



The Curzon C of E Primary School



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Tuesday 8th March 2022

Dear Families,

You will all be well aware of the current situation taking place in Ukraine. Whilst it is a deeply troubling time for those involved, we are also aware that, in today's world of technology and social media, many of our children will be seeing or hearing bits of information related to the current crisis and we will continue to deal with any concerns in an age appropriate manner. As a school we have discussed the ways we could play a small part in supporting or helping those most affected.

As a Church of England School, everything we do is based around our core vision and values; the ultimate aim of teaching our children about values is so that they can use these to make informed choices and grow as human beings.

With the support of Mrs Saywood (Parent in Year 5) who have kindly offered to lead with donations, we will be organising a collection for the children of Ukraine. **See information sheet below with all the relevant information to support.**

We will be putting out collection boxes on Thursday and Friday this week, and again, on Monday morning in readiness for delivery to the collection point.

At a time like this, it can feel like we can only stand and watch. Hopefully, by working together as a community, we can support our children to feel like they can make a small, but positive, contribution to the people of Ukraine at this time.

Thank you for your support; we are proud to be part of such a caring and compassionate school community and I know our children will really value the opportunity to help and support those living in, or leaving, Ukraine.

Yours faithfully

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Ukraine – Polish Orphanage appeal “The Happy Kids Foundation”

The Happy Kids Foundation, was established in 2001 and runs 17 family orphanages in Poland. This foundation has recently received over 500 Ukrainian children from orphanages or foster care, with the number continuing to rise.

We have the opportunity to help by sending goods directly to one of the orphanages in the city of Lodz, Poland.

They are in urgent need of the following items, but must be NEW, with tags or packaged:

- Washing Powder (non bio)
- Nappies
- Towels (new)
- Blankets (new)
- Pyjamas (sizes baby – 15years old, new)

Please, only stick to items on the specified list, and due to it being an orphanage no second hand goods can be accepted.

There are some larger ticket items such as Washing Machines, Tumble Driers, Microwaves & Televisions – if there is anyone able to help with these please contact Leanne Saywood (Year 5 parent).

The foundation can be found on facebook : Fundacja Happy Kids

The website Address is : <https://www.happykids.org.pl/>

If any children want to draw pictures, posters, or write letters, these can be enclosed also.
The deadline for this collection is 21st March 2022, please bring your collections to school.

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