



Newfield Primary School

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National Storytelling Week 2026

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Newfield Primary School will be celebrating National Storytelling Week on Monday 26th January until Friday 30th January.

There will be a range of activities across the week, including the following:

- Scholastic Book Fair: brand new books will be on sale in the library from 3:20pm – 4:00pm every day next week. (Information attached)
- Drop everything and read (D.E.A.R): pupils and staff will spend time next week reading for 10-15 minutes whenever they hear a bell ring.
- Teacher swap: teachers and support staff will visit different classes to read their favourite story or one from their own culture.

We would also like to invite parents into school to read a story to their child's/ children's class. This could be your favourite story or a story from your own culture. Parent storytelling sessions will take place every day across the week from 3:00 – 3:15.

If you would like to volunteer your time and read a story to a class, please complete the slip below and hand it into your child's class teacher so that further arrangements can be made.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,
Ms To
Deputy Head

Child's Name: _____

Class: _____

Parent's Name: _____

I would like to read a story to my child's class.

I would like to read the following story: _____
(Please state if the story is from another culture)

I am available on the following day next week: _____

Headteacher: Ms Sarah L. Bolt

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