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Dear Parents

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World Book Day – Thursday 2nd March

Following the information given in our January newsletter, we would like to remind you of the arrangements for World Book Day this year.

Children should wear their school uniform, over which they will wear a 'sandwich board' illustrating the cover of one of their favourite books. This can be easily made using A4 or A3 size card or a large cereal box. Inspiration can be found on the internet if you google 'world book day sandwich boards' (images). They should also bring a copy of the book.

If your child is stuck for ideas please ask him or her to talk to his or her class teacher as soon as possible.

During the course of World Book Day there will be 'Drop Everything and Read' moments, signalled by a short ring of the bell. At these moments everyone in the school (including adults) will stop what they are doing and read for five minutes. This is why it is particularly important that everyone brings a favourite book to school on the day.

There will be various other fun activities taking place in school next Thursday, all of which are aimed at celebrating literature and promoting a love of reading. We are grateful for your support in encouraging the children to participate fully in them.

Best wishes

Katharine Ellwood
Headteacher