#### Newcomen Primary School Global Awareness

## Thursday 8th September 2022

#### 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?

# 13<sup>Th</sup> September 2022

#### Roald Dahl Day

Born in 1916 and died in 1990. (He would be 107 on this day.)

## How to celebrate?

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

## Monday 19th September

#### Recycle Week

The theme for this year's recycle week is – Lets get real.

#### How to celebrate?

- Discussion with children around, recycling, waste, protecting the planet. Promote the benefit of recycling and impact.
- www.wrap.org.uk for further ideas and suggestions.

## Friday 30th September

## <u>Macmillan Cancer Support – Charity Coffee Morning</u>

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