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Celebrate Roald Dahl Day on 13 September and pay homage to one of the world's best-loved storytellers

ww.roalddahlday.info is the official website to visit to celebrate Roald Dahl Day 2008. Packed with wondiferous activities and resources, as well as all the latest information on what's going on - be sure to check out this website to help you plan your Dahl extravaganza. This article focuses on the 'Treats' section of the website, but there's also a 'Your pictures' and 'Books' section to feast your eyes on, as well as the Roald Dahl Day blog. Visit www.scholastic.co.uk/junioredplus for some exclusive classroom activities to enjoy on the day.



REVOLTING RHYMI

Tremendiferous treats

For Roald Dahlinspired games and activities, select the 'Treats' option from the main menu. Here, you'll find teacher resources, fun activities and an image bank.

Ooh – how rude!

Children can try their hands at their own Revolting Rhymes with this lively worksheet, found in the 'Fun Activities' section. Challenge them to fill in the missing gaps to discover an alternative Cinderella story, then dabble with other favourite tales to create their own repulsive, revolting and rude renditions!

Slugs and stuff

Inspired by George's Marvellous Medicine, combine art with D&T to create a Grim Grandma Pop-up Card. Great for incorporating into D&T Unit 4B

'Storybooks' – children will love the 'urgh' factor in this task.

Get the party started

Promote the big day with a Roald Dahl Day poster and stickers (found within 'Downloadables'). Available in A4 or A3, the poster challenges children to partake in a variety of high-humoured tasks, while the vibrant stickers will help kick start the party.

Roll up, roll up

Transform your classroom walls by creating your own superb Roly-Poly Birds. Follow the simple step-by-step instructions on the worksheet found in 'Jane Bull Activities' and then use the finished feathered wonders to accompany literacy work inspired by the great Roald Dahl. There's also Concertina Crocs to make for another snappy display idea.

A chocolate cheers

The Hot Choc Swudge Drink makes for a fitting toast to the well-loved children's author. It also lends itself perfectly to a creative topic on chocolate. (Subscribers can search for 'chocolate' at www.scholastic.co.uk/



junioredplus for more chocolate-themed activities.)



ROLY-POLY BIRD