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Dear Parents/Carers

World Book Day on Thursday 5th March 2020

Kineton High School will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 5th March 2020. Students in all year groups are encouraged to dress up as their favourite character or wear suitable non-school uniform on Thursday 5th March to celebrate the day. Please note that year 10 and 11 students will be involved in Shakespeare screenings and/or drama trips on this day. With this in mind whilst they are welcome to wear non-school uniform we would ask that they would refrain from wearing costumes. There will be a voluntary £1 charge and a donation will go to the World Book Day charity, Book Aid International.

We will be hosting author Matt Dickinson on Monday 2nd March. Matt's books for children and teens include the Carnegie-nominated The Everest Files trilogy, the Mortal Chaos series, and the award-winning thriller, Lie, Kill, Walk Away. Matt will give presentations to all KS3 students about his writing and adventures as an award winning Director/Cameraman for National Geographic TV, Discovery Channel and the BBC. He has filmed on Everest's summit (the first British film maker to do so and get back alive), in Antarctica, Greenland, Alaska and on top of the highest live volcano in the world. He will also offer inspirational workshops to small groups of our KS4 and KS5 students.

On Thursday 5th March, World Book Day, there will be various activities which include: Sixth Form led quizzes, a short story through the day, a lunch time 'Jackanory' session in the library, a book themed treasure hunt and Year 12's are currently planning 'celebration of reading' themed lesson 'take overs'.

Finally all students will be offered a WBD token which entitles them to either a £1 WBD book or £1 off any book worth £2.99 or more, at participating stores.

Yours sincerely

Miss Hooper
Teacher of English