

Dear Parents

It is **World Book Day** on **Thursday 4th March** and our Literacy leader Mrs Koumpi (4G Class teacher) has organised lots of fun activities for children to do online or in school if they are here on that day.

Some children love to dress up and they will be invited to dress up – *if they want!* They will certainly be encouraged to bring a favourite book to one of their live meets or into school if they are in on that day. *Dressing up is entirely optional!*

In addition The Friends have organised a fantastic competition for the children to take part in which you may wish to start thinking about over the half term holiday.

Please read the attached flyer. There are four categories:

1. “Extreme Reading Photo” - Take a photo of you reading a book in an usual or funny place (see the Virgin Giving page to see where some of the staff have got to!)
2. Design a book cover
3. Infants – write a postcard from your favourite book character
4. Juniors – write a lockdown diary entry in the role of your favourite book character – 150 word limit

Prizes to be won for every category!

Please note that all entries will be shared within the school community on Tapestry or Google Classroom and so if you submit a photo we assume you have given your consent for this.

Children may enter up to 3 categories and it is £2 per entry. Payment is made via the virgin giving page which you can find on the flyer. Send all entries to stmonicasvirtualbookdaycomp@gmail.com

We look forward to seeing all your entries – which **must be submitted by 1st March.**

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