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Friday 14th February 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

WORLD BOOK DAY 2020- Tuesday 10th March

This year we will be celebrating World Book Day on **Tuesday 10th March 2020**. This is different to the rest of the world as Norwood have other commitments that prevent it from occurring on the World Book Day date.



On **Tuesday 10th March**, we invite children to dress up as a character from a story or poem that they have enjoyed. The children will take part in a character parade to show off their fabulous costumes and book prizes will be awarded for the best dressed character in each class.

The link below provides some ideas for costumes for your child's chosen character. We understand that not all children like dressing up so choosing a character where they can wear their own clothes may be more suitable.

<https://www.worldbookday.com/dressing-up-ideas-2019/>

To support children having books at home, your child will receive a £1 book token that can be redeemed at most bookshops against a specially written £1 book or as payment towards any book.

BOOK SWAP- Tuesday 10th March 3:15-3:45pm

We will be holding the very popular Norwood Book Swap from **3:15pm to 3:45pm** on **Tuesday 10th March** in the **Community Room** (please enter school through the main office). *This date replaces the previously advertised date on the school newsletters.*

If the book swap is new to you, we invite all families to donate any unwanted books and then children are invited to choose two books to take home free of charge.

We would appreciate any books for children aged 4-11 years old. There is no expectation for children to bring a book to the book swap but without donations there will be very little choice. Children may choose to return books that they have selected from previous book swaps that they have now finished with. Please can you donate any unwanted books to school by Monday 9th March.

The aim of World Book Day is to celebrate the wonder of books and to encourage children to read for pleasure. We hope that through the preparations and celebrations that your child enjoys every minute!

Yours faithfully

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