

# MANOR

## CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY, YORK

Established 1812 • Principal: Mr Simon Barber, MA

04 February 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

### World Book Day 2020

World Book Day (WBD) takes place on Thursday 5th March 2020

WBD celebrates the joy and value of books and reading, especially for young people. Schools and libraries across the UK celebrate World Book Day with a huge range of events and activities. Manor CE Academy have organised the following:

### Non-Uniform: Costume Day 5<sup>th</sup> March

A huge staff and student costume day for years 7-9. All costumes will be themed around books, authors and reading. Costumes can be as simple or as complex as students like, but must be age appropriate and should not be expensive!

Therefore, it will be a non-uniform day for these students wishing to participate.

However, the usual donation will not be required on this day. A peer reviewed lunch time **Fashion Show** will take place in the LRC and the best costumes in terms of quality of costume and imagination will be rewarded with a prize

### Other Events

- Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February – **Triwizard Tournament** – Student teams can sign up to beat the clock, maze and crack codes.
- Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March – **Themed Book Craft Workshop** - Create some book themed crafts at this one off workshop.
- Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March – **Special World Book Day Kahoots Quiz** – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize available.
- Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March - At 12.00 noon, there will also be a **'Stop and Read'**. Everyone will drop everything and read for 20 minutes!

### WBD Token

To help get them started on their reading journey, every student receives a £1 World Book Day token that can either be exchanged for one of the £1 World Book Day books or used to get £1 off any book costing £2.99 or more. You can find out more about the books at <http://www.worldbookday.com/books/>. The token can be redeemed at most UK bookshops until 29<sup>th</sup> March 2020.

### Scholastic Book Fair 17<sup>th</sup>- 24<sup>th</sup> March

We hope that your child will be able to visit to browse the wide range of books available, perhaps use their book token to make a purchase. The more we sell, the more free books we will be entitled to receive as a school!

### Book Donations Welcome

If you have any teen/children's titles at home, please consider the L.R.C. as your first port of call for book donations. We will gladly take children's fiction & non-fiction and general non-fiction titles, which are less than 10 years old. Please drop them off at our Reception Desk or bring them into school via a student. Items deemed as unsuitable will be taken to a local charity shop.

We look forward to seeing your child participate in the many planned activities organised.

Yours sincerely  
M O'Neill, Librarian

