

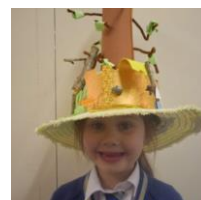


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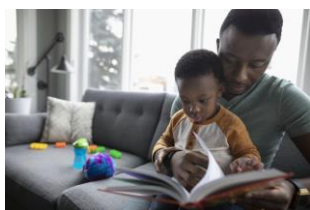
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Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2024.

Dear Parents and Carers,

**RE: NEW DATE FOR WORLD BOOK DAY 2024: Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2024.**

1. **Big Book Breakfast Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2024.**
2. **Author visit *Ramya Julian* Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2024.**
3. **'Book Hat' competition Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2024.**
4. **Reading Record child/parent swap Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024.**
5. **Book character fancy dress Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2024.**



It's our favourite time of year again where we celebrate and enjoy all things 'books'. Yes, World Book Day will soon be upon us and we have a whole host of fun and engaging activities lined up for the children this year. This year, we will be celebrating World Book Day a couple of days earlier. The slightly earlier date is now **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March**. Throughout World Book Day, there will be many activities for the children to enjoy, including **fancy dress**, an **author visit** and a **Book Hat competition**, too!

In addition, on the morning of World Book Day, we will be holding our **Big Book Breakfast** between 8.30am and 9am. This will provide the opportunity for you to come into school and read your favourite book to your child over a cup of coffee and slice of toast. This will really enthuse the children and engage them into the exciting world of reading. Seeing their parents/carers so enthralled about books will have a positive impact on the children's attitude towards reading.



Another thing we will be promoting throughout World Book Week will be a **'Reading Record Swap'**. Instead of you listening to your children read each night, your child will now sit and listen to **YOU** read each night! Your child will sign the comments box, too! Not only will this be an extremely fun activity to share with your child but having your child/children listen to your intonation and fluency will help improve theirs!

Lastly, World Book Day wouldn't be the same without a **competition!** This year, we would like the children (and you!) to get crafty and create a **'Book Hat'**. Basically, create a hat from any junk/rubbish/items you have at home that you'll be throwing out into your recycling bins that represents your favourite book! Please complete your creations at home over the February half term and **bring them in on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March**. Your class teacher will pop your child's name on a Post-it/label and we will display all the themed **Book Hat** entries in the main corridor. There will be a prize for the most inventive **Book Hat** so get those thinking caps on!

Attached to this letter is a page of ideas to get your creative juices flowing to inspire your **Book Hat**.

Many thanks for your continued support. We're thoroughly looking forward to a very exciting World Book Day!

Yours faithfully,

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