

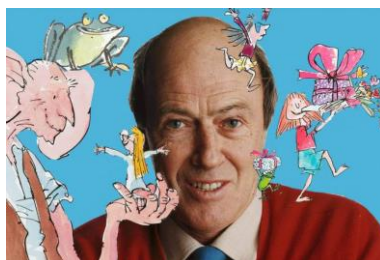
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Dear Parents and Carers

'ROLL WITH DAHL' – CREATIVE LITERACY PROJECT
9TH-13TH January 2017

We are very excited to inform you that Parkwood Schools Federation will be running a literacy project entitled 'Roll with Dahl' at the beginning of 2017. The aim of the project is to enable the children to access and engage with the work of Roald Dahl, whose centenary was celebrated recently. This will provide exciting contexts for them to write creatively. The final outcome of the project will be a poetry writing competition which takes its inspiration from Dahl's poetry such as 'Revolting Rhymes' and 'Dirty Beasts'.

Both Infant and Junior schools will take part in the project which will run for the first full week after the Christmas break, when the children will learn about Dahl's life and works in order to find out more about one of our most celebrated and popular children's authors.

As a 'Grand Finale' children and staff are invited to come into school on Friday 13th January dressed as a Dahl character. We are looking forward to seeing a multitude of Oompa Loompas, Matildas and Trunchbulls, witches and big friendly giants, fantastic foxes and enormous crocodiles.

At 3pm we would like to welcome parents and carers into classrooms to view the children's scrumdiddlyumptious work.

It's sure to be splendiferous, gloriumptious week!

Yours sincerely

Literacy Team