

World Book Day 'Share a Story'

On Thursday 7th March, ten pupils from Year 10 were chosen to 'Share a Story' with ten members of staff to celebrate 'World Book Day'. Staff met pupils during tutor time in the library and it was clear that all the attendees embraced the opportunity to discuss their chosen texts. There was a real 'buzz' in the library throughout the event, suggesting that both pupils and staff enjoyed sharing their reading experiences on a one-to-one basis.



Some staff inspired pupils to read their favourite stories from school; whereas, others promoted different reading experiences for pupils, such as using a Kindle or downloading newspaper apps, like 'The Times' and 'The Guardian'.

I would like to thank all the staff and pupils involved for making it a great success. Hopefully, a similar event will take place before the end of the academic year.

Mrs Lees



At Broughton, we make a conscious effort to have **respect for the great minds** that have gone before us. Each of the tutor groups has an initial (B, C, H, N, R, S) which represents a famous person from history who has made a significant contribution to the Arts or the Sciences. This week, 7B have been discussing the origin of the B in 7B: **Benjamin Britten** (1913-1976).

Edward Benjamin Britten was an English composer, conductor and pianist. He is best-known for his substantial operatic output, including Peter Grimes, Billy Budd and The Turn of the Screw.

The War Requiem, first performed on 30 May 1962, is among the most famous of Britten's works. It was commissioned to mark the consecration of Coventry Cathedral, which was rebuilt following a bombing raid in World War II. The music sets the traditional Latin text of the Requiem Mass alongside war poetry by Wilfred Owen.

Britten lived most of his life in Aldeburgh, in the red house, next to the golf course where he would take brisk afternoon strolls to clear his head for more composing. His house is now open to the public and is run by the Britten-Pears Foundation: a creative home where music was written and performed, art collected and two lives shared. He was the first composer ever to be honoured with a life peerage, and became Baron Britten, of Aldeburgh in the County of Suffolk in 1976.

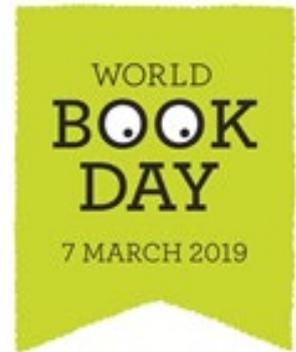
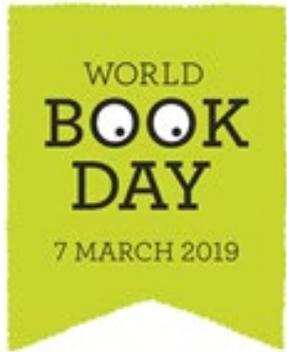
Ella Downing, 9B, says: *"I respect Britten because he sounds like a very creative person. I am also creative when I choreograph new dances and I am inspired to continue."*

Mrs Hardman

Learn it CHALLENGE

Current Affairs

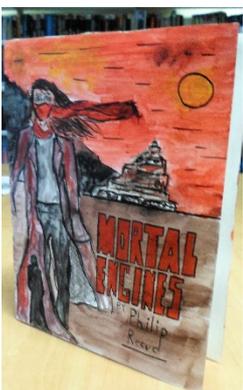
1. The initials BAME represent **Black, Asian, Minority Ethnic** background.
2. The **Dragon Space X** is the space capsule which recently successfully docked itself on to the International Space Station.
3. **Laura Muir** is the athlete who won two gold medals at the recent European Indoor Athletics championships.
4. A dam collapsed recently in **Brazil**, killing 186 people in the town of Brumadinho.
5. **Money laundering** is the name given when stolen or illegitimate money is used to buy property or invest in savings or shares.
6. The warmest winter day in February, with a temperature of 21.2°C, was experienced in **Kew Gardens, London**.
7. Research has revealed that **Mr Greedy** is the children's book which is almost as complex as the text 'Of Mice and Men'.
8. **Scala** is the name of the new classical music radio station launched in early March.
9. The ingredients for a Pancake are: **Plain flour, eggs, milk, oil (optional lemon/sugar)**.
10. **Tsar** is the historical name is given to someone appointed to lead and coordinate a national initiative, such as tackling knife crime.



