



KOWLOON
JUNIOR SCHOOL
九龍小學

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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Book Week will start on Monday! Students are thrilled that the day has finally arrived and we'll be celebrating World Book Day and our love of books over the course of the week.

The Library Team and Student Council are ready and we're excited to share with you all the activities that will take place. Please look at our [Book Week website](#) for more information (Year level activities will be live on Monday).

This week, many students and Parents have been asking questions about the Week. Here are some questions and answers that may help alleviate some concerns:

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How much money should my child bring to the fair? Is \$100 enough money?

We suggest that all money or Octopus be clearly labeled in a wallet or envelope with your child's name and class. \$100 is enough to purchase 1 book and we suggest you bring no more than \$300.

My child travels by bus. Will they be allowed to attend the Book Fair?

Your child's classroom teacher will arrange a time during the 3 days to bring your child to the Book Fair. They will let you know which date they have selected.

My child travels by bus but I would like to pick them up afterschool on one of the days to attend the Book Fair. Where should I pick up my child and where should I go to attend the fair?

For changes in afterschool travel arrangements, this should be clearly communicated with your child's classroom teacher. All children who are picked up are led to the "pick up area" located outside Year 2. After you pick up your child, you can walk to the 4th floor shared area to the Book Fair.

If my child purchased a book that I think is inappropriate, can I exchange the book if I go with them afterschool?

We hope you can discuss the type of books that your child should purchase at the fair before their selected date. While it's not encouraged, but exchanges are possible if the plastic wrapping has not been removed.





MOTHER TONGUE READERS

When will Mother Tongue Readers be held? I thought it would be held during snacktime play?

Due to the great response from our KJS community, we are able to organize mother tongue readers to come in during their child's library time.

What languages will read read?

Many languages will be read but amongst them include: Cantonese, Mandarin, Hindi, Gujarati, Korean, Japanese, Russian, Spanish, Italian, German, Turkish, Tamil, Indonesian, Sinhalese and English.





Do I have to dress up?

You don't have to dress up. This year's Book Dress Up Day is optional.

I don't have the book of the character I want to dress up. What should I do?

We suggest that students borrow the book from our library. Please ask our library team for assistance if you cannot locate the book.

Why do I need to donate a book to the PTA office for Book Dress Up Day?

Our book dress up day is arranged much like our casual days at school. On casual days, we kindly ask students to donate a suggested amount for a charitable organization selected by our students. For



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Book Dress Up Day, our library monitors and library team would like to raise donations for KJS Parent Teacher Association (PTA) who are great supporters of the library.

To be sustainable, we are asking families to donate used books in good condition to PTA. Books can be dropped off by the PTA office on Friday, March 3rd. All books collected will be sold at the KJS School Fun Day on Saturday, March 18th.

Can I donate more than 1 book to the PTA on Friday, March 3rd? I have lots of books that I no longer read or need.

Absolutely! We kindly ask for at least one book donation but you can always donate more to the PTA office.

We know you may have more questions that are not answered. Please don't hesitate to email Ms. Lau at macy.lau@kjs.edu.hk if you have any questions.

Have a great weekend.

Kind regards,

Library team

