

SIR JOHN BARROW SCHOOL



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Dear Parent/Carer

Book Week 2018

Book week 2018 starts on Monday 26th February. As usual we have lots of exciting things planned for your child to take part in.

The Scholastic book fair: Thursday 1st March – Wednesday 7th March 3:15 – 3:45

Use your World Book Day vouchers to buy a book from the fair. Our rewards for running the fair allow us to buy books for classrooms, the library and the reading scheme. Prizes from the fancy dress competition can also be spent at the fair.

Reading Safari: Wednesday 28th February 2018 1:30pm

The children will travel from room to room and enjoy a different story in each venue (explorer gear optional!). If you would like to be part of this experience as a listener or a reader, please let me know. You could go on safari with your child's class or read a story to some children yourself. There will be a member of staff present as well as yourself!

Music Festival Competitors: Thursday 1st March 2:00pm

Children who are competing in the Music Festival at the end of term will perform their poems in Assembly for KS2. Parents and carers of competitors are invited to watch.

Reading Competition Final: Friday 2nd March 2:00pm

Children will be given a short extract from a book to read/perform. There will be heats in classes on Monday and then a final on Friday afternoon. We are very sorry but the hall will be full that day so we are unable to invite parents and carers.

Fancy Dress Competition: Friday 2nd March – morning

Please send your child dressed in their costume; we can help with last minute adjustments but do not have time to dress a full class! They should also have a copy of the book in which their character is found. Group entries are allowed however the prizes will be shared. Please send school uniform for the rest of the day as it is often difficult to play out in costume.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs N Fletcher

MUSIC FESTIVAL Please complete the following reply slip to let us know which events you would like to attend

Child name: _____

Class: _____

I would like to attend (please tick):

The Music Festival Performance (my child is a competitor) at 2.00pm on Thursday 1st March

The Reading Safari at 1.30pm on Wednesday 28th February (please tick below)

- I would like to travel with a group ____
- I would like to tell a story _____