



23 August 2018

Dear Junior Prep Parents,

### **END-OF-YEAR COLLECTION FOR TEROO**

As part of our community partnerships, the Junior Prep likes to invite the Tereo School to Somerset House for a day towards the end of Term 4. During the day the Tereo and Somerset House children partake in a variety of activities together. The day ends with a visit from Father Christmas and, in the past, the Tereo children have received a bag filled with goodies (a ball, t-shirt, socks, colouring pencils, colouring books, sweets etc.) - items that the Junior Prep parents have provided. This is always a highlight for the Tereo children.

I would like to do this collection slightly differently this year and instead of parents just being asked to buy the goods, I would like the Junior Prep children to do at least ten chores around the house. I would ask parents to put a small amount of money in a jar for each chore the child completes. The jars will be bought to school on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October.

Children may get as creative as they like! They can even bake and sell treats, make and sell crafts or do some chores for grandparents and neighbours.

The money will all be put together and then counted, and the children given the opportunity to decide what should be bought to go in the bags. There are roughly eighty children at the Tereo School and at this point we will ask some parents for help in going to purchase the items.

The purpose of this activity is to include the children in making a difference. It is not a competition as to who brings the most money and I ask parents to be realistic in paying their child to do the chores.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Kind regards

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