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Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **World Book Day!**

This year, we will be celebrating **World Book Day on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2020**. As part of the celebrations, we would like to encourage all children to dress up as any character from a book. However, we do not expect you to go out of your way and buy an outfit if this is not feasible; instead, use it as an opportunity to be creative and put together an outfit using items of clothing from home. You can find a range of fantastic costume ideas and how-to videos at <https://www.worldbookday.com/>

Each child will be asked to bring in a **£1 donation**. The money raised will enable us to pay for new dictionaries and phonics books in school.

We have a variety of activities taking place on the day. There will be a class assembly followed by an exploration of the story- **Gangsta Granny by David Walliams**. If your child has a copy of the book or film, please allow them to familiarise themselves with it as the whole day will be based around this theme. They will be creating bookmarks and writing book reviews as well as taking part in drama and role play leading to a short performance at the end of the day. All children from Year 1 to 6 will also be taking part in a class swap where they can read a book of their choice to their partner. If your child would like to bring in their own book to share- that would be fantastic!

That's not all!! There will be **prizes** for the **best costume** in each class as well as the **best book mark** made in class so make sure they come to school with plenty of innovative ideas.

Finally, every child will receive a **£1 World Book Day token** which they can spend at various book stores and on line.

Yours Sincerely,

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