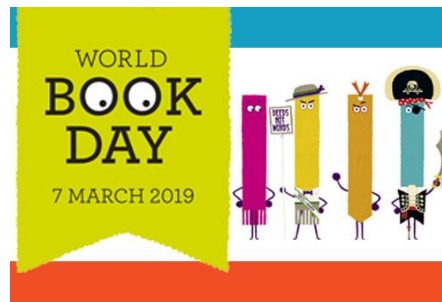


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Dear Parent/Carer

World Book Day - Thursday 7th March 2019

Next term we will be celebrating World Book Day with a whole school pause! The previous two days were such a success and had the children so enthused, we figured this would be a perfect opportunity for the children to dive into the lives of famous authors.

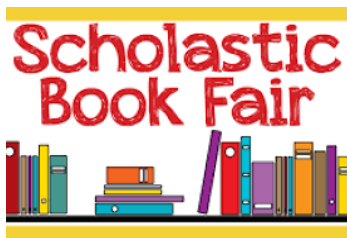
Each teacher will be choosing an author and will be completing activities around this person. Your child will finish the school day with a deeper understanding of six well known authors, and hopefully a desire to read a book by them!

Dressing up

To make this day extra special, children and staff will be dressing up as their favourite character. This is a wonderful opportunity to encourage creativity for your child – will they be an animal, a dalek, or even the golden ticket from Charlie and the Chocolate Factory? It has been done before!

If you need some inspiration, try visiting <https://www.worldbookday.com/ideas/dressing-up-gallery/>. There are lots of very simple ideas.

Scholastic Book Fair



To further encourage the love of reading in our school, we will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair starting on **5th March**, where you will be able to buy brand new books at a discounted price. This will be held in the main school hall throughout the week. Each child will be given a book token worth £1 that can discount prices further or can be exchanged in some shops for specific books.

Further information will be given during the first week back but, for now, I encourage you to get your thinking hats on as the best dressed character from each year group will be getting a special World Book Day prize!

Have a lovely half term.

Yours sincerely

Miss A Jenkins
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