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Dear Parents/Carers,

Charities and Funding Raising

As a school, we are always looking to show compassion and respect to all and one of the ways we do that is through supporting charities and good causes over the course of the year. I am also aware that with the times we live in and the challenges that many people face, the need for supporting charities is greater than ever and that with fund raising for school as well, it can seem that we are always asking for money. This puts pressure on families and particularly at times to buy some of the merchandise associated with some of these charities and can take away from the meaning of why we are supporting them.

We are looking at which charities that we would like to support this year and the fantastic response we had to "Going Purple" for Black Country Women's Aid highlighted the need to support local charities more. I will be asking the School Senate as part of the Junior Leadership Team which national charities we would like to support alongside local charities.

We have chosen 3 local charities this year to support:

- Black Country Women's Aid
<https://blackcountrywomensaid.co.uk/>
- Black Country Food Bank
<https://www.blackcountryfoodbank.org.uk/>
- Edwards Trust – Supporting children and families facing loss and surviving bereavement
www.edwardstrust.org.uk

Thank you for all your continued support.

Kind regards

Mr Simpson
Headteacher

