

Dear parent/ carer,

# **Red Nose Day**

#### Friday 19 March 2021

Red Nose Day is back and after a funny old 12 months, we're more than ready for a giggle.

## What is Red Nose Day?

- Red Nose Day is a fundraising event run by Comic Relief.
- Comic Relief is a UK charity which aims to create a **just world free from poverty**.
- The money raised is used to transform lives in the UK and around the world.

## Why we're taking part

Pupils learn valuable life skills and gain understanding and empathy for others in the world.

- After a difficult 12 months, it's a great way to get together for a socially distanced giggle.
- Our school can really make a difference to people's lives.

#### Where the money goes

- £5 could provide school stationery to a child living in poverty.
- £10 could get 40 meals to children and families in need.
- £50 could buy a bike for a health visitor so they can provide vital health care for hard-to-reach families.

To make sure everyone stays safe, we'll be following the latest Covid-19 guidelines. But rest assured, we've still got lots of laughs in store.

Here's what we've got planned...

- Share your best jokes with us- by email or video message (staff, families and students);
- A quiz within each bubble in afternoon meeting time;
- Wear something red as part of your usual school uniform;
- A voluntary donation which will go to Comic Relief;
- A House Competition for the funniest joke and most money raised.

Don't forget to donate what you can and share your family's best jokes.



This year, we've set ourselves a target of £500. However much we raise though, it will change lives, both here in the UK and worldwide.

We'll also be using Red Nose Day as a learning opportunity to explore the issues facing young people across the world, and how the money we raise can help.

We really appreciate your support and hope that you'll have fun helping us raise lots of money for Red Nose Day.

Yours faithfully,

Dr Catherine Walton Assistant head teacher