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Dear Parents/Carers

We are very much looking forward to celebrating World Book Day again this year on **Thursday 7th March**. Children are invited to dress up as their favourite book character. There will be prizes available for the best and most originally dressed. There are lots of ideas on the World Book Day website if you are looking for some inspiration.

<http://www.worldbookday.com/dressing-up/>

This year, there is a focus on sharing books, so the children will be taking part in a special World Book Day assembly as well as book sharing sessions throughout the day. This will give the opportunity for children to spend time with children from different year groups and to share and read their favourite stories. If your child has a favourite story from home that they would like to bring in and share in this session, they are more than welcome to or they are able to choose from a large range of books from our library.

In addition, every child will be given a book token, which can be exchanged for any of these books at participating bookstores or used as a £1 discount off any full priced book.



Please note, year 3 will be swimming as usual so please send the children in school uniform and then there will be an opportunity to change into their costumes after swimming when they return to school.

We hope it will be an enjoyable day for the children.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Claire Bowyer
English Subject Leader