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Dear Parent/Guardian,

At this time of the year, we take some time to remember those who are less well off than ourselves. As a school, charitable giving is a very important aspect of our caring ethos and throughout these experiences we seek to instil broader sense of social justice and responsibility amongst our children. This year, our focus will turn to a charity closer to home. We would like to support the work of St. Vincent de Paul, a charity that supports local people who are perhaps experiencing poverty and social exclusion.

To raise vital funds for this worthy cause we will be doing a 'Sweet as Candy' fundraiser. On Tuesday 6th December each child will have the opportunity to buy a candy cane (priced at £1). They will secretly select a child from their class and will write a 'sweet' message/Christmas wish for this child. This message will be attached to the candy cane and together they will be popped into a postbox ready to be collectively distributed on Friday 9th December. On this day everyone will receive a candy cane and a lovely message to go along with it. This is intended to be a fun activity to gather some much-needed funds for a worthy charity but also to add some festive spirit and bring some happiness to all with our kind and happy wishes.

If you would like to contribute to our SVP collection in addition to this, you are most welcome to do this by forwarding the donation in a marked envelope. As always, your support is very much valued and appreciated.

Aileen McIlroy

RE Co-ordinator

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