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Dear Parent/ Carer,

## World Book Day

We will be celebrating 'World Book Day' on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2021 in a variety of fun and engaging ways. Please see details of the day below.

### Dress up as a book character

We understand that it may be more challenging to make or buy a costume this year due to the current guidelines in place for essential travel. As a result, there is no expectation that your child has to dress up. If however, you do already have a costume and your child would like to dress up, whether in school or at home, they are more than welcome to.

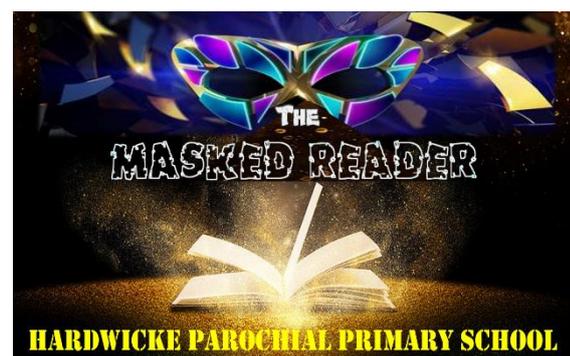
### Competition time



This year we would like you to create your favourite book character out of a vegetable. You may wish to carve, decorate or add accessories to your chosen vegetable to create your book character. Please email photos of your vegetable character to SLT by 5pm on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2021. Winners will be announced on Friday during celebration worship. A winner will be selected from Reception, KS1, Lower KS2 and Upper KS2.  
[SLT@hardwicke.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:SLT@hardwicke.gloucs.sch.uk)

### The masked singer

Inspired by the ITV show 'The Masked Singer', Hardwicke staff have created their very own World Book Day version. During the morning, children will watch an episode of 'The Masked Reader' and guess who the masked adult reading their favourite book is. Later in the afternoon, the unveiling episode will be shared with the children and we will find out who the readers behind the masks are!



### £1 Book Tokens

On World Book Day, a £1 electronic book token voucher will be emailed to you. Please read the small print on the electronic voucher to find out how to spend it.

We look forward to celebrating the day with you all.

Thank you for your continued support,

Miss Thomas  
Deputy Headteacher