



Merrydale Junior School

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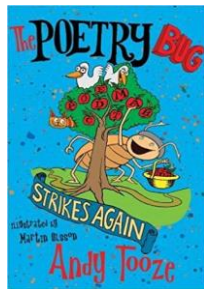
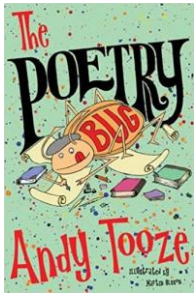
Deputy Head: Antony Corbett

10th November 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

On Friday 13th November, we are very excited to be welcoming Andy Tooze, a poet who will be delivering an exciting poetry experience to our children.

The day will consist of a mixture of virtual and group sessions. The group sessions will take place in the hall which is fully ventilated. Mr Tooze will be positioned in a socially distanced manner, at least 2m away from the children and the hall will be cleaned between each group. During the sessions, the children will be writing their own poems ready to perform in a virtual celebration at the end of the day.



There will be an opportunity to purchase copies of Andy's books: The Poetry Bug and The Poetry Bug Strikes Again. These will be available for £5 each. **If you would like to purchase one for your child, please send £5 in a named envelope on Friday. Unfortunately, as these are purchased directly with the author, we are unable to process them through the school ParentPay system.**

Please check out our twitter feed @MerrydaleJuniors to see what we get up to during the day and ask your child to perform their masterpieces when they return home after school.

Yours Sincerely

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