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Dear Parents/Carers.

World Book Day is very quickly approaching and like in previous years, we have organised a range of activities for Book Week, encompassing World Book Day, to celebrate all things reading and book related. There is a brief overview of the activities below so you and your child(ren) know what to expect.

<u>Monday 4th March</u> – We start book week with a 'guess the reader' activity. Adults at Priory Junior School have hidden themselves behind their favourite children's book. Can pupils solve the puzzle? Do children share a favourite book with someone in the school?

<u>Tuesday 5th March</u> – The WBD theme this year is 'read your way' so today pupils will spend time discussing how they like to read. Where do they read? What do they read? How do they read? Pupils will be discussing their reading style.

<u>Wednesday 6th March</u> – Today, each class will be turning their classroom door in to a book cover. They will decide on a book together, share out the making, cutting and sticking to create their door-book.

<u>Thursday 7th March</u> – Today is the official World Book Day and also our Parent Do Day. You are invited to join your child in school for our 'Book and a Biscuit' event. Come and spend time sharing books with your child in the hall.

Year 4 - 9:00 - 9:30

Year 3 - 9:45 - 10:15

Year 5 - 10:30 - 11:00

Year 6 - 11:15 - 11:45

Pupils will be allowed to dress up as their favourite book character today too.

Please don't feel obliged to buy a new costume for this – consider buying pre-owned on reselling sites or making something from what you have at home. There are a range of ideas here that you might find helpful. https://www.madeformums.com/toddler-and-preschool/last-minute-easy-world-book-day-costumes/

<u>Friday 8th March</u>- We finish the week off by taking part in the National 'Design a Book Token' competition. Entries will be submitted and the lucky winners receive book tokens for themselves and the school.

I hope that your child(ren) enjoys taking part in these activities and celebrating reading together.

Best wishes,

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