



Birches First School

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...to be the best 'me' I can be.

Wednesday 2nd March 2022



Dear Parents,

I have been contacted by some parents asking if we can support and participate in Empurple Week at school. We have previously supported this charity by donating food from our Harvest Festival Collection for local women and children supported by The Haven in Wolverhampton.

As an added bonus, any money raised through the Empurple Big Give campaign will be doubled so for example, if the school raised £100 for The Haven, it would be doubled to £200, and would be used for emergency needs, such as taxi fares so women can flee abuse, food shops, or items to help women and children settle when they move on from our emergency accommodation.

Children are invited to come to school dressed in purple, with a donation to the charity, on Tuesday 8th March to coincide with International Women's Day. I appreciate this is a 'games' day for Y1 and Reception, if they can wear their tracksuit with something purple that will be fine!

Many thanks for supporting a charity which is very important and dear to some of our parents.

Best wishes

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Headteacher