



John Ray Infant School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Books, books and more books has been the focus of this week. It all looked a bit dull today in assembly with the children back in uniform! Thank you for all your efforts with costumes yesterday, the children all looked amazing and it really helped bring the world of books to life.

Massive recognition to all the staff who really embraced my idea of a themed dress up – I think I may have got the better deal as Willy Wonka but was so so impressed with the dedication of everyone else to the Oompa Loompas. Even embracing some dancing in assembly!

Each class took part in activities based around a chocolate themed book. Year Two looked at the poem Chocolate Cake, Year One - Mr Bunny's Chocolate Factory, EYFS - 'The Love Monster and the Last Chocolate' and Nursery – Chocolate Mousse for



Greedy Goose. The children all had a great day and we all enjoyed admiring their costumes in assembly.

Next week is science week, the children will be taking part in lots of fun science based activities, investigations and experiments throughout the week.

Please see the separate letter about our visit from 'Night Owls' and also the times when your child's class will be hosting a parent session for you to come and participate in activities during the school day.

Parking around the school seems to becoming more chaotic than normal over the last few weeks. Can I please ask that you do not stop on the yellow zig zags, park on or block neighbours drives. Please park safely and then walk your child from further afield if necessary.

Comic Relief is also next Friday so wear something red if you can and bring a small donation if possible.

Have a fantastic weekend - hopefully this weather lasts,

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Mrs Christian
Headteacher

