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Friday 9th February 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

On <u>Thursday 7th March 2023</u>, Rivelin will be celebrating World Book Day! Reading is such an important part of learning at Rivelin and it is a great chance to celebrate and enjoy different stories, as well as promoting a love of reading across the school. Throughout the day, children will be completing lots of exciting activities about their favourite stories and book characters. As our Y6s will be on their residential visit when the rest of the school are celebrating World Book Day, they will be having their own celebration on **Thursday 14th March**. On this day, they are invited to come to school dressed up as their favourite book character.

This year, we would like to set a challenge for the most creative costume ideas. We would love to see as many home-made costumes as possible and thought that creating these could be a lovely family activity to do during the half term break!

As always, costumes can represent any character from any book that your child enjoys reading and prizes will be given for the most creative costumes! Children should not be coming to school wearing football kits.

On World Book Day, each child will receive a £1 World Book Day voucher. This can be used to purchase any of the exclusive World Book Day books, available at most book shops for just £1 each! Alternatively, the voucher can be used to get £1 off any full price book which costs £2.99 or more. The vouchers will be valid until Sunday 31st March 2024.

We look forward to seeing the children's creative costumes and cannot wait to celebrate World Book Day as a school on Thursday 7th March!

Many thanks,

Mrs Horbury







