

Tuesday 24th February

Dear Parent/ Carer,

World Book Day

With World Book Day on **Thursday 5th March** fast approaching, we would like to share our plans for this exciting event.

Costumes

Children are invited to come to school dressed as:

- a favourite book character,
- a word, or
- a genre of books.

We kindly discourage families from buying new costumes and instead welcome creative, homemade outfits.

As we continue to refurbish our school library, we are asking parents and carers—if they are able—to make a voluntary donation of **£1–£5** via the **MCAS** app (donations made through the products section of the app). These contributions will help us purchase new library furniture and refresh our non-fiction collection.

Activities

Throughout the day, children will take part in an online workshop led by an external group, as well as some exciting writing activities themed around *villains*!

We will also be exploring the work of author **Matt Brown**, well-known for the *Compton Valance* series and many other fantastic books.

To end the day, the whole school will come together for a special performance in the afternoon.

Book Voucher

As always, every child will receive a **£1 World Book Day token**, which can be used to claim one of this year's World Book Day titles or as £1 off any other book. Further details, including the full list of titles, can be found online at [Books Archive - World Book Day](#).

We look forward to celebrating the joy of reading with our school community.

Yours sincerely,

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