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World Book Day Thursday 4th March 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

We look forward to our celebration of books next **Thursday, 4th March**. It would be fantastic if the children could think about their favourite book or book character and share stories and books during the day. If they would like to dress up in some way for their class meet, maybe a mask, hat, or outfit if they would like to but it is not necessary to buy a new costume. We want the day to be about celebrate reading and books.

We will be inviting you to a class zoom where we will meet an author of children book's Andy Mortimer. Please see your email on Tuesday 2nd March for the zoom invite. Reception will be 9.30am, Year 1 at 10.15am and Year 2 at 11.00am. Signed copies of his book "Mum" will be available to buy from the school office.

There will be activities to join in with and videos to watch via Tapestry including a children's illustrator, Sally Anderson. During the week beginning 1st March we will be posting masked reader videos, where staff have disguised themselves reading part of a story, can the children guess the reader?

The children will also receive a £1 book voucher that they can use against a book of their choice or swapped from a selection of books. There is a lot more information about sharing stories on <https://www.worldbookday.com/ideas/share-a-story/>

Looking forward to a great day,

Emma Borthwick

Literacy lead

