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Dear Parents,

On Thursday 2nd March we will be celebrating World Book Day. All children are invited to come to school dressed as a **book** character to celebrate their love of reading.

We are excited to welcome back Mark Stubbs who is a local author and illustrator. Last year, Mark launched a competition that would decide the name of a new character in his sequel to Beyond the Mountain, Himple's First Adventure so we can't wait to hear about how this has developed. This year, Mark will work with the children in some illustration workshops. If you would like to purchase a signed copy of Beyond the Mountain, Himple's First Adventure, then please bring £7.50 in a named envelope. Alternatively, this book is available to buy on Amazon.



We will be carrying on our tradition of transforming classroom doors into the front covers of books we are reading in class. Photos will be posted on social media so keep an eye out nearer the time.

Every child will come home with a National Book Token that can be exchanged for a book in high-street book stores like Waterstones and the Children's Book Shelf.

We would also like to remind you about the Brockhampton Book Swap we have outside the school office. Children are welcome to bring in a book that they no longer want/need and swap it for another book. We have loved hearing about the books they have taken and enjoyed at home. Thank you to anyone who has donated books this year.

We would like to create a reading display to showcase children's favourite books. On World Book Day, please can children either bring a copy of their favourite book into school or the title of their favourite book. We would like all children to be represented in this display and look forward to seeing their reading recommendations.

Kind regards,

Mrs Jones