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Dear Parents,

On Friday 3th March 2023, we will be celebrating World Book Day. As part of the celebrations, children are invited to dress up as a book character of their choice.

We are aware that costume days can become expensive and so are encouraging children to make costumes or use items of clothing they already own. Please find below a list of costume ideas which we hope will be both affordable and easy to create.

If you are finding it difficult to source a costume, please speak to your child's teacher who will be happy to help.

If you have any old costumes that you think another child at school could use, please bring them to the office for donation.

Yours sincerely,

The English Team

Mr Armson, Ms Cope, Miss Nutley, Ms Murcott



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Create a mask

Use plain paper or cardboard to create a mask in the style of a character from the *Tom Gates* or *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* series. Children wear a plain white top and black trousers.



Reuse Halloween costumes

There are plenty of characters children could become with a witch's hat or superhero cape. If you do not have these already, they can be made with a piece of cardboard or black bin liner. You could even refashion as stick or twig to become a magic wand.



Wear your pyjamas

Lots of children's characters wear pyjamas during their adventures. These can be worn to school on top of warmer clothes.





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Raid your wardrobe

- Wear a stripey top to become Burglar Bill, Omar or Amazing Grace.
- Wear red and dress up as Ada Twist, Tracy Beaker, Little Bad Man or George with his marvellous medicine.
- If you have any orange clothes, use them to become the main characters from Charlie & Lola or Look Up!
- Wear a green top and come to school as Peter Pan or the Little Prince.
- Wear a blue top with a bandage round your head to become Mr Bump, or wear a blue jacket and make some bunny ears to become Peter Rabbit.
- A blue dress would be perfect to dress up as Matilda, Dorothy or Ruby, whilst a blue shirt would be great to dress up as Amari.
- Transform into the dictionary! Wear a white top and use sticky labels to cover it in words.

For some more ideas, we recommend visiting these websites:

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/12-no-sew-roald-dahl-costumes>

<https://www.worldbookday.com/dressing-up-ideas/>

<https://www.penguin.co.uk/puffin/world-book-day.html>