



## WINDSOR HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

### WORLD BOOK DAY CELEBRATION

Dear Parent,

We are celebrating World Book Day on **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> March** and we will be using this opportunity to further encourage our pupils to develop a positive attitude to reading.

Whilst circumstances this year do not permit us to host our usual Book Fair and events in school, we would like to mark the occasion by inviting pupils to take part in a '**Potato Challenge**' competition. The children can use a potato and whatever materials they have at home to create a book character of their choice. This should provide lots of scope for creativity and an opportunity for children to reflect on characters from their favourite story books. A photograph of your child's entry should be uploaded to Seesaw on or before Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> March, which will be shared on the school website. A prize will be awarded to the winning entry from each class. More information and examples will be shared by class teachers via Seesaw.

In addition, we have registered as a school for the '**David Walliams Amazing Assembly**' in celebration of World Book Day. This is a free digital event for P4-P7 pupils which will take place on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March at 10.30am and can be accessed from the comfort of your home. More information and a link to the event will be provided on Seesaw as soon as it becomes available.

World Book Day is an opportunity to encourage your children to explore the pleasure of books with the aim of developing a lifelong love of reading and have fun! We are fortunate to have access to a variety of digital reading books through platforms such as Bug Club and MyOn, which we hope you will continue to make good use of as we endeavour to promote a love of reading in our children.

Please feel free to get in touch should you require further information.

**The ability to read well opens the door to the whole curriculum.**

Yours faithfully,

R. Nesbitt  
Literacy Co-ordinator



(Some ideas for your creations - Do you know which books these characters are from?)

