

### **Book Swap**

Children are being asked to bring in a book which they have read and no longer want to keep and swap this with another child's book which they haven't read before to keep and take home. Book swapping days will be Wednesday and Friday this week. Children may bring one book to swap on one day or both those days.

### **Grandparent's Afternoon**

Grandparents are being invited in to school to read to small groups of children. This event is taking place Friday afternoon in school.

### **Book Nooks**

Some classes may be asked to bring in a small blanket, teddy bear and a favourite book so they can create their own little cosy 'Book Nook' in class where they can curl up and read their own books.

### **Dressing up day**

Thursday will be our big whole school dressing up day. Children have been asked to come to school dressed as bees or in something yellow/ black to create a whole school hive of bees which links to our themed book this year- Bee and Me.

### **Reading Challenge**

Every child will be given the opportunity of entering our Reading Challenge which consists of 12 different things to do related to reading. Each time a challenge is completed they can colour it in. When all 12 have been completed, we ask that an adult signs their entry form and this will then be entered into a prize draw. Closing date for entries will be Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March. The Reading Challenge sheets can be found attached to this letter.

### **Book Fair**

We will be hosting a Book Fair every day after school this week. Children and their families are invited to come along and be tempted into purchasing a new great read. Your child will be given a £1 World Book Day voucher which will give them £1 off any book from the Book Fair this week.

These are just some of the highlights planned for this week; I'm sure you will agree that much effort has gone into planning this week and with your continued support, I am sure we can make this one of our most successful Reading Weeks ever!