



# Ryecroft C.E. (C) Middle School

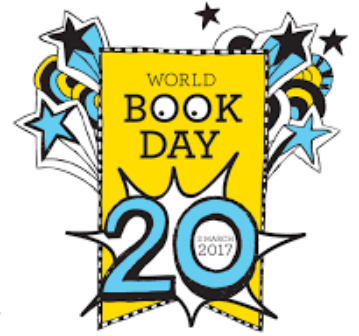
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Dear Parents / Carers

## World Book Day – Thursday 2nd March 2017

This year Ryecroft C.E. Middle School and Dove C.E. First School will be celebrating World book day together. Our theme this year is 'Literary heroes'. We will be focusing our events on our favourite authors, with a variety of book themed activities throughout the day.

Please come to school dressed as a character from a book written by your favourite author. We will hold a fashion parade and there will be a prize for the best costumes in each year. Those who choose not to dress up should wear uniform as usual.

There will be joint activities between the schools throughout the course of the day including:

- **Peer reading** – children will get the opportunity to read with a friend from the other school and share part of their favourite book.
- **A debate** – Year 4 and 5 children will write persuasive arguments as to why their chosen author is a literary hero.
- **Book themed lunch** – There will be a special themed lunch made by our fabulous kitchen team – rest assured your children will not really be eating 'ratburgers'!

All pupils will be given a World Book Day Book Token worth £1, which can be exchanged for a special £1 book or put towards a children's book of their choice.

It should prove to be a fun and exciting day for all and we thank you in advance for your support.

Yours sincerely,

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