

A message from Temple Grafton PTA

Dear Parents,

We have signed up to the rags2riches4schools recycling scheme, to raise money and help others around the world benefit from our good quality unwanted clothes and shoes. We get 50p for every kilo we collect of reusable items, which will go towards school projects, and we would be most grateful if you could help us with this challenge at home.

We have a collection booked on Wednesday 7th October so please keep good clothing to donate to us in preparation of this date.

Due to COVID19 restrictions, rags2riches4schools **will not** be providing bags for this collection as they have done in the past, instead they will accept donations in any bag which you can use.

IMPORTANT: Only clean and reusable items will be accepted, these should be:

Good quality clothes and accessories.

Adults, children's and babies clothing such as Jackets, Jumpers, hoodies, trousers, skirts, scarves, gloves, belts, handbags, paired shoes and other footwear, which should be tied/joined together etc.

They cannot reuse the following items:

Worn out or dirty shoes or clothes, clothes that are wet or have holes in.

Curtains, pillows or duvets, bric-a-brac or books. Personalised items.

Work uniform, School uniform or school sports kit.

If you are unsure what to put in the bags, then

STOP AND THINK - WOULD SOMEONE ELSE BUY & WEAR IT?

If it isn't something you'd wear out and about yourself or pass to a friend, then no-one else will want to buy and wear it so unfortunately, it's not reusable and can't go in the bag.

Donated clothes and accessories are sent to Europe, Africa and even further away to be sold at market stalls as affordable items for those in real need of clothing.

We would appreciate any donation you can make, even if it is only a few items, every little bit counts towards the total weight, so please, please donate what you can!

We will send out further information as to the dates and location available for drop off of donations, but in the meantime, get sorting! Have that clear out you've been meaning to ever since we 'locked down' back in March! We cannot thank you enough for your help and time with this.

Regards,
Your PTA

