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Dear Parents/Carers,

World Book Day - Thursday 4th March 2021

It's that time of year again - next Thursday, 4th March, is World Book Day!

This exciting day will be filled with a range of activities, all on the theme of Fairy Tales. Each year group will be starting the day with a writing task based on a popular tale, but with a twist. There will be an Activity Bingo, with a choice of creative and fun tasks set by all members of Primary staff. We know that many of our children will want to do more than one of these activities, and so we are holding a competition to reward special contributions.

As well as our plans, the official [World Book Day website](http://WorldBookDay.org) has a whole host of activities for children to enjoy. By accessing the [World Book Day website](http://WorldBookDay.org) you will be able to join the 'Author and Illustrator Academy' to take part in activities that they set.



One of the best parts about World Book Day is seeing the children dressed up as a favourite character. We'd like to keep this tradition going; however, this year we are asking that you only use bits and pieces that you might already have at home to prevent non-essential trips to the shops during lockdown.

Alternatively, if the thought of a home-made costume fills you with dread... how about creating a book character using a ... potato?



Every child can download and use a digital [£1 book token](#).

This can be used to buy one of the 12 fabulous looking World Book Day books, or redeemed against a full-priced book of your choice (with a minimum value of £2.99). We can't wait to see the work you do on the day, and to see you (or your potato!) all dressed up.

Yours sincerely

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Primary Reading Lead