

GIVE A BOOK

BECAUSE READING MATTERS

“Reading is the key that unlocks another world.”

Eden, 12 years old

“1 in 3 children don’t have a book of their own.”

National Literacy Trust

“Over 50% of prisoners have a reading age of below 11.”

Prison Governor

Give a Book is a UK-based charity that started in May 2011 with the sole aim of giving books where they will be of particular benefit. Our core belief is that to pass on a good read – to give someone a book – is a transaction of worth.

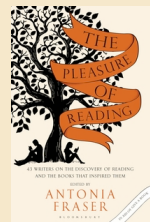
New books are distributed to partner charities and groups including:

- **Breakfast Book Clubs** for children hungry in all sorts of ways.
- **Prison Reading Groups, Reading Ahead** and other prison projects.
- **First Story** who put writers into challenging schools.
- **Books in the Nick** - books for detainees in police custody suites.
- **Doorstep Library** who read to children in some of the most disadvantaged areas.
- **Various schools and other literacy projects** where pupils frequently have never had a book in their life.



Every month, just to show how much reading matters, we invite a special guest to recommend a favourite book to go on our website.

Some of the people who have shared a special book with us include: **Antonia Fraser, Julia Donaldson, Dominic West, Howard Jacobson, Michael Morpurgo, Martin Rees, HRH The Duchess of Cornwall, Alan Bennett, Andy McNab, Matt Smith, Colin Firth, Quentin Blake, David Attenborough** and others...



Give a Book is dependent on the generosity of philanthropic trusts, individual donors, fundraising events and sales of *The Pleasure of Reading*.

Donate online at www.giveabook.org.uk.

Every £5 donation gives a book to someone who really needs one.

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If you would like to support Give a Book you can choose to make a single donation or set up a standing order to donate regularly. A regular gift will enable us to plan a sustainable future for the charity.

Please send either a cheque—payable to Give a Book—or this completed form for a standing order, to:

Give a Book, 112-114 Holland Park Avenue, London W11 4UA

Registered charity no. 1149664.

First Name: Last Name:

Address:

Postcode: Tel No.

Email:

We would like to keep you informed of news and events involving Give a Book. Please tick here if you are happy to receive details.

Banker's Order – Instruction to your bank/building society to make regular donations by standing order

To the manager (bank name)

Of (bank address)

Postcode: Account Holder:

Sort Code: Account Number:

Instruction to your bank or building society (please allow one month before first payment)

Please pay the sum of £..... on the..... (day) of..... (month) 20. and on the same day of each succeeding month/quarter/year (delete as appropriate) until further notice to:

Account name: **Give a Book**

Account number: **68654200**

Sort code: **60 15 33**

Address: **NatWest Bank,**

46 Notting Hill Gate,

London W11 3HZ

Signature(s) Date

GIFT AID DECLARATION

I am a UK taxpayer and I wish Give a Book to treat all donations I have made during the previous six years and all future donations to Gift Aid until I notify you otherwise.

* To qualify for Gift Aid you must have paid or will pay an amount of Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax for each tax year (6 April to 5 April) that is at least equal to the amount of tax that the charities that I donate to will reclaim on my gifts for that tax year. I understand that other taxes such as VAT and Council Tax do not qualify. I understand the charity will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 that I give.

Signature(s) Date