

Dear Parents/Carers,

On Thursday 7th March, we will be celebrating World Book Day in school. To celebrate this day, we would like children to come dressed up as a story character or in their pjs to be cosy for story time. We will also be doing a range of activities during this week to celebrate books and stories. Please see details of these below:

World Book Day Song

We are going to create a whole school performance of the World Book song by MC Grammar. You can see this on YouTube by searching 'MC Grammar World Book Day'. We would like to create a video of this performance that can be shared on our school X (formerly Twitter) account. **Please speak to the school office if you are not happy for your child to be filmed and shared on this video.** Any children who can't be filmed will still get to take part in the learning of the song and class performances.

Buddy Reading

Every day, during the week beginning Monday 4th March from 3pm (3:15pm for children in Nursery) the children will be sharing stories in class with their friends, and we will also be inviting parents/carers and family members to come into the classroom to share stories with their child. We would love it if you could join us on one of the days to share stories with your child.

Create a Character Competition

As part of our World Book Day celebrations, we will be holding a create a character competition in which we would like children to create a character from a story using resources of their choice. If your child has created a character for the competition, please bring it into school on Thursday 7th March. We will then share these with the rest of your child's class and a winner for each class will be decided. The winner will win a selection of books. The children could also have a go at using their character creation to retell a story or part of a story and these can be shared with us on X as we would love to share these in school.

World Book Day Token

Your child will bring home a world book day token which they can use to get a free book.

Thank you,

Mrs Woodward
(Reading Lead)