

A Letter from the Library



21 September 2020

Hello Students, Parents and Caregivers,

Book Week 2020
Mon 19 October – 23 October

Given the restrictions imposed by COVID-19, the Children's Book Council of Australia decided earlier this year that Book Week will be rescheduled to Term 4.



Allendale East Area School will be celebrating Book Week from Monday, 19 October to Friday, 23 October. A program of events is yet to be finalized, but if we are unable to have parents on site due to COVID-19 restrictions, a live streaming of the Dress up Day Parade could be possible. Stay tuned to more information in Term 4.

Book Week Themes

Each year the Children's Book Council chooses a theme for Book Week, which has been going since 1945 when the 1st theme was "United Through Books".

2020 marks the 76th Book Week with its theme:

Curious Creatures, Wild Minds!

The CBCA Book Week theme can be explored in different ways. One way is to see your child as a curious creature with a wild mind. The other is to explore curious creatures in the world and from the imagination.

Children could dress up as a character from a book that has curious children in eg *Curious George*, *Alice in Wonderland*, *Ada Twist – Scientist*, *Rosie Revere – Engineer*; or from books with children that have great imaginations eg *Where the Wild Things*.

So, get your thinking caps on!



Regards,
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