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Dear Parent/Guardian

We will be hosting a virtual author event for all Year 8 pupils on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> April in the afternoon.

The book is called 'When the World was Ours' and is by author Liz Kessler. Although it is a fictional title, it is based on the life of her father, who escaped from Austria to Britain during World War II. It is about three friends whose lives diverge in a shocking way. It is a very well-written and thought-provoking book. English teachers are reading extracts from the book to the boys this week. The boys will be encouraged to ask questions and will have the opportunity to find out more about the book and the author.

The boys will be able to buy the book, a very attractive hardback, at £10 per copy (the RRP is £12) on the day. They can bring money on the day or I will take IOUs for boys who don't have cash on them but would like a copy. Boarders can have the purchase added to their boarding bill. The book is not available via WisePAY as the event is organised outside LRGS.

Please email me ([jdenwood@lrgs.org.uk](mailto:jdenwood@lrgs.org.uk)) if you have any queries.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs J Denwood  
LRGS Librarian