

Eco Schools Newsletter

December 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

Pen Recycling

We would like to remind you that we are still recycling pens and batteries. We would be extremely grateful if you have felt pens at home that have run out, we can recycle them at school. The pens we will unfortunately be unable to accept are broken pens and leaky pens. The pen recycle box is in the library, so it is in the perfect place for your child to put their pens as they walk through the 1-way system in school.

Batteries

We are also still recycling batteries that have run out or no longer work. We would appreciate any batteries that you can recycle which can be placed in the Duracell recycling barrel in the foyer at school. Please put recycled batteries in a small plastic bag. Unfortunately, we will not be able to accept leaking batteries. Remember to recycle any batteries from toys over the Christmas holiday.

Christmas Cards



The Eco-Council has decided that we will not be sharing Christmas cards in school again, for two very important reasons. The first reason is that our school needs to be Eco-friendly and as Eco-Warriors we are trying to reduce our paper usage and our carbon footprint. Instead of giving out individual cards from home we will be creating a Christmas tree out of paper chains, which will use a lot less paper and will be using recycled materials we have in school. The paper chain tree will have a message from each pupil to share with the class.

The second important reason we are not sharing Christmas cards is we are still trying to reduce the risk of passing on COVID-19, so are still trying to reduce the amount of sharing we have amongst households.

Thank you for reading and supporting our Eco-friendly school.

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