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Tuesday 27th February

**World Book Day**

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March**

Dear Parents and carers,

As part of our drive to maintain, promote and engage pupil interest in reading, the school is having a WORLD BOOK day on **Thursday 7th March.**

**On this special day, your child can come to school dressed as a favourite character from any book.** During the day, the children will be participating in lots of exciting activities, sharing their own favourite book from home, sharing teacher's favourite books and learning poems to perform to the school!

**On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March,** the Book Fair will be in school. The children will have a chance to visit the Book Fair during the day and browse for books. **Children can bring up to £10 into school in a named envelope or purse/wallet.**

There will also be the opportunity to purchase books from the fair from 3:15pm, once the children have been collected from class. **The Book Fair will be held in the old Pugwash nursery space.**

**World book day £1 vouchers can be used on all books at the fair.**

**Year 5 and 6 will have swimming that day. Please avoid face paints as any designs will come off in the water. The simpler the costume, the better this will be for changing in and out of the pool.**

It would be good to discuss with your child different characters from their favourite books. Again, the dressing up possibilities are endless: Postman Pat, Oliver Twist, Fantastic Mr Fox, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, James and the Giant Peach, Danny- Champion of the World, Matilda, Goldilocks, Jack and the Beanstalk, Where's Wally, The Twits, Cinderella, Gruffalo, Elmer the Elephant, Three little Pigs, Harry Potter, Hermione Granger, Pippi Longstocking, etc...

Reading different books every evening, in preparation would be great! So get thinking and reading! We look forward to seeing your child dressed up for the special day on Thursday 7th March.

Best Wishes,

Miss F Brassleay  
Deputy Headteacher