

ST BEDE'S
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

26th February 2021

World Book Day - Thursday 4th March 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

This year World Book Day is a bit different because we won't all be in school together to celebrate but we still look forward to this special day. With this in mind, this year we are going to focus on one very special book: *The Invisible String* by Patrice Karst.

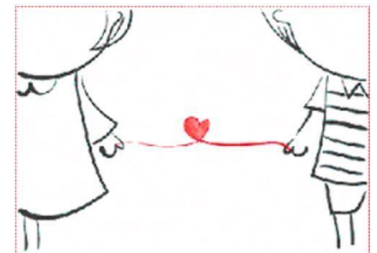
This story is about invisible strings made of LOVE that connect us to all those we love and miss when we are apart. Even though you can't see the string; you can feel it in your heart. This seems a very fitting book for the times we are all finding ourselves in.



Throughout the day, whether in school or via remote learning, children will engage in a variety of activities linked to different themes of the story. The purpose of sharing this book as a whole school theme this year is to illicit children's responses through a variety of different ways in order to support the emotional health and wellbeing of our pupils. We will also be sharing other stories with the children with the underlying themes of courage, resilience and hope through difficult times.

There won't be a need to dress up as a book character this year. We are all living a unique story and we will celebrate the children being the lead character in their own story. Children in school, and at home, are able to dress in their own clothes to express themselves and the character they are.

We hope the children will enjoy the special day and be comforted that thought we are sometimes apart, we are all connected. We look forward to seeing and hearing their responses.



Best wishes

Miss R Ellis

Assistant Headteacher / English Lead

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