



## St Mary & St Pancras C. E. Primary School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

This year World Book Day is on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March. The main aim of World Book Day is to encourage children to explore the pleasures of books whilst encouraging reading. We will be celebrating this day in a variety of ways.

We are asking children to dress up as a character from a favourite book, and bring their book with them if possible. The child with the most creative and imaginative costume (preferably no footballers!) will receive a certificate in our World Book Day assembly. Please do not feel the need to go and buy costumes; we would encourage you to be creative with what you already have.

Staff will be sharing their favourite stories from when they were children and classes will be doing fun activities based on books that day.

We encourage you to share in this special day by also sharing your favourite book with your child at home and by doing some of the fun activities on the World Book Day website: <a href="http://www.worldbookday.com">http://www.worldbookday.com</a>

Children will also be given a £1 book token each, that can be used to purchase any of the World Book Day special books or which can be used as a discount for other books.

Thank you for your continued support. Watch out for further English events happening here at St Mary & St Pancras in the next few weeks. Happy reading!

Lucy Heard English Subject Leader











