Book Week Theme 2014 – ‘Connect to Reading – Reading to Connect’

Purpose of Book Week - According to the Children’s Book Council:

‘A celebration of the written word, Children’s Book Week introduces young people to new authors and ideas in schools, libraries, homes and bookstores. Through Children’s Book Week, the Children’s Book Council encourages young people and their caregivers to discover the complexity of the world beyond their own experience through books.’

Book Week will take place from 16 August – 22 August. The winners will be announced on Friday 15 August. There are six categories of books Older Readers, Younger Readers, Early Childhood, Picture Book of the Year, Eve Pownall Information Books & Crichton Award for new Illustrators. The shortlisted books for each category are listed below.

Please join us for Book Week Character Parade in the School Hall on Thursday 21st August.