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Lyndhurst Junior School

A King's Group Academy

'A Learning Journey to Success'

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Dear Parents/Carers,

In order to help develop social and moral values within our children, we encourage pupils to support charity work throughout the year, therefore increasing awareness of the diverse needs of others. We hope this encourages our children to develop a sense of citizenship, whilst growing empathy and respect, boosting their own self-esteem, self-confidence and self-worth.

This month, we are pleased to support both Comic Relief and 'Wear a Hat Day' in support of Brain Tumour Research. As we are supporting both charities this year, we are suggesting a donation of 50p for each event.

Comic Relief takes place on Friday 19th March 2021. The theme this year is 'Superpowers'!

On the Friday, children are invited to attend school in a superhero costume (this could also be a real life superhero such as your mum, dad, a Doctor, a teacher, a shopkeeper... the list is endless!) and donate 50p. We will also be holding a household Superhero competition. Using just five household items, in just one hour, what superhero costume can you create? Bring a picture of your household superhero costume in to school by Monday 22nd March and hand in to your teacher, to be in with a chance of winning the competition for your year group! Throughout the day, children will have the chance to share their favourite jokes in class. At the end of the day, all children will take part in a 15 min 'Superhero' Just Dance session. All children will receive a certificate for participating in the day's events.

'Wear a Hat Day' takes place on Friday 26th March 2021 and is in support of Brain Tumour Research. This year, the charity are celebrating key workers who have played a pivotal role throughout the pandemic.

On the Friday, for a donation of 50p, we invite children to wear a hat to represent a job / career of their choice. The children may make their own hat if they wish to do so. Normal school uniform will still need to be worn. Throughout the day, the children will learn about the different jobs represented by the hats worn. We would like children to research either 3 facts about hats or 3 facts about their chosen job (or a mixture of both) to share in school.

We hope you will join us in having fun and supporting these charities during this difficult time, whilst highlighting the important aspects of their work, with the children.

Many thanks for your continued support,

Mrs Bannister-Palmer.

