



## Malvern Parish C of E Primary School

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Dear parents and carers,

It will soon be National Poetry Day – this day is the biggest mass celebration of poetry in the UK and it's a chance for all of us to share in the pleasure of poetry. At Malvern Parish, we will be celebrating by sharing poetry with one another and KS2 will take part in an official Guinness World Record attempt to take part in the largest ever poetry lesson across multiple venues.

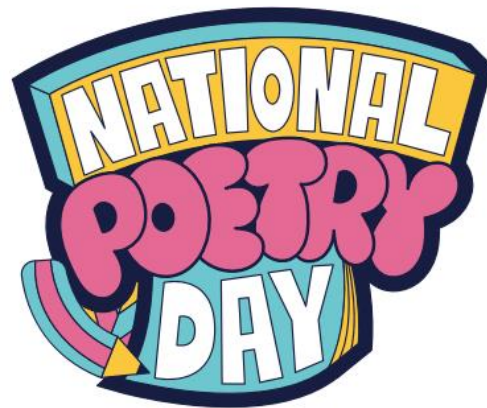
The theme for this year is 'counting'. The children have begun to think about ideas for what 'counting' could mean. They have been really creative and have interpreted 'counting' in many different ways. Ideas are being submitted to the organisers and we will take part in a huge live poetry lesson on October 3<sup>rd</sup> during which time we will be able to make decisions and contribute to how we would like the joint poem to come together.

We really hope that we will 'count' towards a successful world record attempt!

As it is an official record, there are some rules about how the number of children taking part are counted and evidence needs to be submitted. We need to supply photos and videos of the backs of the gathered children taking part in the joint lesson on October 3<sup>rd</sup>. Photos and videos will be taken from behind to minimise identification of individuals. If you do not wish your child to take part in this joint lesson, please inform your child's class teacher.

Kind regards,

Mrs Allen



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