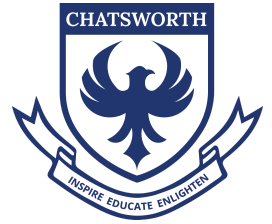


20 March 2020



Dear Parents & Guardians,

Bukit Timah Campus Book Week: April 6-9

At Chatsworth we strive to develop our students' literacy and to encourage a love of reading. In pursuit of these aims secondary students will be celebrating the written word during Book Week March 6-8. We have a variety of activities planned to celebrate writing, books and authors.

As usual, we will end the week with '**Character Dress Up Day**' Thursday April 9. On this day students and teachers are encouraged to dress up as a book character. This dress up day is FREE! Unfortunately, due to Covid19, we will be unable to have a parade of characters, but we have found some interesting ways to share our costumes with all our schoolmates using technology. There will be voting, there will be prizes!

We ask students to be respectful in the manner in which they dress. The following are not permitted: revealing tops/spaghetti strap tops and shorts must be of appropriate length. Students must also not wear sandals or flip-flops type shoes (i.e. shoes must fully cover the feet). If students are dressed inappropriately, they will be sent home to change by their homeroom teachers. Please make sure all students are dressed appropriately prior to arriving at school and we refer you to our section on "General Appearance" in the Student Handbook for further guidance.

One of the activities is '**Blind Date with a Book**'. Students have been requested to bring in a pre-loved book. They should wrap it like a present or they can wrap it in recycled newspapers in their Language and Literature classes. These books will be exchanged and the students will read their books. Students will, later, have an opportunity to convey their appreciation of the book to their peers.

We thank you for your continued support in encouraging our students to read.

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