

Newcomen Primary School Global Awareness

Thursday 8th September 2024

International Literacy Day

Designed in 1967 by UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation)

“ Literacy is not just about educating, it is a unique and powerful tool to eradicate poverty and a strong means for social and human progress.”

How to celebrate?

- Discussion with children with extra focus on reading and writing.
- Ask children to imagine what life would be like without the privilege of being literate.
- How does the ability to read and write empower them?

13th September 2024

Roald Dahl Day

Born in 1916 and died in 1990. (He would be 108 on this day.)

How to celebrate?

- Share a Roald Dahl book during shared reading.
- Discuss what made Roald Dahl such a successful author.
- www.roalddahl.com for many more ideas.

Friday 27th September

Macmillan Cancer Support – Charity Coffee Morning

Event to be held in the Hudson Wing. All donations welcome.