

3<sup>rd</sup> March 2023

## Red Nose Day and World Down Syndrome Day

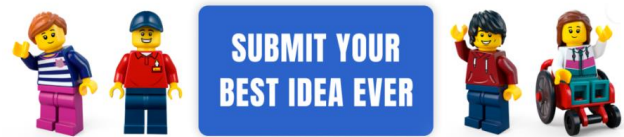
Dear Parents/Carers,

Perry Hall Primary School are joining in with thousands of schools across the UK to support **Comic Relief on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March**.

The Events and Fundraising School Council Committee have been busy planning activities to help us raise money for Red Nose Day.

They invite you to 'dress for joy' for a voluntary donation of £1: pick a theme that makes you smile (like the Mr Men and Little Miss Comic Relief clothing range), don a home-made costume, go red from head to toe, or simply dig out your brightest socks: wear something that makes you and our school smile!

In school on the day, the children will be tackling the Comic Relief and Lego Group challenge of designing the 'best idea ever' to make people smile. This could be an invention or idea to tackle loneliness, homelessness, pollution, lack of green spaces, accessibility... whatever we can to help make people happy – get your thinking caps on!



We hope you will join us in raising money for this charity supporting vulnerable people in the UK and internationally.



We are also taking part in **World Down Syndrome Day on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March**.

We invite children to come to school wearing 'lots of socks' along with their usual school uniform. Whether this is wearing odd socks, sock accessories or extra socks, it all helps us to mark this important day.

Along with this, children will be taking part in a themed assembly on the day; discussing the meaning behind World Down Syndrome Day and what it means to be an advocate of it.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs C. Gibbins  
Head of School