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Dear Parents and Carers,

Your child has chosen to take part in this year's Weald Book Awards book club. This involves your child reading the six books, taking part in some of the competitions and attending events that are held at the Weald. The book club will run until the Spring term and is an exciting opportunity for children to read a selection of six, age-appropriate books from a shortlist selected by the Weald librarians. As part of the Awards your child has been invited to attend a **'Speedy Books' event at the Weald School on Wednesday 15th November at 3.30pm to 4.30pm**. The event will give the children the opportunity to discuss and share some of the six books they have been reading from the Awards shortlist. All the feeder schools for the Weald are invited, so this is a great opportunity for your child to discuss the books with children from other schools, as well as some of the Weald librarians.

As a part of the book club, your child will have the opportunity to complete some competitions in school. These include:

- Designing a new front cover for one of the books.
- Creating a new character that could help or hinder the plot.
- Writing a letter to a character in one of the books.
- Creating a poem or a rap inspired by one of the books.
- Creating a movie trailer for one of the books.

The entries to the competitions will be sent to the Weald directly through school.

On Wednesday 15th November, the children will be taken down to The Weald after school but should be **collected directly from The Weald main entrance** (by the leisure centre) **at 4.30pm**. Alternatively, with permission children can walk directly home on their own.

Please complete the electronic form by **Wednesday 1st November** to confirm your child's attendance and confirm arrangements for collection to ensure that they are able to take part.

[Microsoft Forms](#)

Yours sincerely,

Year 6 Team