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School Council Toy Drive for Year 1 and 2

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Dear parents,

Over the years many toys in Year 1 and Year 2 get broken and others are in poor condition. Toys are used everyday for a significant amount of time in Years 1 and 2. As I am sure you are well aware funding for schools has decreased in real terms drastically over the last number of years. We would like to replenish our stock of toys and have decided to ask parents or members of the community to assist us in this initiative. We are simply asking for contributions of toys, as listed below, which may be in many homes and are no longer used.

Year 1

Small World toy dinosaurs

Small World farm animals

Small World tractors

Small World sea creatures

Small World space station

Small World fire and police station

Small World play mats (eg, farm/road/dinosaur mats)

Plastic

coloured/plates/jugs/cups/teapots/bowls etc

– red/blue/yellow/green only

Children's wheelbarrow

Children's pull-along carts

Year 2

Small world dolls house

Small world farm and tractors

Small world Arctic creatures

People who help us – Police, fire, doctor/nurse

Play kitchen – wooden/plastic food, utensils

Toy train set

Jigsaws - around 20 pieces

Duplo

Toy cars for car garage

Board games e.g. connect 4, snakes and ladders

Magnetic blocks

We would ask you to use your best judgment and supply toys which are in relatively good condition. We would also ask if you have friends and neighbours whose children have out grown toys you might consider speaking to them to assist us in this matter.

Yours sincerely