



The Federation of Winklebury Infant and Junior Schools

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Year R Themed Learning Day

Dear Parents,

As part of our themed learning days the children will be learning about the importance of clean water and how children from other countries around the world do not have access to clean, healthy water.

They will be learning about the work of the national charity WaterAid and the difference that money received from donations can make a difference to the lives of others. For instance:-

- £15 provides safe water for one person
- £30 provides a toilet for a household in India
- £50 provides a hand pump for an entire village in Nepal.

To support the children's learning we are encouraging them to help raise money to enable others to have access to water which is safe and will improve the quality of their lives. To enable us to do this we will be holding a charity event during our themed learning day on Friday 26th May. The children will be carrying cups of water on their head around the school field. They will be challenged to walk ten laps whilst holding the cup steady. This experience will enable the children to understand that in some countries, people have to walk long distances in order to provide water for themselves and their families. The children will be wearing their P.E. kits for the walk and these will come home at the end of the day to be refreshed during half term.

To encourage and help your child in supporting WaterAid we ask that you send in a donation on Friday to help us reach our target of £100. We are not going to specify how much we would like you to donate but £1 per child across the year group would raise £58 in total and £2 per child would raise £116 in total, which would exceed our goal. However we are very grateful for any amount that you can donate.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs L. Bell
Early Years Team Leader

