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Dear Parents,

## **Non Uniform Day – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

The School Council (pupil representatives for each year group) have asked if we would hold a Non Uniform Day on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February in support of good causes linked to our school community. Pupils are invited to pay a suggested donation of £2 for the privilege of not wearing uniform to school on that day. The money donated will be collected during morning registration.

It is our intention to divide the money raised on this day between a numbers of good causes which have been identified by the Student Council.

Some of the money raised will be used to support our work with our link school in Sierra Leone. In particular we will be raising money in order to buy a solar panel for Huntingdon Secondary School. This will enable them to use the laptop and overhead projector that have been donated to us. The link is sponsored by the British Council, in partnership with the Hastings Sierra Leone Friendship Link and is designed to help improve the educational chances of the children in our partner school.

In addition we would like to raise as much money as possible on this day to support two students, Oliver and Bella, who have recently been diagnosed with brain tumours. This money will be used to provide help and support for these two young people and their families whilst they receive medical care and treatment.

Finally we are planning make a donation towards the building of a shelter on Battle Recreation Ground for the use of the young people in our community. This project is being carried out in conjunction with Battle Town Council and forms part of the renovation works currently taking place at the recreation ground.

In addition to the money raised through the collection for non-uniform, there will also be other fund-raising activities during the course of the day organised by individual tutor groups. Pupils are encouraged to bring in a small amount of money if they would like to participate.

I must emphasise that this is not a fancy dress day, but a non uniform day and that the usual College rules still apply regarding make-up and jewellery. I would also like to remind pupils who have PE on that day that they will need to bring their PE kit as normal.

I hope you feel able to support this fund raising activity.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'P Swatton', enclosed within a circular scribble.

Mr P Swatton  
**Principal**