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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to let you know that we will be celebrating **World Book Day** on **Thursday 5th March!**

To mark the occasion, we would like to invite all children to come to school dressed as their favourite character from a book. This could be a classic story character, a modern hero, a magical creature, or even a well-loved author. The aim is to celebrate our love of reading and the wonderful worlds that books allow us to explore.

Costumes do not need to be expensive or elaborate – homemade and simple ideas are absolutely welcome. A prop, a hat, or a favourite book to carry can be just as effective. We will be spending the day enjoying a range of book-themed activities, sharing stories, and celebrating the joy that reading brings to our school community.

We are also pleased to share that we will be hosting a **Scholastic Book Fair** in the school hall from **Friday 6th March to Friday 13th March**. This will be a wonderful opportunity for children to browse and purchase new books. Every purchase helps us to earn rewards to buy more books for our school, further enriching our reading resources for all children.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.

We can't wait to see all of the fantastic characters brought to life!

Kind regards,

Miss Jenkinson

