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Dear Parent/Carer

WORLD BOOK DAY

Thursday 07 March 2019

World Book Day, which takes place on Thursday 07 March 2019, celebrates the joy and value of books and the art of reading.

On Thursday 07 March, your child may attend school dressed as his/her favourite book character. For this privilege the children will be asked to donate one pound and the money raised will help to purchase new books for your child's book corner in their classroom.

There will also be the opportunity for each child to enter an in-house competition. Children are being asked to turn a potato into a book character of their choice. All of the potato designs, which need to be brought into your child's classroom on the day, will be judged in the school hall by the children and there will be one winner (chosen by the children) selected from each year group.

There will be various activities happening across the day; making book marks, teachers reading aloud to a different class and a parade of all the fantastic costumes to the whole school.

Each child will be given a £1 World Book Day token. This can either be exchanged for one of ten special £1 World Book Day books, or it can be used towards the cost of any book priced at £2.99 or more. The token can be redeemed at most UK bookshops (e.g. W H Smith).

The joys and benefits of reading are enormous and we, in school, hope to continue to encourage and enthuse your child with a love for reading that will last well beyond World Book Day.

Thank you for your support.

With best wishes

S Davies

Mrs S Davies

Acting Headteacher

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Class Teacher

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Class Teacher