



# Barrowby Church of England Primary School

February 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

## World Book Day & Book Fair



This year we will be celebrating World Book Day on **Thursday 2nd March 2023** and we would like to invite you to join us in helping your child to make the most of this special occasion.

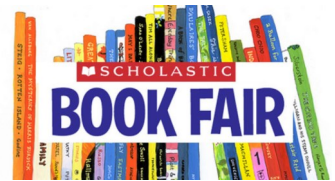
We are inviting the children to come to school in non-uniform on **Thursday 2nd March 2023**. This year, we are encouraging the children to come dressed as their favourite book character.



In addition, children can create a 'Book in a Box' and bring that in on the day too. This should be no bigger than a shoe box. Children should create a scene from their chosen book and character within the box. These will be judged by our school's Librarians and announced at the Collective Worship on the following day-Friday 3rd March 2023, where prizes will be awarded. There is no charge for these activities.

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 receives a £1 World Book Day Book Token, that entitles your child to ONE FREE £1 World Book Day book OR £1 off a book or audiobook priced at £2.99 or more in all participating bookshops.



Your child will bring their token home on Friday 24th February and tokens can be redeemed at most UK bookshops. Please help your child to use it on or around World Book Day, by visiting your local bookshop, alternatively the book tokens can also be redeemed at our Book Fair, this will take place in school on the following dates, **Wednesday 1st March, Friday 3rd March and Monday 6th March from 3.15pm - 4.00pm.**

The Book Fair will be situated in the hall and you are warmly invited to visit the Book Fair, we very much look forward to seeing you there.

This is a great opportunity to further encourage and reinvigorate children's love of books and reading.

Yours sincerely

Mr L Batey  
Headteacher

