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Dear Parent/Carer,



We are getting very excited about World Book on Thursday 3rd March and wanted to give you an update before the half term holiday. Our celebrations will be filled with lots of exciting ways to promote reading for pleasure. To help make this day special, we would like the children to dress up as a book character who inspires them or just makes them smile! We look forward to seeing who the children decide to be!

As previously mentioned in the school newsletter, our school library is in need of a little revamp so we have planned a number of fundraising events to raise money to purchase lots of exciting, new books. Please find below details of all our World Book Day fundraising.

Sponsored Reading Stars Challenge

This is a fun challenge to encourage children to share their reading in lots of exciting ways. Pupils can be sponsored for every star they complete or an amount for finishing the game. There are two different versions of the challenge available online: <https://www.worldbookday.com/fundraising/sponsored-reading-stars-challenge/>

Don't forget to print or download your certificate once you've completed the challenge:
<https://www.worldbookday.com/reading-stars/>

Any sponsorship money raised can be paid via your child's ParentPay account, any amount welcome! **Please ensure this is paid by Monday 7th March.**

World Book Day Photo

Would your child like to be the Gruffulo strolling through the deep, dark wood? Or Harry Potter flying over Hogwarts? Well, this can happen! We thought it would be fun to take some green screen photos on WBD when the children are dressed up. There will be lots of different background options for a wide range of book characters. If you have any special requests, please email mrslee@wiggintonprimary.co.uk and I'll try my best to find something suitable.

Please pay £1 on ParentPay **by 1pm Tuesday 1st March** if you would like your child to take part. By paying £1 you will be consenting to your child having their photograph taken for this purpose. A copy of the photograph will be sent home with your child by the end of March.

PTA Bedtime Story - Thursday 3rd March 5.30 to 6.30pm

The PTA would like to invite children to attend a special bedtime story in school. We would like the children to come to school for 5.30pm in their pyjamas and dressing gowns with a teddy and a blanket ready for a

bedtime story. The children can also bring in their favourite books to read/share with a friend and a torch if they wish. We are asking for a donation of £3.00, which will include refreshments (a glass of milk/hot chocolate and a biscuit) and a bookmark to take home.

If you would like your child to take part you must complete the e-form (link below) and make the £3.00 donation via ParentPay **by 1pm on Tuesday 1st March 2022**.

e-form link: <https://forms.gle/qNBY4u77Rq5pVxg59>

Second-hand Book Stall

A second hand bookstall will be set up on the KS1 playground before and after school on WBD selling our old guided and home reading books. We will have all of the colour book bands available. Please note these books will not all be phonically regular. You will be able to pay for these books in cash on the day.

We are all really looking forward to a fun-filled World Book Day 2022 and can't wait to raise some money to get our library up and running again.

Many thanks,

Mrs Lee, Literacy Lead