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Dear Parents/Carers,

Comic Relief Red Nose Day/World Down Syndrome Day - Friday 21st March 2025

We will be celebrating Comic Relief's Red Nose Day and World Down Syndrome Day on Friday 21st March. Children are invited to dress in their own clothes and to wear odd socks.

We will be collecting £0.50p cash donation for Comic Relief.

Since its launch in 1985, Red Nose Day has become something of a British institution. This year it is celebrating it's 40th Birthday! It is the day, every two years, when people across the country come together to raise money at home, school and work for some great causes. Comic Relief spends the money raised by Red Nose Day to help people living tough lives across the UK and abroad and we are really excited to be getting involved and supporting such great causes.

LET'S TALK 'SUPPORT' THIS WORLD DOWN SYNDROME DAY. The theme for World Down Syndrome Day 2025 is all about support. Everyone needs support sometimes. The support that we may need will be different for every person, and that's just the same for people who have Down's syndrome. Getting the right support at the right time opens up opportunities for people who have Down's syndrome; so they can live the lives they want, giving them choice, control and dignity. Families also need support, to care for and advocate for their loved ones.

Our children will be finding out all about the work Comic Relief and Down's Syndrome Association do and how their money will be spent during next week.

Please remember that the children will still be playing outside at break and lunch time and therefore will need a warm waterproof coat to wear over their chosen outfit.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Emily Morris

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