



Potato Book Character Competition

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DAY**
6 MARCH 2025

Create a World Book Day potato book character and enter our competition for a chance to win a **VIP 'Meet and Greet Lunch'**, in school on Thursday 6th March, with visiting author – **Alex Atkinson** of '*Spooksmiths Investigates: The Cinderman*'.

What you need:

- X1 large (baking) potato
- Felt pens/permanent markers/paint
- Scissors
- Glue
- Various Craft supplies – googly eyes, pipe cleaners, coloured card, buttons, tissue paper, sequins, feathers, wooden sticks etc.



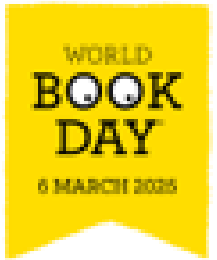
What to do:

1. Think of a **favourite story character** from a book you have read – it could be the hero/heroine of the hour OR the funniest/most evil/most unique character you have ever come across!
2. Collect any paper, card, old newspapers/magazines, craft or recycled materials that you may wish to use AND a large baking potato.
3. Create your World Book Day potato character! You can use the attached **Design Sheet** to sketch/plan your creation first, before making it.
4. You may wish to paint your potato a base colour then let it dry before decorating it with other materials. The more imaginative the better!
5. Complete the **competition entry form** and bring your finished potato character into school on World Book Day - **Thursday 6th March**. **Entries will be displayed in the Hall and available to view after school from 3.30pm-4.00pm.**





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ENTRY FORM

Fill in the information below then bring this form to school, along with your Potato Character competition entry, on World Book Day: **Thursday 6th March**. Place both your potato and this form in the Hall on your designated Year Group/Class table for judging.

Name: _____

Class: _____

Potato Character: _____

Inspired by the Book: _____

**All entries will be available for viewing in the school Hall
between 3.30-4.30pm on Thursday 6th March.**

PRIZES

One winning entry per class will be selected to attend a VIP 'Meet & Greet' lunch with author Alex Atkinson. Other "Super Spud" prizes will also be awarded for creativity, effort and imagination.

All entries will receive a small treat for participating! 😊

My Potato Character design sheet

Which character am I using as my inspiration?

What colour scheme am I going for?

