

Eco Drive: Re-usable Drinks Bottles from Tuesday 4th June

Dear Parents and Carers,

As an Eco School we are working hard to make sure we are playing our part in looking after our planet. We are dedicated to promoting a healthy and environmentally friendly message, and to continue on with our Eco Drive from Tuesday 4th June we are asking every child to bring in a re-usable plastic drink bottle filled with fresh water each day.

Did you know we currently use over 150 000 paper cups a year which cannot be recycled due to the waterproof coating? We think you will agree that changing to re-usable water bottles is a step worth taking.



In/Out of School

- Water bottles should be sent into school every day.
- Water bottles will be sent home at the end of each day for families to clean and refill.
- Bottles must be named.

Refilling

- Water fountains will be located around school for the children to refill their bottles at break or lunchtime if needed.

Storage

- Water bottles will be stored in a crate in your child's classrooms.

Reusable Bottles

- The water bottle **must be reusable** as a bottle of shop bought water does not support our Eco Drive.

Content

- **Only plain water** must be inside the bottles (no juice, pop, carbonated or flavoured water).

Advantages

- Children will continue to access to fresh drinking water each day in school.
- Parents can monitor their child's intake of water.
- Environmental impact of saving over 150 000 cups per school year.

Watch out for other Eco Initiatives and assemblies coming soon...

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

Kind regards

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