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Dear Parent/Carer

World Book Day and Love Reading 4 Schools

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World Book Day is an annual event that celebrates a love of reading and literature. All students at Landau Forte Academy Amington are entitled to a free book from a specially chosen range. These special edition books, normally costing £1.00, are available for free in exchange for the enclosed coupon.

We would recommend "Best Mates" by Michael Morpurgo or "Dork Diaries: How to be a Dork!" by Rachel Renée Russell for our younger students. "Geek Girl: Geek Drama" by Holly Smale, or "Killing the Dead" by Marcus Sedgwick would be best suited to older readers, and these authors are also taking part in the World Book Day Teen Fest (www.wbdteenfest.com), a series of events designed to promote reading for pleasure.

To redeem your coupon simply take it to a participating retailer: WH Smith's, ASDA or Tesco between Monday 2 March and Sunday 29 March. Alternatively you may use the voucher to provide a £1.00 discount of another children's book. We hope that all of our students will enjoy their new books!

To help our students engage with reading both inside and outside the Academy, we have partnered with LoveReading4Schools.co.uk to provide reading lists for students of all ages. With so many parents and carers now having internet access, we hope this will prove very convenient.

All books are available to buy at a 25% discount from their recommended retail price. Uniquely, parents can download a free Opening Extract of each book to find out which can be enjoyed before buying. As a bonus, for every £100 spent by parents of our school we are given a £5 book voucher to purchase more books for the Learning Resource Centre, benefiting your child even further.

To access these lists, simply go to the webpage below:

http://www.lovereading4schools.co.uk/viewschool/8342/favourite

You will be asked to register as a parent and create your own account. It's free, and it enables us to be sent our free book vouchers for our library. All you need is an email address and a password that you can remember. Once you have registered you will need to log in each time you visit the school reading lists. After registration you will be sent to the Academy's book list page. Just click on any of the book lists to see the books in those lists. Finally, please remember to bookmark our school's page to make it easier for you next time you visit the site.

For more information about World Book Day, please visit www.worldbookday.com, where more information about the books themselves can be found.

If you have any questions or concerns about your child's reading, please feel free to contact me at the Academy.

Yours sincerely

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