



Dear Parents/Carers,

Thursday 7th March 2019 is World Book Day. World Book Day is a registered charity on a mission to give every child and young person a book of their own. It's also a celebration of authors, illustrators, books and (most importantly) it's a celebration of reading. At Crown Lane we will be celebrating this event with a series of fun activities throughout the day including a very special assembly. We would like it if you could allow your child to dress up as one of their favourite book characters for the day. There will be prizes for the best costumes.

We will also be holding an 'Extreme Reading' competition. To be in with a chance of winning a prize, simply send in a photo of your child reading their favourite book in a strange place. Catch them reading in the most bizarre and extreme places that you can imagine! Please remember to keep safe! All entries to be submitted to their class teachers by Tuesday 5th March.

All children will be sent home with a £1 book token. These can either be used to get one of a selection of 12 **free** books or be used to get £1 off of a book of their choice.

WH Smith 180-182 High Rd, Streatham and Crow on the Hill, 50 Westow Street are just two of the local book shops that you will be able to exchange your vouchers for books. Please encourage your child to get their free book to continue their love of reading.

I look forward to seeing some amazing costumes and photos of children reading in whacky places!

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