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Dear Parents/Carers

This year we are celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 7th March, in line with National World Book Day. This is a day to celebrate reading and all the joy and excitement that it brings. As part of this fun day we will be focusing our attention on the Authors of these wonderful stories and talking about Authors of their favourite stories in school.

As always, to celebrate this day, we invite all the children to dress as their favourite book character! This is a fun event and it promotes discussion and talk about the books and Authors that the children love. We will be writing to our favourite Authors during the day so encourage your child to think about who they could write to and what they might ask them.

World book day is also to raise awareness for those children who are less fortunate, with one million children in the UK not owning a book, the charity works to ensure children have access to reading regardless of circumstances. We would ask as part of world book day if you can donate to the World Book Day charity then this is a fantastic cause. You can donate through their just giving page [World Book Day 2024 - JustGiving](#) or text to donate, text WBD3 to 70711 to donate £3, text WBD5 to 70711 to donate £5. Your child does not need to pay to come in costume but if you can support this good cause please donate above.

We look forward to seeing all the children's wonderful costumes and talk about the stories and Authors that they love so much!

Yours sincerely,

H Smith

Mrs H Smith
Assistant Headteacher