



Thursday 23 February 2017

World Book Day – 2 March 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians

During the week beginning **27 February** the students in Pre-Prep, Prep and Senior School will be celebrating **World Book Day** with a variety of events.

Over February Half Term the children in Years 1 – 10 were asked to choose and memorize a poem. They will all then take part in the House competition and the best poetry reciters from each House will perform their poem in our Inter-House Poetry Assembly.

On **Thursday 2 March**, the Prep and Pre-Prep children will participate in our Inter-House Poetry Assembly to celebrate the richness and variety of literature that surrounds children and adults alike in the world today.

All students EYFS – Y13 will also be invited to dress up as their favourite book character for the day.



Please support your child in sourcing their favourite book, character, costume and if possible, bring in their book to class to read and share with their friends. For more information relating to World Book Day please click the logo above to go directly to their website.

There will be guest reader visits in Prep and Pre-Prep from various staff members and older students, Prefects and Sixth Form who will share their love of life long reading with our younger children.

All students will receive a book voucher from The World Book Day Organization for their participation in this event.

During the week we would encourage parents to continue to read at home and talk to your child about what you love to read, sharing your favourite book and a life long love of reading which is a fabulous gift for parents to pass on to their children.

Thank you for your continued enthusiasm and support.

Kind regards

Hilary B Marsden

Headmistress