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Dear Parents and Carers,

We're really looking forward to our visit to the **Festival of Stories next week!** It promises to be a brilliant opportunity for the children to meet authors, hear about their work and enjoy celebrating books and reading together.

A quick reminder of our visit days:

- **KS2 – Monday**
- **Wrens and KS1 – Thursday – No Woodland School on return – Pupils to wear uniform.**

Please could all children be **at school by 8.10 am**, ready for us to leave promptly at **8.20 am**.

Children will also have the opportunity to **buy a book by one of the authors they see at the Festival**. Please look out for an envelope coming home with your child. If you would like them to purchase a book from **The Roving Book Store**, please put the correct cash inside, write your child's name clearly on the envelope and return it to school with them.

KS2 will be hearing from **Christopher Edge**, an award-winning children's author known for exciting, imaginative stories which often blend adventure, mystery and science. His latest book, *How to Steal the Future*, will be available to buy at the Festival for **£9**.

Wrens and KS1 will be hearing from poet **Kate Wakeling**, whose playful, imaginative poetry is full of wonderful ideas, language and fun. Her latest book, *The Flying Machine of Dreams: Come Aboard for a Magical Poetry Ride!*, will be available for **£12**, and her other recent book, *A Dinosaur at the Bus Stop: Poems to Have Fun With!*, will be available for **£8**.

We can't wait for the children to enjoy this lovely opportunity and hopefully come back feeling even more excited about **books, stories and poetry!**

Thank you,
Ella



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