



The Skylark Federation

Plumpton Primary School

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February Fundraising Fortnight – beginning Monday 3rd February

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to inform you that, from Monday 3rd February, Plumpton School will begin its annual 'February Fundraising Fortnight.' This year the School Council has once again voted to fund raise for 'food items' for the Trussell Trust Food Bank rather than collecting a monetary donation.

All classes are going to be completing events to collect as many food items as possible. Currently, the Trussell Trust are short of the following items so we would like to collect as many of the following as possible:

Long-life puddings, tinned custard, tinned rice, tinned meat, shower gel, shampoo, conditioner, baby bath, baby shampoo, toothpaste, washing powder/gel, washing up liquid.

Any other long-life items would be gratefully received too.

Here we confirm what each class will be doing for its fundraiser:

Owls: will be taking part in a climbing challenge. Working in teams and taking turns, we will be seeing how many times we can climb to the top of the wall bars and down **Mrs Francis**

Kingfishers: will be seeing how far they can travel by wheel. We will do laps of the playground and work out how far we have collectively travelled. Pupils can bring in any **form of wheeled vehicle** that is person powered (no electronic help!). We will confirm the exact day nearer to the time. Please could pupils bring a **helmet** as well on the chosen day. If you are unable to bring something in, children can share their vehicles.
Miss Phillips

Woodpeckers: are going to take part in a **Reading Marathon!** From the beginning of the day, until the end of the end of the day, we are going to have at least one person reading! Each person will read a book of their choice, either independently or to an adult. **Miss Daley**

Lapwings: Lapwings will do a Sponsored Tech-free Eco day. Children can come to school wearing green and will take part in a variety of eco-friendly activities, all without using any technology. **Miss Newnham**

Robins: putting their balancing and agility to the test, Robins will be taking part in laps of an obstacle course, having fun navigating many different physical challenges and practising their control and coordination using a range of equipment. **Miss Ross**

For pupils in Year 5 and Year 6, the FFF also kickstarts their PATINA fundraising for this year – please look out for a separate communication from the Year 5/6 teaching teams about this.

For the FFF, please find the sponsor form overleaf.

L. Newnham

Miss L. Newnham
Deputy Head of School



