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THE BIG NEWTOWN WATER CYCLE

Dear Parents/Carers,

As I am sure you are all aware, we became an official green flag eco-school in February 2020. We never really had opportunity to celebrate due to the obvious circumstances and now we must start working towards our green flag renewal, which is a bigger job than our first green flag as this time we must work on five topics instead of three. Before the current lockdown, we were able to set up a new eco-committee and choose the five topics we would like to work on this time...

- Water
- Energy
- Healthy Living
- Global Citizenship
- Waste

As part of the water topic, many of you were able to access the virtual lesson provided by Severn Trent – I know I learned a lot. The children would also like to raise some money for the charity Water Aid and their school eco-committee to buy some water butts. To do this they have decided to organise a sponsored 'Water Cycle' or scoot. We would like the children to each set themselves a target to complete a certain distance or allotment of time on their bike or scooter each day. **Please ensure that this exercise is completed within government coronavirus guidelines.** When the children have decided what their scooting/cycling challenge is going to be (see attached), they must decide on the duration they intend to complete it for (1 week/10 days). For the keyworker children we will be completing this in school and we will send further information about when they can bring in their bike/scooter. Finally, they should ask their friends and family to sponsor them through the JustGiving page outlined below.

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/bignewtownwatercycle?utm_term=xZyiwmkEE

Please note all fundraising challenges should be complete and sponsorship money paid by no later than Friday 19th March.

Happy 'Water Cycling!'

Mrs L Jones and the Newtown Eco-Committee



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The Big Newtown Water Cycle

is going to cycle/scoot _____
every day for _____
to raise money for Water Aid and Newtown
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