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WORLD
BOOK
DAY
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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to share with you our plans for World Book Day, which takes place on **Thursday 6th March** this year, and for which we offer our children the **opportunity to dress-up** (optional - please wear school uniform if not dressed up related to a book).

World Book Day was created by UNESCO on 23rd April 1995 as a worldwide celebration of books and reading. World Book Day is marked in over 100 countries around the globe. The first World Book Day in the UK and Ireland took place in 1997; its purpose - to encourage young people to discover the pleasure of reading.

At KACP, we understand the profound benefits of reading for a child's development. Reading for pleasure can benefit a child's education, social and cognitive development, their wellbeing, and their mental health as well as extending their vocabulary.

We have lots of fun activities planned for the day including the Footy and Booky quiz, character battles, book cover designs, Mad Hatter tea parties, our Big Buddy Read and so much more!

We are very excited to celebrate with our school community.

Thank you for your continued support.

## Mrs Gaston

Assistant Headteacher

