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Dear Parents,

<u>World Book Day</u>

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We will be celebrating National World Book Day on Friday 3rd March. We would like all children to come to school dressed as a character from a favourite children's book. The costume need not be elaborate. We are happy for children to be dressed in their own clothes with a prop from a favourite story or dressed in their own clothes and bring in a favourite book to share.

Book Fair

This year, Travelling Books will provide our annual Book Fair. The Book Fair will be take place in the Nurture Room from 3:15pm until approximately 4pm on Wednesday 1st March, Thursday 2nd March, Friday 3rd March and Monday 6th March. The commission earnt on books sold will be spent directly on more books for the children.

Payment at the Book Fair is by cash or cheque. You will also be able to pay by credit/debit card by using your phone at the fair to scan the QR code or by using the website <u>www.travellingbooks.co.uk</u>. and then entering your personal details along with your payment information. You will then need to show your receipt to confirm your payment for the books. Alternatively, you can also buy book tokens on the website <u>www.travellingbooks.co.uk</u> that you can then spend at the Book Fair.

If you are unable to attend the Book Fair it is possible to browse the books online at <u>www.travellingbooks.co.uk</u>. Choose the parents tab and then browse the books where you can see all the books that will be available at the fair. It is not possible to order online, however you may send in the name of the book and the money in a sealed envelope and we will deliver the book to your child.

World Book Day token

Attached to this letter is your child's World Book Day token. All children are issued with a £1 book token to spend in their local bookshop in this national event. It can be exchanged for one of the £1 World Book Day books or used to get £1 off any full price book. You may also use your World Book Day token to receive £1 off any book you buy at the Book Fair.

Book Fair Competition

As part of the Book Fair, we will be holding a competition to design a bookmark. You can design your bookmark on any theme you would like. Your favourite story or character, a hobby or your family and friends could inspire you. You may use any materials you wish e.g. card, lolly sticks. Have fun being as creative as possible.

There will be a winner chosen for each year group who will receive a £5 voucher to spend at the Book Fair. All entries must be brought to school **by 3pm on Friday 24th February** and the prizes will be awarded in Assembly on Monday 27th February.

Yours sincerely

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