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Dear Parents/Carers,

Each year, World Book Day is a great day in our school calendar, as children get to explore and celebrate different stories, authors and illustrators. This year, World Book Day is on **Thursday 2nd March** and children are, as in previous years, invited to dress as their favourite book character for the day.

World Book Day Challenge

To continue our love of reading here in school we are inviting all child to take part in a reading competition in the run up to world book day. Please see the attached page for details of this challenge. There will be some exciting prizes up for grabs!

Big Booky Break!

This year we will be holding a 'Big Booky Break' where children will be given an additional break time in school for them to read a book of their choice with a biscuit and drink which will provided by school. Children are welcome to bring any book from home they would like to share and alternative treats will be available for children with allergies. We hope to take photos of the children taking part in this and share them with parents.

Big Book Swap!

On Monday the 6th and Tuesday the 7th March we will be holding a **'Big Book Swap'** to follow on from World Book Day. If your child would like to take part in our book swap they just need to bring a preloved book into school and they will be able to swap this with another book that has been brought in. We will organise the book swap in school throughout the day and help the children to choose a book that they can take home.

We are looking forward to a great few days in school celebrating World Book day with you all.

Many thanks,

Mr Laws Assistant Principal

