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Dear Parents and Carers,

Literacy Theme Week - 28th February - 4th March 2022
World Book Day Celebrations –Thursday 3rd March 2022

During the week beginning Monday 28th February, Court Lane Infant School will be holding a Literacy Theme Week and celebrating World Book Day. This is to share our love for reading and to look further at our literary heritage. Each year group will be looking at different authors and stories.



World Book day –Thursday 3rd March

On Thursday 3rd March we are asking children to come into school dressed as a character from a book. We will be celebrating World Book Day in many different ways in school. Throughout Literacy Theme Week and on World Book Day, children will have the chance to take part in many exciting activities that link with reading.

Some examples are as follows...

- Creating book marks
- Completing book reviews
- Reading their favourite stories
- Taking part in drama and role play activities
- Making puppets
- Learning about different book characters
- Making props and hats for their favourite book characters and sharing these
- Dance workshops
- The Masked Reader

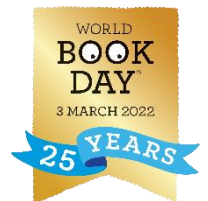


Bring a Book into School

During Literacy Theme Week we will be encouraging the children to talk about what they enjoy reading and why. If children would like to, they can bring a **named** book into school on Monday 28th February. Some books that children have are really special so it might be better to keep these ones at home. The books that are brought into school will be shared within the class and of course we will remind the children to look after them. They will have a chance to share their books within their class throughout the week.

Book Tokens

World Book Day £1 tokens will be given out to all children on World Book Day. These can be used to purchase the £1 books published specifically for World Book Day or can be put towards books that cost more than £1. Book tokens will be valid until Sunday 27th March 2022. The Official World Book Day website is as follows: <https://www.worldbookday.com/>



Yours sincerely,

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