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Dear Parents/Guardians,

EUROPEAN DAY OF LANGUAGES/ MACMILLAN 'WORLD'S BIGGEST COFFEE MORNING' FUNDRAISER FRIDAY **29th SEPTEMBER 2017**

During the week beginning 25th September, 2017, we will be celebrating 'European Day of Languages' and taking part in Macmillan Cancer Care 'World's Biggest Coffee Morning'. As in recent years, we thought it would be a super idea to combine the two events to raise funds for this very worthy cause.

The annual 'European Day of Languages' raises awareness of the many languages spoken within Europe and elsewhere in the world, drawing attention to the importance of learning a foreign language, not only as a means of communication for business and holidays, but also as a way of understanding each other and appreciating cultural differences.

There will be **special language lessons** during the week as well as European Day of Languages fun at Languages Club on Thursday lunchtime. Pupils wishing to take part in a 'European Day of Languages Quiz' can pick up a quiz sheet from their language teacher. All completed sheets returned by Friday 29th September will receive merits.

On Friday 29th September, we would like all pupils (and staff!) to **come to school dressed up to represent a country of their choice**, either wearing a costume, or dressed in own clothes in the colours of the country's flag. If they can say a greeting in the language of their country, even better! Prizes and merits will be awarded for the best costumes on the day. We are asking for a donation of **50 pence** (or more if you like!) to be given in during form time which will go to the **Macmillan charity**.

In addition to this, there will be a **cake sale** for parents of Year 5 children from 9.30am- 10.30am in Room 113 (entry by side door to left of top car park) and then at breaktime for all pupils with **profits going to Macmillan**.

Any donations of cakes (or croissants!) would be gratefully received.

We thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. J. Skelding

Miss L. Newport

¡ Muchas Gracias! Merci! Danke schön! Grazie mille! Obrigados! Diolch! Tack ! Dzięk!