We had a very busy World Book Day here in the library with lots of pupils getting involved in all the various activities. Tutor Groups pitted their wits against each other in our 'Guess the Book Title' picture quiz with **8N** correctly guessing an impressive 22 titles out of the 27 clues. They were very closely followed by **7C** and **9B**.



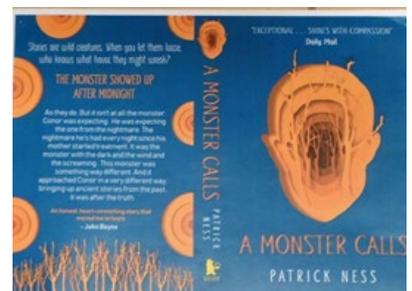
Our 'Design a Book Cover' competition also proved popular and as we had numerous imaginative and creative entries it proved very difficult to pick a winner. Our esteemed panel of judges eventually cast their votes and it was a draw for first place in **KS3** with **Ella Hewitt, Frances Park and Grace Ramsey** representing **8B** with a fantastic re-imagining of the 'Hansel and Gretel' book cover made with real sweets and **Phoebe Mason** representing **7B** with an intricate and detailed drawing of 'Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix'. Runners up were **Ben Fishwick 7S** for his Harry Potter cover and **Libby Church, Mia Duncan and Niamh Fisher 7C** for their detailed



cover of 'The Secret Garden'. Special mention must also go to **Olivia Huskisson 7H, Hannah Taylor 7N and Emma Powell 8C** who narrowly missed out on a top three placing. First place in the **KS4** competition went to **Stanley Mason 10B**, who re-created a book with a beautifully painted cover of 'The Mortal Engines.' Coming a close second place was **Daniel Sharples 10S** with a fantastic and clever re-imagining of the cover for 'A Monster Calls'. **Emily Dainty and Molly Baines 10B** came in third with a stand out 3D cover for 'Stolen'. Special mention must also go to entries from **Ben Samuels 11N, Ashleigh Panter 10R and Emma Kelly 10R**.



In the 'Guess the Staff Shelfie' competition. **Ethan McCobb, Joshua Worsley and Ely Graveson** managed to match an impressive 16 out of the 18 bookshelves to the correct member of staff and in our 'Match the Book Cover to the blurb' competition, **Ben Fishwick 7S and Toby Porter 7N** were the only two to correctly match all 12.



Finally, the winner of our Golden Ticket competition was **Hannah Patel 7N** who wins a signed book.

Thank you to all who took part and especially, **Mrs Englishby, Mr Morris** and **Mr Brandwood** for judging the book cover designs.

Mrs Whitlock

Annual Indoor Athletics Championships at Preston's College

Last Wednesday, fourteen pupils from Broughton competed in the annual Indoor Athletics Championships for Year 7 at Preston's College. Pupils participated in a variety of athletic events ranging from the 2 lap sprint, 4 x 2 lap relay, 6 laps, standing triple jump, speed bounce and the shot to name a few. The Broughton pupils have been attending a number of practice sessions with student teacher Miss Hargreaves in preparation for the event on a Monday lunch time and after school. This preparation showed throughout the day with some excellent performances from both the boys and girls team on the day. With both teams placing in the top 2 in the vast majority of the track events, with the girls' relay team winning their 4 x 2 lap race by over 7 seconds.



There were some outstanding performances in the field, with **Noah Bunting** completing 83 speed bounces in 30 seconds and **Amelia Rose Battersby** going one better for the girls with 84. Again Broughton were in the top 2 for the majority of the events. Individually the boys placed second only 9 points behind Archbishop, and the girls again pipped the boys and secured first place by 31 points over their nearest rivals. Overall, Broughton as a combined team, score took overall first place.

The **Year 7 girls' team** now **join the Year 8 boys and girls** at the **Lancashire final on Wednesday at Blackpool**, where they will be **representing Preston**.

Well done to everyone in the team, and to the Year 9 pupils who came and officiated the day. As always, you were a credit to the school.

