

HUTTON RUDBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you have all had a pleasant half term and hope you and your family have had chance to rest and recuperate. As I begin to see the beautiful signs of spring on what feels like endless long walks and runs I feel a real positivity and promise in the air. Better times are coming and we will, as always, make sure your wonderful children whether they are in our classrooms or on our screens have a safe, happy and most importantly fun half term. With this in mind I am just writing you to remind you about our World Book Day Celebrations this year and to update you on some of the content for the day.

As a reminder, World Book Day is on Thursday 4th March and our theme is 'Snuggle up and Share a Story'. Children who are in school that day are invited to wear something comfy to go with the 'Snuggle up' theme (this might be pyjamas, a onesie or loungewear) and we would love the children at home to do the same! Each teacher has chosen a book to share with their class on the day in school and will also record themselves reading the book for those who are at home. Please see the table below for a list of the books being shared in each class. There is no expectation or need to buy a copy of the book or books your children will be sharing on that day if you are at home but I have put a link to where you could buy the book if you were wanting your own copy. I hope you find this useful. I have also put this list on the World Book Day 2021 page on our website, that you can find in the home learning section.

Class	Story to be shared and link to where we bought the book
Reception	Rain before Rainbows – Smriti Halls and David Litchfield https://www.amazon.co.uk/Rain-Before-Rainbows-Smriti-Halls/dp/1406382353/ref=sr_1_1?crid=58GMMVKMYP21&dchild=1&keywords=rain+before+rainbows&qid=1613834993&srefix=rain+be%2Caps%2C170&sr=8-1
Year 1	My book with no pictures – B.J. Novak https://www.amazon.co.uk/My-Book-No-Pictures-Novak/dp/0241444179/ref=sr_1_1?crid=2B0NM2X4L6IG9&dchild=1&keywords=my+book+with+no+pictures&qid=1613835481&srefix=my+book+with+%2Caps%2C162&sr=8-1
Year 2	The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig – Eugene Trivizas https://www.amazon.co.uk/Three-Little-Wolves-Big-Bad/dp/1405275030/ref=sr_1_1?crid=1AKQ8LXPLYKJO&dchild=1&keywords=three+little+wolves+and+the+big+bad+pig&qid=1613835648&srefix=three+little%2Caps%2C206&sr=8-1
Year 3	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe – C. S. Lewis https://www.amazon.co.uk/Lion-Witch-Wardrobe-Chronicles-Narnia/dp/0007323123/ref=sr_1_1?crid=1R2NS54D68E5&dchild=1&keywords=the+lion+the+witch+and+the+wardrobe+book&qid=1613835969&srefix=the+lion+the%2Caps%2C184&sr=8-1
Year 4	James and the Giant Peach – Roald Dahl https://www.amazon.co.uk/James-Giant-Peach-Dahl-Fiction/dp/0141365455/ref=sr_1_4?crid=3IB035KVRT442&dchild=1&keywords=james+and+the+giant+peach&qid=1613836126&srefix=james+and+the%2Caps%2C177&sr=8-4
Year 5	The Hobbit J. R. R. Tolkien and The Hobbit: A Graphic Novel Mr Beckwith will be using a combination of both texts but will share electronic versions of the original text so no requirement to buy books https://www.amazon.co.uk/Hobbit-Graphic-J-R-Tolkien/dp/0261102664/ref=asc_df_0261102664/?tag=googshopuk-21&linkCode=df0&hvadid=310942017077&hvpos=&hvnetw=g&hvrand=3436434511555711757&hvsone=&hvtwo=&hvqmt=&hvdev=m&hvdvcmld=&hvlocint=&hvlocphy=9046806&hvtargid=pla-43365929222&psc=1&th=1&psc=1
Year 6	The Arrival – Shaun Tan https://www.amazon.co.uk/Arrival-Shaun-Tan/dp/0734415869/ref=sr_1_1?crid=2KYD3H8I2L7Q&dchild=1&keywords=the+arrival+shaun+tan&qid=1613982374&srefix=the+arrival+sh+a%2Caps%2C146&sr=8-1

Later this week, timetables with the activities your child will be doing on the day will also be posted on the World Book Day section of our website and be sent to you via Class Dojo, so that you know what we are doing in school and



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can make plans for whatever you would like to do at home. As always, we understand the huge challenges of home schooling so do not feel any pressure to do all or any of the activities if you do not feel it is right to do so. Each teacher has planned varied activities which hopefully will be manageable in terms of resources at home however if there is something you do need please contact either myself or your child's class teacher and we will use our best endeavours to help you out!

For more information about World Book Day please visit their website www.worldbookday.com

As always if you have any questions, concerns or need further information please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours Sincerely

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