## **Benwick Primary School**



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Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of our drive to maintain, promote and engage pupil interest in reading, the school is having a WORLD BOOK day on Wednesday 4th March.

On this special day, your child can come to school dressed as a favourite character from any book, or in their pyjamas ready for a bedtime story. Also during the day, the children will be participating in lots of exciting activities, including sharing their own favourite book from home and sharing teacher's favourite books.

World Book Day celebrates the joy and value of books and reading, especially for children. To help get them started on their reading journey, every child will receive a £1 World Book Day Book Token that can either be exchanged for one of THIRTEEN special £1 World Book Day books, or used to get £1 off any book costing £2.99 or more. You can find out more about the books at worldbookday.com/books

It would be good to discuss with your child different characters from their favourite books. Again, the dressing up possibilities are endless: Postman Pat, Oliver Twist, Fantastic Mr Fox, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, James and the Giant Peach, Danny - Champion of the World, Matilda, Goldilocks, Jack and the Beanstalk, The Twits, Cinderella, The Gruffalo, Elmer the Elephant, Three little Pigs, Harry Potter etc.

Reading different books every evening, in preparation would be great! So get thinking and reading! We look forward to seeing your child dressed up for the special day on Wednesday 4th March.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Miss Wakefield