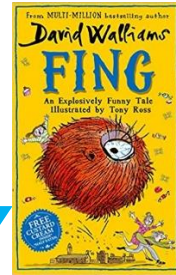


# **WORLD BOOK DAY**



**World Book Day is a registered charity with an aim to give everyone a book of their own. It's also a celebration of authors, illustrators, books and reading. In fact, it's the biggest celebration of its kind, designated by UNESCO countries all over the world.**

**In different countries, they celebrate different ways.**

**In Sweden, the day is known as *Världsbokdagen* (World Book Day) and the copyright aspect is seldom mentioned. Although it is normally celebrated on the 23<sup>th</sup> April, it was moved to the 13<sup>th</sup> in the year 2000 and 2011 to avoid a clash with Easter.**

**In Kensington, Maryland and the International Day of the book is celebrated with a street festival on the Sunday the closest to 26<sup>th</sup> April.**

**This is the 22<sup>nd</sup> year there's been a World Book Day, and on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2019, children of all ages will come together to appreciate reading. Very loudly and very happily.**

**Usually, book tokens to get books for free.**

