



Learning Together for Life

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Dear Parent/Carer

Bag2School Clothing Collection – January 2023

We are pleased to announce that North Wolds Federation has organised a clothes & shoe collection with Bag2School in January. This is in order to raise vital funds for the swimming pool at the Market Rasen site.

Bag2School is the UK's leading textile recycler and fundraiser working with schools, and since its inception in 2001 it has now paid out over £36 million towards school projects. As well as raising vitally needed funds for North Wolds Federation, it also helps the environment by helping to divert unwanted textiles away from landfill.

Please get involved in our Bag2School collection by sorting through your cupboards and wardrobes, and then donating unwanted textiles in the bag provided – this can include adults' and children's clothes, shoes (tied together please), hats, belts, handbags and soft toys (please refer to the full list at the bottom of this letter). In addition to raising much needed funds for our swimming pool, it will also raise children's awareness of the benefits of recycling and reuse of materials.

If you fill the donation bag (to be sent out in January) and still have more, you can use any other bag to donate your items and don't forget to ask grandparents, friends and neighbours to have a sort out as well! All the money raised will help with the repair of our swimming pool, so the more we raise, the more the children will benefit.

We will supply more details about the collection date after the New Year, but we wanted to give lots of advance notice, so that you can start sorting cupboards when it's convenient for you!

Many thanks in advance for helping us with this unique fundraising opportunity, and for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely

Ben Kennedy
Assistant Head of School

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Accepted donations:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels
- Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)

Not accepted:

- Duvets and blankets
- Pillows and cushions
- Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)
- Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing
- **School uniforms with and without logo**
- Corporate clothing and workwear
- Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material

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