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"A Place to Care, A Place to Grow, A Place to Shine"

"Train up a child in the way they should go and when they are old they will not depart from it" **Proverbs 22 v 6**

Thursday 18th March 2021

Dear Parents / Carers

Re: Marie Curie National Day of Reflection

On 23rd March 2021 it will be exactly 1 year since the first UK Lockdown. Since then, millions of people have been bereaved, both as a result of COVID-19 and due to other causes.

The restrictions we've all been living under have meant that many of us – including children and young people – have had to grieve without the comfort of having friends and family around them.

The National Day of Reflection is being organised by the Marie Curie Charity and it is hoped that it will give us time to unite and reflect on the tragic loss of life and our collective grief as a nation.

The children have already been spending time this week in the classroom preparing a display for the school roundabout and we would like to invite all children, if they would like to, to **wear yellow to school on Tuesday 23rd March 2021**.

This initiative has been brought to our attention by one of our Year 6 pupils, Macy Lewis, who wrote a letter to Mrs Killalee, explaining what it meant to her and her family. Macy put a huge amount of thought and effort into her letter and we are proud to be able to stand alongside her as a school and support her dedication to this wonderful idea.

Please join us all by wearing something yellow into school on Tuesday 23rd March and reflecting on those who have lost their loved ones in the past year.

Thank you all for your continued support

Mrs Natalie Tomlinson (Headteacher)



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