Mr Marquis

Girls' Sporting News

Broughton girls' U15 indoor cricket team defeated Our Lady's and Ashton last Monday evening to go through to represent Preston at the North West Lancashire competition at Blackpool on Friday. There they played five games, winning all but one, which they narrowly lost by 7 runs. It was a fantastic performance by all the girls involved, and they **now join the U13 team in the final of the Lancashire competition**. Well done.

Team

**Zainab Nalla, Victoria Latham, Maryam Nalla,
Izzy Finley, Emma Hurst,
Charlotte Parkinson, Sarah Reid,
Emma Walsh, Katy Redmond**



Last Wednesday, the **girls' U16 football team** played their final league game in the Preston district competition. The match was at home against Our Lady's, and with both teams having won all matches so far, the result of this match would decide which team were through to play at Deepdale in the Preston final later this year. It was clear from the start that Our Lady's had come to frustrate the attack-minded Broughton side. Broughton dominated possession, but could not find a way through the deep Our Lady's defence. A good performance from the Our Lady's keeper added to the Broughton frustration, and the game played out a 0-0 draw.

Broughton finished top with a superior goal difference, so will be **through to play at Deepdale later in the year**. Well done girls.

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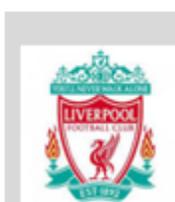
**Cody-Jane Pannett, Georgia Hills, Ellie Jules, Fran Lyons, Daisy Mason,
Emma Kelly, Poppy Leatherland, Molly Capps, Anna Tsimboykas**

Mrs Rukin

Word of the Week

Porous (adj)

- minute holes through which liquid or water may pass
- not retentive or secure



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“... the Watford defence was porous ...”

Revision Techniques

Active revision is the key!
Reading through notes is not good enough.



Did you know that creating things dramatically helps your memory and retention skills?

Revision cards

- Question or key word on one side.
- Answer or definition on the other side.

Pupils can test themselves or ask someone to test them. Pupils should then make a pile with all the questions they know how to answer and one with the ones they did not get right so they can test themselves again.

Cards on sale at school.
20p per pack (white)
30p per pack (coloured)

A LITTLE BIT OF MATHS EVERY DAY ... (NUMBER SKILLS)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
<h1>MARCH 2019</h1>				1 What is 10% of 4 million?	2 A box contains 2.8 kg of washing powder. jake uses 65 grams of powder for each wash. He uses all the powder. How many washes did jake do?	3
4 Calculate $\frac{42}{100} - \frac{17}{100}$	5 What is ? $\frac{3}{4} \div 12$	6 Which is larger 60% of 40 or 40% of 60?	7 Whats the missing number? ____ - 15 = 702	8 Work out $24 \div 0.5$	9 10 Rich says that a cube has the same number of vertices as edges. Is he correct. Explain your answer	
11 Put these numbers in size order (smallest first) 3.76 3.076 3.670 3.07	12 Calculate $954 \div 6$	13 Round 468 to the nearest 100	14 Simplify $\frac{32}{24}$	15 work out 18×27	16 17 julia has 2 litres of orange juice. She pours this into glasses that hold 175ml. How many glasses can she fill?	
18 What is 12×0.6 ?	19 What is 0.03×0.2 ?	20 Calculate 15% of 56	21 Calculate $5^2 - (49 \div 7)$	22 What number is 50 times greater than 9?	23 24 What numbers are common factors of 12 and 18? What is the lowest common multiple of 12 and 18?	
25 What is 55% of 400?	26 Round 10489 to the nearest 1000	27 What is $\frac{4}{5}$ of 35	28 What is $249 \div 100$?	29 Calculate $150 \div 25$	30 31 A farmer is packing eggs. Each box holds six eggs. The farmer has 980 eggs to pack. How many boxes does he need?	

REMEMBER: THE BEST WAY TO REVISE MATHS IS TO "DO MATHS"!



Online Safety Newsletter: March 2019

Tik Tok including Musical.ly

Music.ly was closed in August last year and users were automatically migrated to TikTok. TikTok state that users must be aged 13+.



