbooks

This is only a snapshot of tweets. Follow us-



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TPS 23/ 9/2021



**Thursday 21st April**

**1:30—3pm**

**Kenilworth Rehoming Centre**

**Honiley Road**

**Honiley**

**CV8 1NP**



# **Easter fun for kids with Dogs Trust!**



Join our Education & Community Officer, Courteney, for a **FREE** family workshop to learn all about safe behaviour around dogs and being responsible around our four-pawed friends!

Children aged 7 and above and their grown up welcome!

Places must be booked in advance.

To book or ask any questions please contact [courteney.burgess@dogstrust.org.uk](mailto:courteney.burgess@dogstrust.org.uk)

Children remain the responsibility of the accompanying adult and must be supervised.  
No real dogs will be in attendance at this event.



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