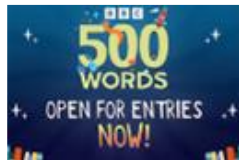


## International Week

### Celebrating Ourselves

13<sup>th</sup> October - 17<sup>th</sup> October

This year we are holding an international week, with children given the opportunity to share each other's cultures. The week will include listening to traditional tales, traditional songs, food tasting, dance and much more. As always, we will be looking for volunteers to help and we will be sending out more details next week. If you could spare some time that week, please let the school office know.



The national 500 words story competition is upon us again!

Last year, we had a few children who made it through the first round and were presented with certificates. The finalists this year will be invited to Windsor Castle to meet lots of stars and authors as well as the Queen herself!

The lovely thing about this competition is that spellings and punctuation are **not important!** It is all about the ideas and content of your 500-word story.

If you would like to enter the competition, please see the website below for everything you need to know. I would also love to read any you have entered so please send them to school as well!

Mrs Williams

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/500-words>

## GOLD BOOK

Year 1 – Calum

Year 2 – Izzy

Year 3 – Leo

Year 4 – Bea

Year 5 – Patrick

Year 6 – Aoife

This can now be found on school website. [GOLD BOOK](#)

## Harvest Festival

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October- 9.15 am



All parents are invited to attend our Harvest Festival.

This year, we ask for donations to Hertford and Ware Food Bank

We ask for donations of the following:

- Tinned meat & fish
- Long Life Fruit juice
- Tinned potatoes
- Tinned vegetables
- UHT milk, coffee & tea
- Cooking sauces
- Rice and Pasta
- Tinned rice pudding and custard
- Shower gel, soap, toothpaste

**Join us for...**

# **Opal parent day**

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October**

We will be sharing the latest OPAL developments and you will have an opportunity to play with your children using our OPAL equipment!

**1.45pm-3.00pm**

**Please bring  
an OPAL  
donation.**

## **Welly Swap**

Welly Swap will be next Wednesday or Thursday.

We will have wellies paired up against their shoe size. We just ask that if they are swapping, they are paired and put in the correct pile ready for the next person.

All classes need to do is allow the pupils who need to swap to just come along with the pair they no longer need and take another size up.