

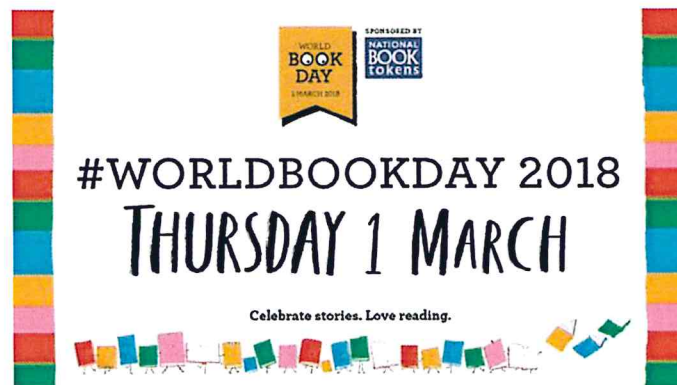


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Dear Parents & Carers

For our World Book Day celebration on Thursday 1st March this year, we will be taking all the children from Reception to Year 6 to our local library in West Kirby. As well as encouraging the children to enjoy reading and exploring the range of books available for loan, we hope that this experience will be interesting, fun and educational. We also hope that the visit will foster stronger links between Avalon and our local library.

We would like the children to wear a costume on World Book Day: the theme will be 'I am a character from my library book.' We are hoping that, before WBD, you will be able to help your child to choose a book from one of the local libraries and create a costume based on their favourite character. (As we will be walking to the library along the Wirral Way, suitable shoes will be essential) If you are unable to visit one of the local libraries, your child will be able to borrow a book from their class library or the school library.

On our library visit the children will participate in activities, led by the library staff and will have the opportunity to change their library books.

If your child is not a member of the library, it is free to join. You can join at your local branch and just need to take proof of you name and address. Books can be renewed on line.

More details about the arrangements for World Book Day will be sent to in due course, before the special day.

Should the weather be unsuitable for walking on the 1st March, the trip will be postponed until the following Thursday 8th March.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Callaway
Headteacher