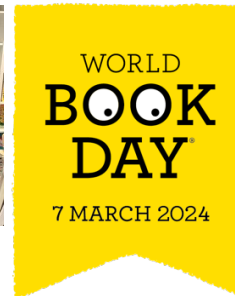




## CELEBRATING WORLD BOOK DAY 2024!

The first week in March is always special at Flo Melly as our children and staff come together to celebrate World Book Day - a day to explore and immerse themselves into the wonderful world of books! This year's theme centred on children unleashing their super powers by reading for pleasure; something we feel very passionately about at our school. The children embraced the celebration and took part in a 'Character Catwalk' and dressed up as a superhero, their favourite book character or wore their pyjamas. The day was action-packed and fun-filled; and most of all, exposed our pupils to reading, books and the adventures they bring! Check out our Twitter feed for more amazing photos, capturing the event!



### IMPORTANT DATES!

- 11/03/24**  
KS2 Science Workshops with LFC
- 12/03/24**  
Year 5 LEGO robotics workshop
- 14/03/24**  
Whole-school Jump into Judaism
- 15/03/24**  
Parent/Carer Online Safety Coffee Morning

### Our Junior Leadership Team Meeting

Our Junior Leadership Team have been working hard to put plans in place for a range of exciting new initiatives designed to make our school better for all of the children. Priority number one - bring back the Dojo cabinet and prizes! The children have made the Senior Leadership Team aware that the Dojos are not working as well as they could. They have made suggestions about how we can improve this and plans are already underway to reignite our approach to rewarding positive behaviour! Hopefully after the Easter break the JLT will be ready to reveal the new cabinet and prizes to the rest of the school! We love to empower our children!



### One World Hate Crime Workshop at a Local School!

Earlier this week, some Year 5 pupils visited Wellesbourne Primary School and participated in a 'One World' workshop with Bully Busters. The aim of the workshop was to educate the children about hate crimes and they participated brilliantly - demonstrating their knowledge and understanding of this important issue!



### Paper-craft Poppy Workshop

Earlier this week, pupils in Year 4 and our friends from 'Scouse Flowerhouse' (a community benefit society) joined forces with artist Ling Raaby Warlow and worked in partnership with banner-maker Peter Carney and the Truth and Legacy project about Hillsborough. The children were tasked with making paper-craft poppies which will be displayed in the Hillsborough Memorial banner this April. What an amazing and important project to be part of - we feel privileged and appreciate the opportunity.



### World Book Day Workshop at the Liverpool Museum

Pupils visited the Liverpool Museum this week as part of a World Book Day themed workshop focussing on creative writing. The event was delivered by the Premier League Primary Stars and brought together pupils from across the city to enhance their knowledge of Liverpool as a city and also the Boot Room boys at LFC.

Head over to our [Twitter](#) and [Flickr](#) feeds for more updates, news and photos!

### ATTENDANCE MATTERS

THIS WEEK'S YEAR GROUP ATTENDANCE!

- Nursery (98.6%)
- Year 4 (95.0%)
- Year 3 (93.5%)

CLASSES ABOVE 97% THIS WEEK...

- All day Nursery and 4D
- 100% ATTENDEES...
- This week: 367 pupils
- Year to date: 46 pupils

WHOLE-SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FIGURES

- 92.7%**  
Whole-school attendance this week!
- 93.5%**  
Whole-school attendance this year!





## End of the Week Update for Parents/Carers - Friday 8th March 2024

### Design Technology - Year 5 - Cooking and Nutrition - It's Carnival Time!

Pupils in Year 5 enjoyed the next stage of their Design and Technology - Cooking and Nutrition topic earlier this week. They paid South America a visit and used the theme of Brazilian Carnival to inspire their cooking. Pupils diced, sliced, smashed and drizzled in order to create a delicious chimichurri steak and mango pepper salad in honour of the event. Miss Jen helped the children perfect their knife skills and taught them the best way to tackle preparing a mango!



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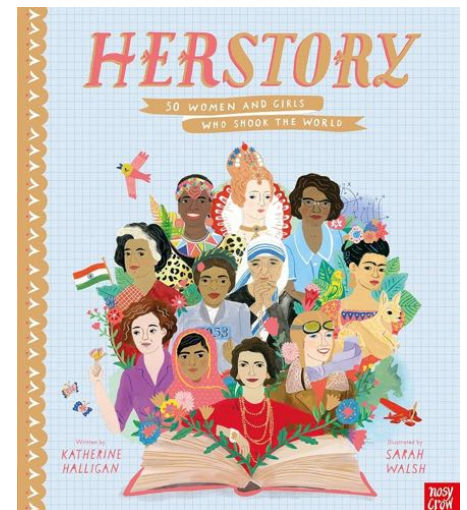
### Micah Liverpool - Feeding Liverpool - The Flo Melly Pantry!

Earlier this week, a parent who is part of our Parent/Carer Focus Group signposted us to Micah Liverpool - an amazing charity with the mission to relieve Liverpool residents from social injustice and poverty. They are currently running projects to combat unemployment and deliver emergency food aid and affordable food. If you are in need of emergency food assistance, you are welcome to attend one of their food banks. More details can be found by clicking this link: <https://micahliverpool.com/our-food-bank/>. You may also find help in your local area through the 'Feeding Liverpool' website: <https://www.feedingliverpool.org/community-food-spaces/map/>. They organise community food spaces where local people come together around good food. Alternatively, please see Mr Doyle, who runs our own Flo Melly Pantry - we are always here to help!

### Weekly Book Recommendation for Children...

There was not enough space on the first page of the newsletter this week, so this week's book recommendation made the back page! We didn't want you missing out altogether!

In honour of International Women's Day, which we celebrated today, this week's book recommendation is [Herstory: 50 Women and Girls Who Shook the World \(Stories That Shook Up the World\) by Katherine Halligan](#). HerStory celebrates incredible women throughout history. Some of these figures are very well known; others have been forgotten by most, which is why we need this book to bring them back in the spotlight. From artists, teachers, scientists and mathematicians, HerStory covers a broad sweep of history, zeroing in on qualities of bravery, creativity, cleverness, kindness and hope. It's perfect for children aged 9-12, although younger and older ones will get a lot out of it, too. The perfect book for International Women's Day!



Have an amazing weekend and a big shout out to all the mums out there (and dads, nans, grandads, aunties, uncles and carers - who all play the role of mum in some families) - Happy Mother's Day to you!

See you all on Monday morning - bright and early!

Mr Leach  
Headteacher