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A "Sense of Pride"

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Dear Parents/Carers



GEOGRAPHY-A-THON: SPRING 2022

At SPJS, we believe that geography is an important part of the curriculum. As well as inspiring them to be curious about the world around them, we endeavour to equip the children with a sound knowledge of diverse places, people, resources and natural and human environments.

We are therefore going to make geography the focus of our upcoming fundraising event which will commence on Tuesday 19th April - we would like children to take part in a sponsorship challenge geography quiz! Half of the money raised will go to the British Red Cross which is part of the Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC). This organisation unites 15 member charities who are experts in humanitarian aid and specialists in different areas of disaster response. The remaining half will go towards buying learning resources for the children in school.

After the Easter holidays, each child will be given facts to learn which they will bring home for you to see. Part of their homework for the two weeks after Easter will be to learn these facts. They will also have an opportunity to practise them in class, and on Tuesday 3rd May, they will participate in a quiz to see how many questions they can answer correctly.

How can you help at home?

Firstly, please encourage as many people as possible to sponsor your child and help them to fill out their sponsorship form. You can either donate money for every correct answer or donate an amount for taking part. You could even do both! On Friday 6th May, each child will come home with their score and certificate to share with you how well they have done and then collection of funds can commence.

Secondly, please support the week by encouraging your child to learn their facts as much as possible at home. We can all help the children to become geography experts!

We hope that this will be a really fun event for the children and get them fully engaged.

Yours sincerely,

Miss N Baughan
(Geography subject leader)



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