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Book Week 4th – 8th March 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to tell you about our Book Week 2024, which we will be holding during the week beginning 4th March. World Book Day itself is on Thursday 7th March.

There will be no dressing up this year, but we have lots of exciting activities planned in school, all celebrating the wonderful world of books!

Book Swap

On Tuesday 5th March all children are invited to bring a maximum of three books into school to swap. Please make sure books brought into school for the book swap are appropriate for primary school aged children. We would like to encourage you to bring fiction and non-fiction books to swap (no quiz books, sticker/activity books or annuals please).

Book Breakfast

Children and a parent or carer are invited to attend a book breakfast from 8.30am – 8.50am, where they can share a book and have breakfast before the school day starts. This will be:

- **Wednesday 6th March** - Key Stage 2 (Y3-6) in the hall
- **Thursday 7th March** - Foundation Stage (Rec & Nursery) in the Foundation Unit
- **Friday 8th March** for Key Stage 1 (Y1-2) in the hall

Please note that if an adult is unable to come into school, children will go to their classrooms as usual, so please do not send them into school early if they have no adult.

Book Vouchers

Before half term, your child will be bringing home their £1 World Book Day voucher, which is valid from Thursday 15th February until Sunday 31st March. There are some FREE £1 books available, or you can use it for £1 off a chosen book from participating booksellers. Please see the website for further information:

<https://www.worldbookday.com/books/>

If children use their voucher to buy a book during the half term holiday (from Thursday 15th February), then we would love for them to bring it into school to share with their class.

We have lots of other book-related activities going on throughout the week, including a book trail around school, older and younger children in school pairing up to read together and a whole school book study.

Have a wonderful half term and keep reading!

Many thanks for your support,

Mrs B. Crawshaw & Mrs N. Williamson
Lower School & Upper School Reading Leaders

