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Dear Parents/Carers

Usually, at this time of year, we organise activities to raise money for Comic Relief. However, this year, we have decided to raise funds and awareness of a different charity - The Royal Marsden Cancer Charity. The Royal Marsden Hospital have a specialist Children and Young People's Unit treating all types of cancer.

A member of our school community, Lily Eaton from 1b, was diagnosed with Leukaemia in January and is currently being treated at the Royal Marsden Hospital.

As a school community, we would therefore like to raise funds for the Royal Marsden Cancer Charity in Lily's name. The fundraising events will take place during the last week of this term - 1 - 5 April. Further details will follow, but the last day of term will be a non-uniform day to end the event, when we will ask all children to wear "a splash of pink", as this is Lily's favourite colour.

We ask that you keep Lily and her family in your thoughts and prayers and thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Paula Cooneyhan
DEPUTY HEADTEACHER