



Free World Book Day author events with Hillingdon Libraries

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Following our hugely successful programme of virtual and in-person author events for World Book Day 2023, we are delighted to be offering author events for **KS1, KS2 and KS3** again in 2024. All events take place week of 19th February 2024 and are a great way to get your students ready for World Book Day.

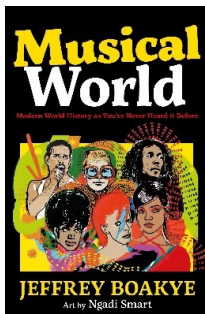
Virtual sessions will take place on Microsoft teams at 9.30am followed by in-person events which will take place at either Compass Theatre Ickenham or at Winston Churchill Theatre, Ruislip at 10.45am. A limited number of spaces will be offered for the in-person events to each school on a first come first serve basis.

All events are free of charge, but schools will need arrange transportation to in person events.

Tuesday 20th February – Compass Theatre, Ickenham

Ally Sherrick, the award-winning author of stories full of history, mystery and adventure. Her session is based around her historical mystery thriller Vita & the Gladiator, set in Roman London.

Suitable for years 4-6



Wednesday 21st February. *Virtual sessions only*

Jeffrey Boakye, critically acclaimed author and broadcaster.

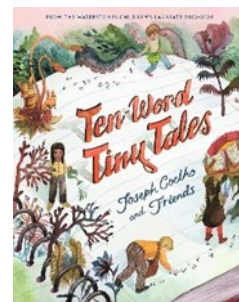
His session is a fusion of music and facts, based around his non-fiction title Musical World, a journey exploring modern world history.

Suitable for years 5-8

Thursday 22nd February – Winston Churchill Theatre, Ruislip

Joseph Coelho, the current Children's Laureate and award-winning author. His session is based on Ten-Word Tiny Tales. Is it possible to spin a tale using just ten words? Join Joe to find out.

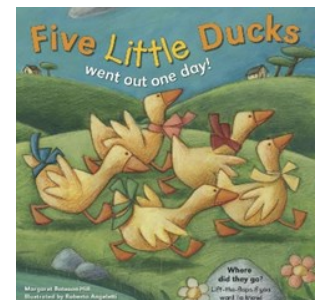
Suitable for years 2-4



Friday 23rd February – Winston Churchill Theatre, Ruislip

Margaret Bateson-Hill, author and acclaimed storyteller. The virtual session for younger pupils will be based around Five Little Ducks and the in-person theatre event will be based on Lao Lao of Dragon Mountain.

Virtual session for Reception Year pupils
In-person appearance for Years 1 & Years 2



To register for a place please contact Gill Welch on gwelch@hillingdon.gov.uk or Sam Everett on severett@hillingdon.gov.uk or call 01895 556262.