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Dear Parents/carers,

On Thursday 6th March we are inviting the children to come dressed as their favourite book character for World Book Day, these outfits do not need to be anything fancy, just simple-the important thing is that your child can talk about the book character they are representing. We look forward to seeing all of the characters on the day!

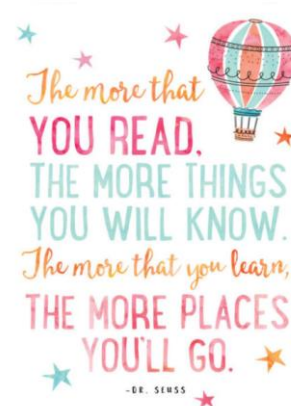
We will be starting with an assembly to introduce World Book Day and share our costumes. Each class will focus on a different story chosen by the class teacher throughout the day and take part in activities related to it. These will then be shared with the school at the end of the day to celebrate our love of reading for pleasure.

We are also very lucky to have a visiting author for the morning. Leanne Edney writes children's books and one has been inspired by a tree at The Vyne in Basingstoke. She will be working with each year group and reading one of her stories to the children. She is also happy to sign copies of her stories if you would like to purchase any in advance. Click on the links below to order from amazon.

[The Dancing Dragon](#)

[The Treasured Tree](#)

[The Boy and the Boat](#)



We will also be running a paper plate competition and the winner from each class will be announced in assembly at the end of the day. Our school run book fair will also be taking place after school from Tuesday 4th - Thursday 6th from 3.25- 4pm in the school hall.



World Book Day

We are having a competition to create a book character or story plate to celebrate World Book Day and the love of reading!



Make sure your entry is brought into school by Thursday 6th March. (Plates will be provided for all children on Friday 28th February)

Entries will be £1 per plate to be given to the class teacher.

You can find some ideas and examples below.

A winner will be chosen from each class to receive a prize in assembly on Thursday 6th March!

Have lots of fun with this, we can't wait to see your amazing creations!



Hatch Warren Book Fair!

The Book Fair will run from 3.25pm to 4.00pm in the Hall on the following days:

Tuesday 4th March

Wednesday 5th March

Thursday 6th March

Books all £3.00

Rubbers/Book Marks/ Pencils 50p-£1

Please note this is a cash only event

All proceeds are going towards boosting and updating our

Reading scheme books!

As this is a school run event, we are not able to accept the World Book Day Tokens.

We are looking forward to an exciting day!

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English Manager

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