Users can watch musical clips, record 60 second clips, edit them and add special effects. Due to the nature of this app, videos may be inappropriate for some users due to their sexual nature or explicit language.

If you do choose to allow your child to set up an account then we recommend users have a private account to control who can see their videos and who can send them messages. Even with a private account, profile information (profile photo, username and bio) is seen by all users so ensure your child understands not to reveal any personal information in their profile e.g. don't wear a school uniform in your profile picture. To set your child's account to private:

- Go to your profile page, Tap on the top right corner and select "Privacy and Settings", Select "Privacy and Safety" option and toggle "Private Account" on/off

Tik Tok includes a 'Digital Wellbeing feature' to control the amount of time your child spends on the app and a 'Restricted mode' to limit the appearance of content that may be inappropriate. To set this:

- Select "Digital Wellbeing" under the app settings, tap "Turn On" and set a passcode, Toggle "Screen Time Management" and/or "Restricted Mode"

More information is available here:

http://support.tiktok.com/?ht_kb=for-parents

Do you know what Catfishing is?

This is when someone creates a fake online profile pretending they are somebody else to trick others. People of all ages have been 'catfished'. More information is available here: <https://nationalonlinesafety.com/resources/platform-guides/catfishing-online-safety-guide/>

Secret Conversations on Facebook

Whilst Facebook is less popular amongst teenagers it is still worthwhile keeping up to date with all features.

Secret conversations have been available for a while now but not everyone is aware of them.

Messages (which can include text, stickers and photos) can only be viewed on the device from which they've been sent so even if you have your child's account details, you won't be able to see the messages if you are not on the same device. Plus, secret conversations can be sent with a timer so that they disappear from their phone and the recipient's phone within a set time e.g. 10 seconds.

Secret conversations can be reported and/or the person can be blocked. It is important to ensure that your child knows how to use the reporting tools of any apps/websites that they use and they know to tell a trusted adult if they do have any concerns.

Further information is available here:

<https://parentinfo.org/article/staying-safe-on-facebook-secret-conversations-a-parent-s-guide>

Advertising on Social Media

Instagram

Instagram are doing more to support vulnerable users and will now not allow any graphic images of self-harm, such as cutting on their platform. More information here:

<https://instagram-press.com/blog/2019/02/07/changes-were-making-to-do-more-to-support-and-protect-the-most-vulnerable-people-who-use-instagram>

Do you know the average age of an online gamer?

Average Female age = 36

Average Male age = 32

PEGI ratings explained



This rating means that the game contains elements that encourage or teach gambling. Games with this sort of content are PEGI 12, PEGI 16 or PEGI 18.

A recent BBC Panorama investigation found that a teenager lost money on a gambling-type game which was promoted by a YouTuber who the child followed (source:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bbcthree/article/c8b3c39d-84df-4424-b42f-c04f26c8560f>).

Following this, we thought it important that young people learn and understand that people they follow on social media may, at times, be paid by brands to promote their product in some way.

The endorser must make it clear they are doing this (or in the UK they are

breaking the law) by adding some form of disclosure e.g. #ad. However, there are several YouTubers who are endorsing products and don't always clearly disclose that their post is an ad.



From April, gambling adverts will no longer be allowed to appear on websites or in computer games that are popular with children. Full story here:

<https://www.theguardian.com/media/2019/feb/13/gambling-adverts-banned-child-friendly-websites-games>

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Tellonym (a play on the words "Tell on him") 13+ to register (17+ on iOS devices)

There are lots of anonymous messaging apps and websites out there, Tellonym is one of them. To register, a user must state that they are 13+ (on iOS devices, you must state you are over 17). A user then receives a link that they can share on other social media channels so people can ask them a question anonymously. Users can block other users, set a filter to block specific words and can also report inappropriate messages. **Due to the anonymous nature of this app it can be misused and cyberbullying is a concern.** As with all apps that your child is accessing, we encourage you to explore it yourself first to evaluate it. Just looking at the reviews for this app will raise concerns.

More information is available from Commonsense Media: <https://www.commonsemmedia.org/app-reviews/tellonym>