

World Book Night 2012: Frequently Asked Questions

Can libraries which aren't public register to be pick-up points?

This year it will only be public libraries that can be pick-up points. We would encourage other libraries who want to be involved to hold events for bookgivers on World Book Night.

Can we still designate our public library as a WBN pick-up point?

Unfortunately not. The deadline for registration was the end of December.

Can I still register to be a bookgiver?

Unfortunately not. The deadline for registration was the end of January.

My local library is registered as a pick-up point, why are they not appearing for me to select?

If you cannot find a library (that you know has been registered as a pick-up point) on the list, the reason will be one of two things. If you search by library name rather than postcode or address it will not appear. Nor will it appear if the amount of givers that the library can accept (as stated on the initial sign up form) has been filled.

For library staff who are also givers who wish to collect from a pick-up point that is no longer appearing in the search, please email this address – worldbooknight@readingagency.org.uk with 'EXTRA BOOKGIVER ALLOCATION' in the subject line, acknowledging that the library will be willing to accept the extra box of books and giving their details by **Monday 12 March**.

When will we find out if we have been designated as a pick-up point?

Libraries will be informed of approximate giver quantities in the week commencing **Monday 19 March**. The deadline for selecting pick-up points has been extended to allow givers who have not made their selection yet to do so. Once we have this information we will supply all library authorities with a master list of bookgivers, with their names, nominated pick-up points, chosen book and contact details.

We are experiencing difficulties with the World Book Night website

Please contact the World Book Night team directly at info@worldbooknight.org

What will happen to the 520,000 books that aren't given away by bookgivers?

480,000 books will be given out by book givers on World Book Night. The remainder of the one million books will be distributed at a steady rate throughout the rest of the year to prisons and libraries to maximise World Book Night's reach. More details of the programme will be announced when they become available.

The Briefing Pack mentions a World Book Night poster, where can we get one?

You can download a digital version of the poster [here](#).

When will I find out if I have been chosen to be a bookgiver?

Successful applicants will be informed in the week commencing Monday 13 February and then asked to nominate their preferred pick-up point.

When will the books be delivered to libraries?

Deliveries of the books will start from Monday 9 April with the view to being complete by the end of the week. Givers will be alerted that books have been dispatched on Monday 16 April.

What do we do if a bookgiver does not collect their books?

If books remain uncollected by the evening of 23 April, then we encourage libraries to use the extra books for any World Book Night events they are hosting and hand them out on the night.

We would like to hold an even at our library, what should we do?

If you would like advice holding an event on or around World Book Night please contact worldbooknight@readingagency.org.uk.

Is there any more information about World Book Night?

Yes, we have a WBN Briefing Pack which you can download [here](#).