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## **RAGS2RICHES4SCHOOLS RECYCLING SCHEME**

Dear Parents,

We have signed up to the Rags2Riches4Schools recycling scheme, to raise money and help others around the world benefit from our good quality unwanted clothes and shoes. If you can, please use half term to have a good clear out, so we can raise funds for school.

We will get 40p for every kilo we collect of reusable items towards school resources and would be most grateful if you could help us with this challenge at home.

**We have a collection booked on Friday, 24 February 2023**, so please keep good quality, clean clothing to donate to us on this date.

### **Clean and reusable items that can be donated:**

Good quality clothes and accessories.

Adults, childrens and babies clothing such as jackets, jumpers, hoodies, trousers, skirts, scarves, gloves, belts, handbags, paired shoes and other footwear etc.

**\*\* Any shoes – Please tie or pair up together.**

### **They cannot reuse the following items:**

Worn out shoes or clothes, clothes that are wet or have holes in.

Curtains, pillows or duvets, bric-a-brac or books, or personalised items.

Work uniform, school uniform or school sports kit

### **If you are unsure what to put in the bags, then**

#### **STOP AND THINK - WOULD SOMEONE ELSE BUY & WEAR IT?**

If it isn't something you'd wear out and about yourself or pass to a friend, then no-one else will want to buy and wear it so unfortunately, it's not reusable and can't go in the bag.

Donated clothes and accessories are sent to Europe, Africa and even further away to be sold at market stalls as affordable items for those in real need of clothing.

Please can you leave your bags on the grass by the bin store (next to the main gates on the driveway) on the morning of:

**Friday, 24 February 2023 before 9.00 am.**

Many thanks

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