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Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our Climate Change project, our children have shown some real passion for activism and making a difference for their future. As a result, we have arranged for them to take part in the 'Walk for Water' challenge. The children will be walking around the playground for up to 15 minutes for 5 days over a 2-week period 17<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> March to empathise with those who are struggling as a result of Climate Change.

The walk is to raise awareness and money for women and girls from around the world who are being held back by having to **walk 5km or more for water every day**, taking away their hopes for the future as they miss out on paid work or school. More information can be found here: <u>Walk for Water 2025</u>

Additionally, as 'World Water Day' is on March 22<sup>nd</sup>, they will also be learning about and raising awareness of the need for glacier preservation. World Water Day celebrates water and raises awareness of the 2.2 billion people living without access to safe water. It is about taking action to tackle the global water crisis. A core focus of World Water Day is to support the achievement of Sustainable Development Goal 6: water and sanitation for all by 2030. World Water Day 2025 focuses on glacier preservation, emphasising the need for global action to manage meltwater sustainably and reduce emissions, securing vital water resources for the future. More information can be found here: World Water Day | UN-Water

We are incredibly proud of how our children have taken such interest in our Climate Change project and so if you are able to, we are asking for a donation of £1 on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March to help raise money for these projects. You can also support your child by raising awareness yourself too with friends, family and social media.

Many thanks

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