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Dear Parents/Carers,

World Book Week Activities

As a school we believe reading is very important within the curriculum and should be a part of the children's daily life both at school and at home.

We would therefore like to invite you into school next week to share stories with your child(ren):

Nursery and Playgroup: Wednesday 6th March at 11am or 2:15pm.

Reception to Year 6: Wednesday 6th March at 2:15pm or Friday 8th March at 2:15pm.

To celebrate World Book Day which is on the 7th March, your child will be given a voucher which can be used in most bookshops to either exchange for a free book (specified books) or to get £1 off any book or audiobook. World Book Day is an annual celebration of authors, illustrators and reading and is celebrated in more than 100 countries around the world. Evidence suggests that children who read for enjoyment every day not only perform better in reading tests than those who don't, but also develop a broader vocabulary, increased general knowledge and a better understanding of other cultures. The voucher is valid from the 28th February to the 31st March 2019.

Comic Relief - Red Nose Day - Friday 15th March

Also to raise money for Comic Relief, we will be celebrating Red Nose Day by asking the children to wear something red and to bring in a silver coin as a donation to the charity. Comic Relief spends the money raised by Red Nose Day to help people living tough lives across the UK and internationally.

Yours sincerely,

Linda Hall

Head Teacher