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Dear parents/carers,

World Book Day Celebrations – Monday 11th March 2019

This year World Book Day, the biggest annual celebration of books and reading for children is on Thursday 7th March 2019. As a school we will be celebrating World Book Day on **Monday 11th March 2019**.

Our World Book Day competition this year is for children to make a story sack for their favourite book. A story sack is a small bag, which has characters, objects and scenes from a chosen book. For example if you are doing the 'Gingerbread Man' in your story sack you might have the gingerbread man, the old lady, the old man, the fox and some of the other animals. You might also include a pond and the old lady and man's house. Story sacks need to be brought into school on the morning of **Monday 4th March 2019**. Please ensure that the **overall dimensions are no greater than A4 size**. We can then use the story sacks in class book corners – please note they will not be returned home.

The winners from each year group will be able to go to a party, which will follow a 'Rainforest' theme, based on 'The Jungle Book' by Rudyard Kipling. This will take place at the end of the school day on Monday 11th March 2019.

On Monday 11th March 2019 we would also like children to come dressed up as an **unusual or unique** book character. There will be an opportunity for some of the best dressed characters to take part in a catwalk and winners from each year group will also get to enjoy the 'Rainforest Party.'

Our Book Swap this year will take place on **Tuesday 12th March**, so if you are having a clear out over half term, please feel free to put some books aside. We will be sending out more information about this after half term.

There will be various book-related activities throughout the week, in which all children will partake. Please encourage your child to bring in some of their favourite books to share with their class.

We look forward to seeing all the amazing book characters and story sacks.

Yours sincerely,

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