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Dear Parent/Carer,

World Book Day's definition of Reading for Pleasure is: **Feeling a sense of satisfaction or pleasure by engaging with chosen reading material in their free time.** We would like to promote reading as much as possible to help encourage our children to become **'readers for pleasure'**.

During World Book Day, we would like to invite the children to dress up in PJs or as their favourite book character and bring in a favourite book to share. The children will take part in many fabulous workshops on the day and hear about other exciting opportunities across the year.

One activity will be our **Masked Reader** task, where children will watch videos of each other and try to guess who is reading. During the next week, we would like as many of the children as possible to **film a short 1-minute clip of themselves reading a story behind a <u>non-scary</u> mask, at the end of the extract they can reveal their identity. The masks can be simple, homemade ones or for the tech-savvy, a filter on the video. Please send them to your department's email address by Monday 3rd March and the teachers will make sure they get to the right person.**

There will also be an exciting opportunity to win a golden ticket:



Many thanks for your encouragement and support.

Mrs Birkin and Miss Lang (English Leads)













