



Lydgate Junior School

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Article 15: Children have the right to meet together and to join groups and organisations.

Article 23: Children who have any kind of disability have the right to special care and support.

Article 27: Children have the right to a standard of living that is good enough to meet their needs.

Dear Parents/Carers

Re: Comic Relief 'Red Nose Day - Friday 17th March 2023

We are taking part in Comic Relief again this year. It is a charity that helps to support other charities that work with families who face challenges and disadvantages in their daily lives. As a Rights Respecting School, we believe that these charities help all children to access their rights as outlined above.

You can support us in the following ways:

1. We are having a non-uniform day on **Friday 17th March**. We would like the children to wear something red or 'wear something funny for money'. Dressing up is voluntary, but for those children who would like to take part we are asking for a **£1 contribution**.
2. Each year group/class will also run a **bake sale**, selling buns and cakes for **20p – 30p** each. Baking donations on the day are welcomed along with children bringing any spare small loose change.
3. We will also be holding a **Joke Competition**. Children who wish to enter should learn and practise their joke in advance. Any actions or use of props they may want to use will make it more entertaining. To enter they will need to bring a small donation of **50p** and tell their class teacher on Thursday 16th March that they wish to take part on Friday.
4. Due to how red noses are being sold this year, the school will not be bulk buying and selling noses in school. However, red noses can be purchased online at <https://shop.comicrelief.com/>
5. Each class will also complete a few Comic Relief related activities within their lessons to raise awareness of this great fundraising day and as part of our RRS lessons.

We are sure the children will have a very enjoyable day and at the same time will be supporting very worthwhile charities.

Yours sincerely,
The Rights Respecting Schools Planning Team

