

10th November 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Children in Need & Anti-Bullying Week**

Children in Need is taking place on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November. This coincides with Anti-Bullying week, 13<sup>th</sup>– 17<sup>th</sup> November.

We would like to invite your child to support both charities, by wearing odd socks to school on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November. Socks can be worn in a variety of colour and length up to knee height - the brighter and odder the better! Girls must wear their socks in addition to tights. Boys are encouraged to display theirs as much as possible by tucking their trousers into their socks to allow full display and support for these great charities.

In addition there will be a variety of activities throughout the day for students to get involved with, such as Name the Bear, Pudsey Just Dance, Staff v Students Benchball and Outwood Records, all requiring a small donation to the above charities to take part.

Children in Need funds local charities and projects which help remove barriers that are facing children and young people, so that they can thrive.

We have a long history of supporting the Anti-Bullying Alliance, which does fantastic work in schools to reduce bullying.

We will be making a cash collection at the school gates for Odd Socks Day and students can pay as they participate in the other events. We hope students will wear their odd socks with pride and be able to make a donation to support the work of these amazing charities.

Yours faithfully,



Mr D O'Brien  
Vice Principal