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Dear Parents/Carers

Children's mental health week

It has been a busy and fun-filled week of learning in school, with some very important messages being shared. Please be sure to check out your child's Tapestry posts with them so they can talk and share their learning with you.

Parent Governor appointment

Following the close of applications, and with no additional candidates applying, Mrs Gemma Sherring was duly appointed. We welcome Mrs Sherring to our Governing board and look forward to her continued support within school.

Coming up next half-term:

World book day – Thursday 5th March

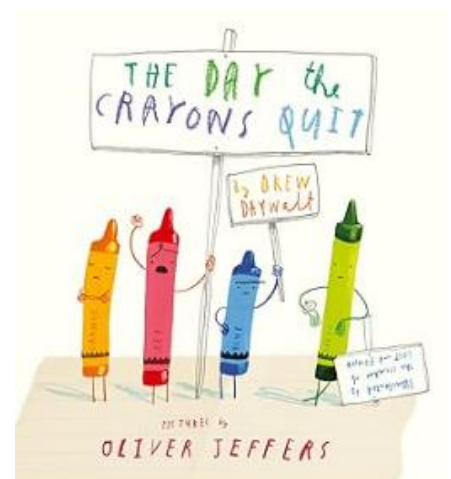
We are excited to be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5th March, using the much-loved story "The Day the Crayons Quit" by Drew Daywalt and Oliver Jeffers.

To make the day extra fun and inclusive, each class has been assigned a colour linked to one of the crayons from the story. Children are invited to come to school dressed mostly in their class colour.

There is no need to buy a costume – everyday clothes are perfect. Any outfit is welcome as long as the colour is clear (for example: a coloured jumper, dress, football kit, superhero costume, animal costume or even just accessories).

Our class colours are:

- Nursery – Yellow
- Snowbears – Blue
- Very Hungry Caterpillars – Red
- Gruffalo – Green
- Percy the Park Keepers – Orange
- Stardust – Purple
- Paddington Bears – Brown
- Night Pirates – Grey



Throughout the day, children will enjoy a range of creative activities focussed on colours, feelings, listening to others and expressing ideas, inspired by the story.
Thank you for your continued support – we're looking forward to a wonderfully colourful day!

Parents day – Monday 16th March

Just a date for your diary for now. School will be closed for the day to enable all parents to attend an appointment with their child's class teachers to discuss progress, any concerns or any areas of need that you may feel we can help with. Mrs Newcombe, our home school liaison worker and Mrs Burrows, our SENDCo will both be available on the day to meet with you as well. Appointments will be available nearer the time.

School closes today and reopens on Monday 23rd February at 8.30am.

As always, please let us know if you have any questions or need any further support.

Yours sincerely



Mary Weatherburn
Headteacher