

New Approach to Reading at Cuckoo Hall  
World Book Day  
Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our ongoing work to improve our school and help children become better readers, we have introduced new teaching methods and bought many new resources that we want to share with you.

Being a confident reader is one of the most important skills a child has to master in order to be successful in all other areas of the curriculum as well as achieving future success in life. Therefore, it's crucial that at school and at home we foster a love for reading and help children master the many skills and behaviours required to become a fluent, confident reader.

This year we have introduced two new teaching methods and have bought a vast number of resources to help us in achieving our goal. We would like to share these resources and explain the new approach so that you can also help your child to enjoy reading and achieve well.

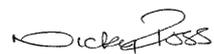
On **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March** it is World Book Day and we will be holding two meetings for parents to launch our new reading approaches and resources. Please take half an hour out of your day to attend one of the meetings so that you are fully aware of the new expectations and can support your child at home. The meetings are for all age groups from reception to year six and will be held in the Upper School Hall at **9am and 6pm**.

**World Book Day for Children.**

Children have been asked to bring in their favourite book, poem, comic and so on, to share in class. They will also take part in a range of activities throughout the day to raise the importance of reading for enjoyment. This year children **will not** be dressing up for World Book Day.

I look forward to seeing you at one of the reading meetings on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March where a crèche will be provided for you.

Kind Regards



Nicky Ross