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Dear Mr Dyson

CWIG Reading for Pleasure Award

The Society of Authors is a trade union for professional authors of 11,000 members. Over 11% belong to the Children's Writers and Illustrators Group (CWIG) and these authors regularly visit schools across the country delivering talks and workshops. We believe that reading is the core skill that liberates all aspects of education - so we have established an award scheme that allows individual authors to celebrate schools for their excellence.

We are delighted to announce that Brian Abram is so inspired by your commitment to reading for pleasure, that he has given you an award with the following citation:

This school puts reading for pleasure right at the top of the agenda. When I visited the children were engaged and interested in the stories I told and had lots of searching questions about my circumstances (I am a full-time wheelchair user). Since my visit, my book has been used in lessons and I will be very keen to visit again in the future when I publish further books.

Please find an information pack enclosed along with a personally signed certificate from award-winning author and SoA President Philip Pullman. We hope you will enjoy the award and wish to prominently display the materials in your reception and library. A flyer details how you may maximise the impact of the award, but please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any queries.

Many congratulations!

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