

World Book Day Vocabulary and Literacy Challenge

Learning objective: To develop vocabulary and deepen understanding of literary terminology in preparation for World Book Day celebrations.

Read the front of each flashcard carefully. Try to recall the definition or answer before checking the 'Answer' side. Use these terms to enhance your creative writing tasks.

Protagonist

The leading character or one of the major characters in a book or story.

Genre

A particular category of artistic composition, such as mystery, fantasy, or historical fiction.

Narrator

The person or voice telling the story to the reader.

Blurb

A short, promotional description on the back of a book designed to entice a reader to pick it up.

Plot

The sequence of events that make up a story, including the conflict and the resolution.

Characterisation

The way an author reveals the personality and traits of a character through their actions, thoughts, and dialogue.

Setting

The location and time period in which the action of the story takes place.

Vocabulary

The body of words used in a particular language or by a specific author to convey meaning and imagery.

Theme

The central message, moral, or big idea explored throughout a piece of writing.

Author

The writer of a book, article, or other text.