



Etone College
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Dear Parent/Carers

Happy New Year. I hope you had a happy and restful break with your family and friends.

I am writing to thank you for your support with all of our charity events last term. We were overwhelmed by the generosity of our Etone community and very proud of how our pupils demonstrated our Etone values. They were truly active citizens and all of their donations will have made a real difference to people's lives both locally and beyond our immediate community. During the Autumn Term our pupils (with the support of our families):

- Wore non uniform and donated to Children in Need
- Wore odd socks in support of Anti-Bullying Week
- Wore poppies with pride to remember and raised money for the Poppy Appeal
- Engaged in acts of kindness for World Kindness Day
- Donated hundreds of toys for the Salvation Army toy drive
- Donated hundreds of food items for the Nuneaton foodbank
- Wore their Christmas jumpers for Save the Children

We have added a page to our website that will be updated regularly to show the amount of money that we have raised. In the Autumn Term alone we have already raised £1362.36 along with countless boxes of food and toys which were also donated.

<https://www.etonecollege.co.uk/charity-counter/>

We also post all of our events on our Twitter page (@EtoneCollege) and on our website as well as in our newsletter. If you do not follow us already, please check out our Twitter page – both whole school and those for each subject area. We were also absolutely delighted that the efforts of our community were reported in the local press with Etone being featured twice in the Nuneaton News, editions 20th October and 22nd December. Make sure you keep an eye out for our future activities.

We will continue to engage in charity projects this year and raise awareness of national events through assemblies, form time activities and whole school events. We will also be planning events to support our House charities who will be talking to pupils in assemblies and which are:

Centaur – George Elliot Diabetes Support Group - providing support for people with diabetes and their families.

Dragon – Guy's Gift - providing bereavement support to families of young people.

Griffin – Doorway - providing support for 16-25 year olds who are at risk or suffering homelessness.

Phoenix – Mary Ann Evans Hospice - enhancing the quality of life and providing support for terminally ill patients and their families

Once again, thank you so much for your continued support of all that we do to make a difference.

Yours faithfully

Mr I Smith
Headteacher

