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Dear Families,

RE: World Book Day

As many of our Year 6 children are attending their PGL residential on the week of World Book Day, we have decided to bring the Thomas Fairchild Book Day forward to **Friday 1st March**.

With that in mind I wanted to share with you the initial part of our plans for World Book Day 2024.

<p>Dress up as a book character!</p> <p>Your child is encouraged to come to school dressed up as a character from a book. We recommend costumes to be home-made using materials and resources from home. Click here are some ideas for easy costumes.</p> 	<p>Poetry Exploration</p> <p>Each year group will be exploring a poet or poets appropriate for their age group, ending the day by composing their own poetry in the style of said poet. CLPE is a fantastic resource for exploring poetry at home, where you can filter by age group, themes or ideas.</p> 
<p>Book Tokens</p> <p>Book tokens will be shared the week of World Book Day. Remember to spend your £1 Book Token at a participating bookshop by March 31st 2024!</p> 	<p>World of Stories Free Audiobooks</p> <p>There is a whole host of free audiobooks for all ages from World of Stories. Audiobooks are a brilliant way of enjoying books being read aloud, whether you're sharing them with family or friends, or listening on your own.</p> 

If you have any questions about World Book Day, please speak to your child's teacher or one of the team in the school office.

Kind regards,

Jane Blackburn

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