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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to announce that our school will be celebrating **World Book Day 2025** on Thursday 6th March! This special event encourages children to share their love of books and reading, while promoting creativity and imagination. World Book Day is a fantastic opportunity for all of us to foster a love of literature, and we have planned a range of exciting activities for the day.

Our theme this year is 'Fairytales, Myths & Legends' which will give the children a fantastic range of stories to enjoy.

Here's what you can expect:

1. Dress-Up as Your Favourite Fairytale, Myth or Legend Book Character

Children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite character from a book. This is a fun way for children to express their passion for reading and show off their imaginative costumes!

2. Book Swap

We will be hosting a book swap, where children can bring in a gently used book to exchange with others. This is a great chance for them to discover new stories while sharing their favourite reads with friends.

3. Reading Activities & Storytelling Sessions

Throughout the day, children will participate in reading workshops, storytime sessions, and fun book-themed games that are designed to inspire their imagination and creativity.

4. Book Tokens for Every Pupil

Every child will receive a World Book Day token, which can be redeemed for a special £1 book or used towards a discount at participating bookstores. This is a wonderful opportunity to encourage your child to pick up a new book and continue their reading journey. We are sending the tokens home this week to ensure that you have the opportunity to get one as they tend to go very quickly from participating retailers (well in advance of the actual date). This year's stockists include: Asda, Lidl, Sainsbury's and Tesco.

We encourage you to support your child in celebrating this day by helping them select a costume or talking about their favourite books. The more involved we all are, the more enjoyable this event will be for the children!

Thank you for your ongoing support. We look forward to celebrating the magic of reading with our students and creating memories that will inspire them for years to come.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Kind regards,

Mrs Miller English Leader

