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Dear Parents/Carers,

Dyslexia Awareness Week 2nd-8th October 2023



We are very excited to be celebrating Dyslexia Awareness Week!

Here at Park Hill Junior School we are trying to raise the awareness of all different types of learners.

Dyslexia is a learning difference that affects reading, writing and spelling. Many people find that dyslexia brings all sorts of positive gifts, such as exceptional creativity, imagination, communication skills, problem-solving and the ability to think outside the box. However, people with dyslexia may also have difficulty processing and remembering information they see and hear, and this can affect the development of their literacy skills.

We would like to invite you to a <u>Parent Workshop on Literacy Difficulties</u> on Wednesday 4th October 5.30-6.30pm. All parents are welcome and a U-rated film will be available in a classroom for children to watch if childcare is an issue.

In addition we will be holding a **Uniquely Me Mufti Day on Wednesday 4th October,** where children can come into school wearing clothes that represent themselves. Please bring a £1 donation for supporting literacy at PHJS.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Waxer

Assistant Head Teacher and SENDCo



