



**Birley Primary Academy**

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Dear Parents/Carers

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March is World Book Day and we are looking forward to celebrating this in school as usual. The children will be taking part in a variety of activities during the day.

Every year we invite children to dress-up on World Book Day and this year is no exception. The official theme this year is **'Read your way'** which is based around children reading material that engages them while feeling comfy to do so. We are therefore inviting children to come in Pyjamas and onesies on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March to enjoy reading/listening to stories. They are also welcome to bring in appropriate reading material from home which they may enjoy on the day (ideally labelled). Please make sure the pyjamas and footwear are appropriate for school and outdoor play.

During the day children will receive their £1 World Book Day token, which can be taken to many book shops and supermarkets, and exchanged for one of the free £1 books, or alternatively can be used as a discount voucher on a full-priced book.

We are inviting parents/carers into school on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March at the start of the school day (9:00-9:30am) to share books with your children/listen to class story/help them with reading related activities. World Book Day is a great opportunity to celebrate the importance of reading and also promote an enjoyment of books and stories.

We appreciate your support in this and look forward to seeing you on World Book Day if possible.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

MRS L TAYLOR  
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