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Dear Families,

Joy of Reading Festival

As you are aware, we are always proud to promote a love of reading at Grazebrook and to keep everyone thinking and engaged throughout the Winter we will be holding a **Joy of Reading Festival** on **Friday 29th November**.

This event will be a whole day of activities across the school to celebrate all aspects of making and reading books. On the day, the children can **dress up as their favourite book character** for the day and all **parents are invited to stay after drop-off** and read from **9:00am - 9:30am** with their child in their classrooms.

In addition, we are organising library visits, storytelling, reading competitions and we have invited several local artists, writers and illustrators, including some who are parents at Grazebrook, to deliver a range of workshops throughout the afternoon. Children will also have the chance to take part in a range of reading activities across the week which will be celebrated in assembly on the day of the Festival.

The PSA have very kindly offered to help us run a **great book swap event** in the hall in the afternoon, which will enable every pupil to take home something new to read. Please do keep bringing in your donations of quality second-hand books for this. This will be followed by another of the PSA's famous cake sales!

This is a whole school community project, so if you would like to be involved with this special event please speak with Lisa in the school office or any member of the senior leadership team.

Best wishes,

Sarah Paxton and Harry Spencer

English Team