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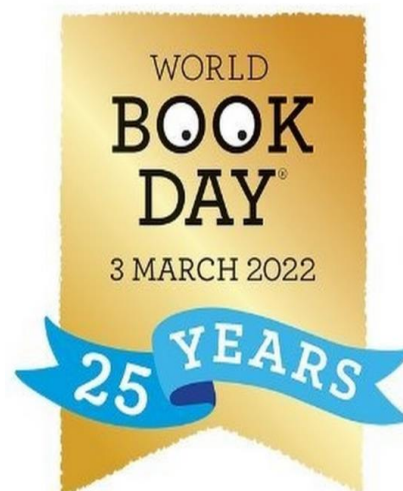


Dear Parent/Carers,

We are delighted to celebrate the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of World Book Day on **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022**. As Year 4 will be on their residential visit to Robinwood on this day, children in **Year 4 will have an alternate date** for World Book Day on **Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2022**.

The World Book Day charity has provided many opportunities to foster a love of reading in children. Reading for pleasure and enjoyment is at the heart of our school curriculum and ethos. This year's World Book Day also coincides with the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Harry Potter book series.

In order to mark this special occasion, we will be holding events throughout March to promote a love of reading and books across school. Please see below, a timetable of the events planned for the month.



03 <sup>rd</sup> March 2022 (EYFS, KS1, Y3, Y5, Y6) 01 <sup>st</sup> March 2022 (Y4)	
<b>World Book Day Magical Fantasy Themed Dress Up</b>	Children have the option of dressing up in costumes related to <b>Magic and Fantasy</b> , in honour of the 25 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of Harry Potter. We would like children to get creative and think about their favourite characters from Fantasy stories. We encourage children to make their own costumes at home as much as possible to show individuality and creativity! <b>If children would prefer to wear costumes related to other books or characters, they are more than welcome.</b>

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<b>Book Swap</b>	We will be holding a school Book Swap throughout the month and would like to launch the Book Swap on World Book Day. Children are invited to donate any books from home they may no longer need. We will collect all the books and give children the opportunity to take newly donated books home later in the term!

09 <sup>th</sup> March 2022 (Y4, Y5, Y6)	
<b>The Hobbit Performance</b>	<p>We have organised for M&amp;M theatrical productions to visit Year 4, 5 and 6 to perform an adaptation of 'The Hobbit', a magical tale of the battle between good and evil. M&amp;M theatrical production's aim is to encourage children to read by bringing books to life. With theatre visits being so costly, we are pleased to offer this wonderful opportunity for just £3.60 per child.</p> <p>Please note there is no obligation to pay this amount, but if Parents/Carers are unable to support this event then it may not be viable and will possibly have to be cancelled or postponed. Please navigate to your Parent Pay account to make this payment.</p>

14 <sup>th</sup> March 2022 - 18 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	
<b>Secret Reader</b>	<p>During the week commencing 14<sup>th</sup> March 2022, we will be holding a Secret Reader event!</p> <p>We are asking parents and carers to join in with the book fun by volunteering to come in to school to read with their class during story-time. This will mean arriving at school 20 minutes before home time to share a story with the class. We want the Secret Reader to be a surprise so please do not let the children know if you have signed up!</p> <p>If you would like to be a Secret Reader in your class, please send an email to <a href="mailto:volunteers@brps.net">volunteers@brps.net</a> to register your interest. Please clearly title your email with your child's name and the date you are available.</p> <p><u>For example:</u></p> <p><b><i>Anya Anwar, 4SM, 14.03.22</i></b></p> <p>Class teachers will pick volunteer names out of a hat and 5 parents per class will be invited in across the week to read with their class. Please send your emails as soon as possible to help organise the event.</p>

**First School: 21<sup>st</sup> March 2022 – 28<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

**Junior School: 25<sup>th</sup> March 2022 – 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022**

### Scholastic Book Fair

Our annual much-anticipated Scholastic Book Fair makes it return to our school during our book month of March!

Parents and Carers will be able to order online or in person. Look out for more details on how to place orders after half term.



**1<sup>st</sup> April 2022**

### Drop Everything and Read

To celebrate the end of Book month and as a final hurrah, we will be holding a Drop Everything and Read event in the afternoon. Children from the Junior school will read with younger children and everyone in school will take part to show off our book love!

All children will also receive the famous World Book Day tokens to enjoy in shops.

We are looking forward to all of you joining us on this month long celebration of books and reading.



Please join us in our festivities and send pictures of your costumes or you enjoying your favourite books to @BeaverRoad\_Pri #WorldBookDay – we cannot wait to see you all in March!

Yours Sincerely,

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