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Dear parents,

The Bishop of St Albans has asked us to think and pray for the children of Uganda this harvest.

As you may know, one of our former Teaching Assistants Bex Henderson, is working with children in Uganda and we would like to support her school. This Harvest we would like the children to bring in £2.00 or more if they can on Friday 2nd October. They will then be allowed to wear the clothes of their choice, providing they are in the colours of the Ugandan flag (red, white, yellow and/or black).

Reminders

- If your child is going to be absent or late into school, please ensure that you let the office know as early as possible. Equally, if they are leaving school early (particularly if this is before lunch), we also need to know in the morning for our dinner numbers.
- All children should be in the playground and lining up in their classes when the bell goes at 08.50a.m. We would expect that all children from years 1-6 are coming into school on their own without the help of their parents. Please ensure that your child is in the playground in time to line up in the correct manner. Your help in this matter is much appreciated.
- As the colder weather is now upon us, we would expect that all children bring with them each day a winter coat for break and lunchtime (clearly labelled).

Privacy Notice

Please find attached to this Parentmail an updated "Privacy Notice". This is also available to view on our school website.

Parent Consultations

Please see attached allocated appointments. If you haven't already booked a time, please email the office or return your form asap.

Data Collection Sheets

These have been sent home with children today. Please check carefully the information we have on your child and make any amendments necessary before returning to the school. If all details are correct, please return the form to the office as it is.

Message from "The Friends"

Autumn Walk for the Friends - Friday 2nd October 9am

Due to the success of this walk last year, we thought we'd do it again! We simply take a walk from the school to the Monument, taking a slightly extended walk through Ashridge Forest, ending up at The Brownlow Café. We then have breakfast and walk back to the school. The cost is £10 (which includes breakfast) with the remainder going to The Friends. If you would like to join us, please let me know and I will collect the money before we set off. (Anna Stevenson 07801 816594).

Friends Meeting - Tuesday 29th September 8pm

Just a quick reminder; the next Friends meeting is on Tuesday evening at Greenfields, Hudnall Lane, HP4 1QE. In this meeting we will discuss events such as the Bonfire Night, our new Pre-Christmas Shopping Evening and the Christmas Bazaar. If you would like to find out a bit more or you have a few ideas to discuss, please feel free to come along. We always welcome fresh faces and new ideas!

Yours sincerely

Charis Geoghegan
Headteacher