# WEATHERFIELD ACADEMY

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Dear Parents & Carers

#### Remembrance Commemoration

Attached is a photo of our Remembrance Garden. The pupils from the Lower School made presentations and a service was held in the School Hall last Friday, with all of the school surrounding the Remembrance Garden for a minute's silence and the Last Post at 11am.

## Children in Need – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November

This Friday is Children in Need Day. There will be a number of events during the day planned by the School Council, including a Mufti Day for a £1 donation and a cake and book sale in the Hall at break time. If you wish to donate cakes for sale, we will accept them on Friday morning for the sale, but please list ingredients used in home baking for allergies. If possible, please send some money with your son/daughter if you wish to do so. Prices start from 20p a cake. We also have some second-hand ex-Library books to sell at between 20p or 50p per book.

There will be a range of lunchtime activities on the playground, including 'In for a Penny', Treasure Hunt, Campfire goodies, Hook a Duck and much more! These will be free. All monies raised during the day will go to Children in Need.

## **School Payments**

As you will be aware, we currently have ongoing problems with our bank account at Barclays. We are looking to open a new account with another provider to receive payments for school items, such as trips, dinner money, etc. We will make you aware of the new account details as soon as we are able to. Thank you for your patience in this matter.

## **Absence Reporting**

In order to reduce the number of telephone calls into the Academy Office, where possible, please could you report your child's absence via Parentmail on the 'Absence' tab, rather than phoning into the office? We will then be able to login to Parentmail ourselves and collect all of the reported absences every morning. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Selmes

Head Teacher

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