



FEDERATION

The Grinling Gibbons and Lucas Vale Federation  
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Dear Parents and Carers,

## **WORLD BOOK DAY**

Next week – Thursday March 1<sup>st</sup> – is World Book Day! Here at Grinling Gibbons, we will be celebrating by dressing up as characters from a well-known Fairy Tale. This is because every class has been working on a particular Fairy Tale, both this week and next!

There will be prizes for the most original costume in each class – and the more home-made they are – the better! So please don't feel you have to rush out and buy a costume. Instead, why not encourage your child to adapt some clothes they might already have, and/or make their own props. Could they be Grandma from Little Red Riding Hood? Or what about the mouse that got changed into a horse in Cinderella?

## **SPONSORED READATHON**

Rather than asking you to pay for dressing up, we want all our children to take part in a sponsored readathon. Over the week, we want children to read as many books as possible. You may sponsor your child to read one, two, three books... etc or maybe you could sponsor them per chapter! All money raised will go towards buying kindles, and we are aiming to raise £500. Remember – every little helps, and as well as raising money for a good cause, you will be encouraging your child to read in a fun way.

## **£1 BOOK VOUCHER**

On this day, your child will also receive their world book day voucher to swap at a bookshop for one of the 10 special World Book Day books, or get £1 off a book of their choice.

We look forward to seeing all the wonderful costumes on Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> March and to raising lots of money to benefit our children.

Thank you as always for your continued support.