



Thursday 25th February 2021

World Book Day

On **Thursday 4th March** we will be celebrating World Book Day. We would love everyone to take part in celebrating this special day and sharing our love for books, stories and poems. As is tradition, we are inviting children and staff to dress as their favourite book character. Please do not feel the need to go out and buy an outfit. In fact, homemade ones are even better. There are lots of examples on the internet if you are struggling for ideas. If your child is learning from home, teachers will be looking forward to seeing their costumes during the Zoom sessions.

Attached to this letter are a range of activities that everyone can take part in. Do not forget to take pictures of your costumes and any activities you complete and send them to your class emails. We love seeing the learning which takes place at home.

If you visit <https://www.worldbookday.com/events/> at 10:30am on Wednesday 3rd March, Thursday 4th March and Friday 5th March you will be able to watch a number of authors who will be sharing their favourite books. These will also be available to watch on YouTube after the event. If you visit the website prior to the event, you can also post questions for the authors!

As well as this, if you visit <https://www.worldbookday.com/share-a-story-corner/> you can listen to stories whilst looking at the pictures. There are also activities to download related to the books.

David Walliams is also delivering a 'World Book Day' special assembly on Tuesday 2nd March. If you visit <https://www.worldofdavidwalliams.com/join-david-walliams-for-his-amaaaazing-assembly-for-world-book-day/> you can register your household.

We hope you enjoy this special day. Happy reading!

Kind Regards

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English Leader

