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Thursday 15 February 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

## **RE: WORLD BOOK DAY – THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2024**

As part of our drive to promote and engage pupils in reading for pleasure our Academy will be Celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

On this special day, children can come into school dressed as their favourite character or author from any book, alongside bringing in their favourite story to share with their class if they wish. Your child will be bringing home a World Book Day token to get your free book! On the day we will be celebrating with a variety of exciting events including; best dressed, door decorating, treasure hunts and so much more!

We'd love to include you in our celebrations by joining us for our World Book Day Coffee Morning on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024 9:30-10:30- come into school, have a tea/coffee and a biscuit and enjoy a book or some crafting with your child. Please click on this link to advise of your attendance, so we can accurately cater for numbers. <https://forms.office.com/e/GVNV9g21DX>

Access to books:

1. We'll also be hosting a very special book swap. Drop off any unwanted books in the box at reception then come and browse! Please feel free to take something you would like to read.
2. Getting a free £1/€1.50 book for your child is easy – simply take your £1/€1.50 book token to your nearest bookseller and swap it for a World Book Day £1/€1.50 book OR use it to get £1/€1.50 off any ANY book or audiobook costing £2.99/€3.99 or more. You can find your nearest bookseller at [worldbookday.com/participating-retailers](http://worldbookday.com/participating-retailers)

Check out the World Book Day Family Hub for more things to do at home.

We look forward to seeing your child dressed up for this special day on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March. We remind you not to spend lots of money on costumes and instead use what you already have at home.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Gemma Jones  
**Assistant Principal**

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