



*St. Gabriel the Archangel Multi-Academy Trust*

## St. John the Evangelist Catholic Academy

*"Lord be thy word my rule."*

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to share an exciting creative opportunity for your child on behalf of Ink & Imagination – Forrester & Pickford Books.

Your child is invited to take part in a children's writing competition, open to KS2 pupils. Children are encouraged to submit an original short story for the chance to have their work published in the back of our upcoming book.

### **Competition Details:**

- Closing date: 1st April
- Maximum length: 300 words (theme of children's choice)
- Number of winners: Four
- Prize: Each winner will receive a free copy of the book featuring their published story

### **How to Enter:**

- Stories may be typed or handwritten
- Handwritten stories should be delivered to Mr Forrester
- Typed submissions must be emailed by a parent or carer
- Please send entries to: [Inkandimaginationfp@gmail.com](mailto:Inkandimaginationfp@gmail.com)
- Include the child's first name and age only

### **Important Information:**

- All stories must be entirely your child's own work
- Stories will be published exactly as submitted and will not be edited
- Winners will be selected after the 1st April deadline

This competition is a wonderful opportunity to encourage creativity, imagination, and confidence in young writers. We look forward to reading all of the fantastic stories that are submitted.

Thank you for your continued support, and we wish all of the participants the very best of luck.

Kind regards,

Mr Forrester

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