

## *Julia Donaldson Week*

Dear Parents/Carers,

Just to let you know that Julia Donaldson is our Year 1 Author of Year for 2018/19. To promote this the children will be having a Julia Donaldson week in school. This will be running from Monday 10<sup>th</sup> to Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September. The children will be offered a range of activities based around the author and her brilliant stories for children. We will also be visiting Oldham Library for a story experience.

One of the activities that we are planning is a dress up day to take place on Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> September.

It would be great if your child could come to school that day dressed as a character from one of Julia Donaldson's books. Here are a few suggestions of the titles to use and dress up ideas:

Gruffalo – fox, squirrel, snake, owl, Gruffalo

Room on the Broom – witch, dragon, dog, cat, frog, bird

Smartest Giant in Town – smart trousers and a tie with a pair of fancy socks

What the Ladybird Heard – ladybird, farm animals, burglars with masks and swag bags

Squash and a Squeeze – an old woman and an old man, farm animals

The Scarecrow's Wedding – boy and girl scarecrows, farm animals

Zog - knight and wizard

Hope we have a lovely week. Thanks for your support.

Year 1 staff