

10th March 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

**Re: Red Nose Day - Friday 17th March**

I am writing to share with you our plans for Red Nose Day, which is being held nationally on Friday 17th March. There are a number of things we are doing in the academy to raise money for the charity.

Red Nose Day raises money with the intention of ending child poverty around the world. The organisation funds programmes to keep children safe and healthy while providing them with support and education.

On Friday 17th March, students will be invited to come to school wearing a small red accessory, for example a red tie, a red badge or red socks. Accessories must be suitable and not deviate too far from the academy's uniform policy, for instance red nail varnish and red hair will not be allowed. Members of our Student Parliament will have collection buckets at the student entrance where students will be able to donate £1.

During break time our Student Parliament will be running a bake sale. Students are welcome to bring a small amount of money, if they would like to buy something. We would also welcome donations of homemade or shop bought items for the bake sale. If you are able to do so, then please bring these in, in the morning and they can be left with Mr Winter, who will be helping to coordinate the bake sale.

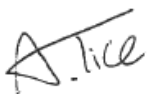
Throughout the day there will be Red Nose Day based activities that students can participate in, such as a best joke competition, create your own red nose and a Red Nose Day quiz. At the end of day, the PE department will be running a Red Nose Day dodgeball competition. Students wanting to attend this will need their PE kit and will be asked to donate 50p.

If you would like to donate online, you can also donate through our Just Giving page at: [Just Giving](#)

I am aware that many families are finding things difficult financially at the moment, so I would only ask that you donate if you feel you want to and are able to. There is no expectation on students to contribute.

Please also keep your eye out for our Twitter page; @OutwoodNewbold, where our staff will be sharing some of their best (worst) jokes over the course of the week.

Yours faithfully,



**Mr Andrew Tice**  
**Vice Principal**