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Dear Parents and Carers,

RE: World Book Day – Thursday 7th March 2024

This year, we will celebrate World Book Day on **Thursday 7th March** as a whole school.

World Book Day promotes the importance of reading for young children and provides the children with the chance to celebrate, discuss and listen to a wide range of their favourite stories. Throughout the school day, the children will engage in different activities relating to different texts.

Your child can come to school dressed up as their favourite book character. If your child has a copy of the book that their character is from, they are welcome to bring it into school to share with their class. We encourage children to use things that they already have at home when putting their costumes together. Please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately for the school day, including their footwear. There will be a whole school assembly where the children will have the opportunity to see each other's costumes.

We look forward to celebrating World Book Day with the children and seeing all the exciting costumes on Thursday 7th March.

RE: Travelling Book Fair – Monday 25th March, Tuesday 26th March and Thursday 28th March 2024

Thanks to National Book Tokens, World Book Day, in partnership with schools all over the country, distribute £1 World Book Day book tokens to children and young people. This is part of an important mission to promote reading for pleasure by offering every child and young person the opportunity to choose and own a book. World Book Day £1 books tokens are valid from Thursday 15th February – Sunday 31st March 2024 and can be exchanged for a World Book Day £1 book for free (*please see overleaf*) or used to get £1 off a full price book or audiobook (as long as the book or audiobook costs at least £2.99) in participating booksellers, subject to stock availability. All children will receive a World Book Day £1 book token on World Book Day.

We have also organised for the travelling book fair to visit us again and the children will be able to use their World Book Day £1 token at the book fair. Payments can be made in cash or online using the book fair's online payment system. In order to make a payment online using the online payment system, you will need a mobile phone and your card details.

The book fair will take place after school in the school hall on the following dates/times:

Monday 25th March: 2.45pm until 3.45pm

Tuesday 26th March: 3.15pm until 3.45pm

Thursday 28th March: 2.45pm until 3.45pm



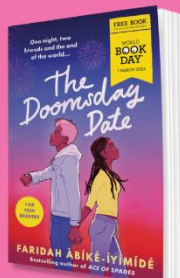
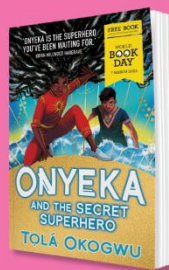
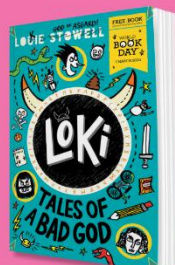
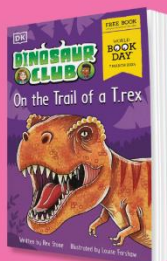
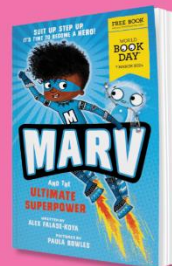
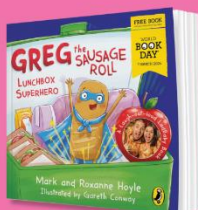
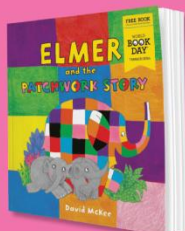
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