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**AUTUMN TERM SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR:
MONDAY 15TH NOVEMBER – FRIDAY 19TH NOVEMBER 2021**

Dear Parents/Carers,

It is almost that time of year again, when the Scholastic Book Fair visits us here at Normanton Junior Academy! This is one of my favourite times of year. School is buzzing with book-related excitement, the children are bursting to tell each other all about their purchases and each and every sale sends funds straight to school. What's not to love? These funds are then channelled back into classrooms. In fact, just before half term, our newly appointed librarians were given £300 per year group to spend on books. They interviewed their classmates to find out what kind of books they would like and then joined me on an online shopping spree. These books have now arrived and will be distributed this week into classrooms!

The book fair shall be in school between Monday 15th November and Friday 19th November. This year is even more exciting, as for the first time since Covid-19 began to hinder school activities, we are able to invite parents to visit the book fair with their children after school again!

When can I visit?

- Your child will be given an opportunity to visit the book fair with their class, during the school day. If you are unable to attend after school, please ensure that they have money in a labelled purse or envelope if you would like them to be able to purchase a book. The days will be as follows: Year 3 – Monday, Year 4 – Tuesday, Year 5 – Thursday and Year 6 – Thursday.
- The book fair will be open after school Monday – Thursday 15:00 – 15:30, in the School Hall and will be accessible via the hall fire exit doors. **Please note that the book fair will not be open after school on the Friday as it will be collected that afternoon.**

How can I pay?

- You can pay in cash on the day.
- You can pay with a prepaid voucher. Please see the Scholastic website for more details. **Please note you will need to print these and no change can be given if paying with a prepaid voucher. Vouchers are only valid for the period of the book fair.**
- If you have access to the internet on you phone, then you can make an online payment at the book fair and pay by card. This can be accessed using a QR code that will be made available at the book fair.

We look forward to welcoming you to school for this brilliant event!

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