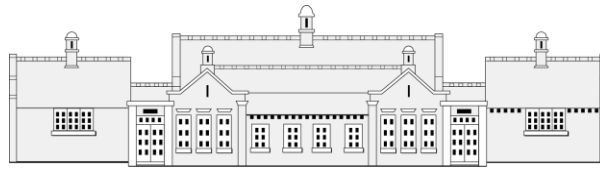


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Wednesday 13th February 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

Book Week 2019

Book week 2019 will be a little bit different this year. We will run events from Thursday 7th March to Thursday 14th March. As usual, we have lots of exciting things planned for your child to take part in.

Library Visits

Reception – Year 6 will be visiting the library in Ulverston. They will have an opportunity to look around the library and to share a story. We will also try to make sure all children have their own ticket for the town library. Please let us know if you can help walk the class to the library. Class teachers will confirm times nearer the day.

Reception: Tuesday 12th March

Year 1: Wednesday 13th March

Year 2: Wednesday 13th March

Year 3: Thursday 14th March

Year 4: Thursday 14th March

Year 5: Monday 11th March

Year 6: Tuesday 12th March

World Book Day Vouchers: 7th March

Each child in school will receive a £1 voucher for World Book Day. You can spend these in any bookshop. Some special issue books for World Book Day cost just £1. Alternatively, why not save your voucher and use it at the Scholastic Book Fair the following week. You will also be able to use prize money from the Fancy Dress Assembly at the book fair.

Fancy Dress Competition: Friday 8th 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.



Music Festival Competitors: Friday 8th March 2:00pm

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

Reading Competition Final: Tuesday 12th March 2:00pm

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

Reading Safari: Wednesday 13th March 1:30pm

The children will travel from room to room and enjoy a different story in each. 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! Please sign the slip below to let me know you are coming.

The Scholastic book fair: Thursday 14th March – Wednesday 20th 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.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs N Fletcher

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 visit to the town library. I can walk with the class.

The Music Festival Performance (my child is a competitor) at 2.00pm on Friday 8th March

The Reading Safari at 1.30pm on Wednesday 13th March (please tick below)

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