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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Literacy Project

I am delighted to confirm that Class 3 will taking part in a literacy project, organised through Durham County Council. The children will be attending Wolsingham library and working with a range of authors and illustrators with the aim of stimulating and developing their writing skills.

There are a total of six master classes organised throughout the academic year. Our first visit to the library will be on Friday 4th November 2016 between 9.30 and 10.30am.

There is no cost associated with this project and transport has been arranged and paid for by Durham County Council.

Following the first master class, I will be organising an after school creative writing club which will allow children to meet older members of our community as part of an inter-generational project. The aim is for older members of the community to share stories of how life was in Weardale when they were young. These stories will be written up by members of the after school club and made into a book later in the year. A letter will be sent out inviting children to take part in this after school club nearer the time.

If you have any queries regarding this project please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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