



HURST HILL PRIMARY



Dear Parents and Carers,

World book day is fast approaching and we will be celebrating at Hurst Hill on Thursday 7th March 2024.

Studies have shown that reading for pleasure is the single biggest indicator for success in life, more than family circumstances, educational background, or income. Sharing stories together for just ten minutes a day will encourage a love of reading and it's fun for everyone! You can read together anywhere and everywhere, from breakfast to bedtime! In the park, on the train, on the sofa, on a plane – reading and sharing stories can happen anywhere at any time.

During the day, the children will be taking part in a variety of book-inspired activities within their year groups and classes. In addition, the whole school will be participating in the exciting activities below!

Character Celebration

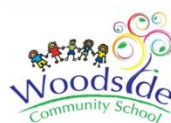
The staff at Hurst Hill will be transforming the school into 'Hurstwarts' and will be dressing up as characters from the J.K.Rowling series of books, 'Harry Potter'. Children are also welcome to join the staff in following the 'Harry Potter' theme but we welcome children dressing up as any of their favourite book characters. They will take part in a variety of book related activities during the day, which will help to promote a love of reading for pleasure.

Reading Activities

The children will be completing different reading activities throughout the day and will get the chance to work with children from other year groups and different members of teaching staff. We would be very grateful if children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 could bring in an empty water/squash/pop bottle with a lid for them to complete one of their activities!

Reading buddies

Children will be 'buddying' up with children across different year groups on World Book Day and sharing stories together. This is a chance for children to make new friends at Hurst Hill and to share stories for pleasure from our wonderful library.



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Book Swap

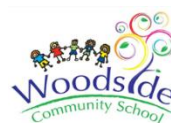
We will once again be holding a “Book Swap” during the week beginning 4th March. Children should bring in a well-looked after book that they have already read and wish to swap. They will then choose a different book to take home to keep. Books to swap should be brought into school from Monday 4th March. The swap will take place on Thursday 7th March – World Book Day.

World Book Day Tokens

Every child will be presented with a World Book Day token, which can be exchanged for exclusive World Book Day titles or used as part payment for other books. For details on how to redeem the token, please click here: <https://www.worldbookday.com/books/>

Thank you for your continued support,

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