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Dear Parents/Carers,

Next Thursday 7th March 2019 we are celebrating World Book Day at Devonshire Primary School.

World Book Day is a celebration! It's a celebration of authors, illustrators, books and (most importantly) it's a celebration of reading. In fact, it's the biggest celebration of its kind, designated by **UNESCO** as a worldwide celebration of books and reading, and marked in over 100 countries all over the world.

At Devonshire we are enthusiastic about reading and want to show that off, which is why we too are getting involved in the celebrations.

- * We would love the children to dress up as a character from their favourite book, but please do not feel that you have to spend money on a brand new costume for them. Please see the accompanying flyer for costume ideas that you may well be able to find around the house!
- * **The Year 2 team would like the Year 2 children to come dressed up as a pirate for the day.**
- * **The Reception team would like the Reception children to dress up as a character from one of the Julia Donaldson books. i.e. The Gruffalo; A Squash and a Squeeze; What the Ladybird Heard; Room on the Broom.**
- * **The Nursery team would like the Nursery children to come in their pyjamas and bring their favourite book in as well.**
- * Throughout the day the children will also be taking part in a variety of activities based around different books that have been picked by their teachers.

Thank you very much for your support, if you have any queries please do come and ask.

Yours sincerely

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