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Dear Parents and Carers,

## **"AROUND THE WORLD IN AN AFTERNOON" - WHOLE-SCHOOL THEME DAY**

This half term, each year group has been looking at a different country. To bring all our learning together, we will celebrate these countries on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February.

We are asking the children to come to school in the traditional dress of their country. If this is not possible, then they could wear colours that link to their country's flag or even dress as an animal from their country.

The countries/continents we've been learning about are:

Reception	Italy
Year 1	Australia
Year 2	China
Year 3/4	Africa
Year 5	Russia
Year 6	Scandinavia

We are inviting parents to join us in school from 2.00pm on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February to take a look at the learning from each year group and to join in with the activities that the children will be doing. Among the treats in store will be a Viking feast and museum, African dancing and drumming, an exhibition of Fabergé eggs, and Australian songs. There will also be some traditional foods to sample. We hope that you will be able to join us on this exciting afternoon.

Finally, we are very grateful to St John's PTA, who have kindly made a donation towards resources and cooking ingredients for our theme day.

Kind regards,

**Mrs S Darlington**  
Curriculum Leader