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Dear Parent/Carers,

Literacy Week – The Spoken Word: Week Commencing Monday 26th February 2018

World Book Day (Thursday 1st March) is fast approaching and to promote the importance of reading and literacy, Lealands High School will be offering students an adapted curriculum during the week commencing Monday 26th February 2018. Throughout the week, all lessons for students in Years 7-9 will have a literacy or literature inspired focus with the theme focusing on 'the spoken word'.

Year 7 students are particularly lucky this year as we will be visited by author and illustrator Richy K. Chandler on the Tuesday. He will be running a workshop on expressing yourself through art, and we are very much looking forward to his visit.

As is fast becoming a tradition at Lealands, there will be a number of other reading inspired events for students to enjoy including a book swap, a book fair, games and competitions in the LRC, a reading inspired menu in the dining area and a day of dressing up as our favourite characters on Thursday 1st March. It is important that students do not see this as a non-uniform day where they come in simply wearing their normal clothes. If students do not wish to join us in dressing up as their favourite character from a book, they will be required to wear their usual full school uniform.

Similar to last year, there will be a Scholastic book fair coming into the school on Thursday 22nd February up until Tuesday 27th February, available for students during the LRC opening hours. Students will be gifted a £1off book voucher which they will be able to use at the fair. In addition to this, you can also purchase vouchers online to use at the Scholastic book fair, which ensures that your child will be using the money to buy a book at the fair. To purchase this you can go online at <https://www.scholastic.co.uk> and search 'gift vouchers'. Alternatively, we will also be accepting cash.

We thank you for your continued support with the programme.

Yours faithfully,

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Literacy Coordinator



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