The Newman Catholic Collegiate



St. John the Evangelist Catholic Academy



"Lord be thy word my rule."

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Dear Parents and Carers,

WORLD BOOK DAY is on Thursday 7th March 2024!

We will be studying a whole school text for World Book Day, 'When I was a Child' by the author Andy Stanton and illustrator David Lichfield. It is a stunning book that celebrates the special bond between a grandparent and child as they share the magic, joy and love that can be found in our world.



We will begin our World Book Day with an assembly and then staff will be sharing our book and providing a variety of activities based around it throughout the day.

Share a story: We would like to encourage grandparents, parents and carers to pop into school during the afternoon and either bring or loan a book to read with their child.

Dress up: We would like pupils to bring in a favourite book and dress up as a character from it. Pupils will have the opportunity to parade their costumes and 'guess the character' in our assembly.

£1 Book Voucher: Don't forget to use the voucher sent home with your child to purchase one of the great books on offer.

Many thanks
The English Team