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Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: The Giving Hands Mission Chocolate Easter Egg Challenge

Our year 8 PSHE group have set a challenge for all the form groups to take part into help support a local charity. The challenge is that we would like learners to donate any Easter chocolate over the next couple of weeks. All the Easter chocolate that we collect will go directly to a local charity called Giving Hands.

More information about the charity:

- This charity helps people who are less fortunate than us.
- It is a local charity (local to Dudley).
- This charity has been running for 8 years.
- The staff volunteer their time each week and don't get paid for the work they do.
- They help people who need it in our local area who are homelessness and in poverty.
- This charity has helped **10,179** people as of December 2021!

Why we picked this charity:

Currently, all the Year 8 PSHE classes are completing a charity project run by First Give. Learners have all researched local charities and, in small groups, voted for the class charity they would like to work with. Learners then met with these charities (virtually) where they discussed the background behind the charities' work and what they do. Class 8IPs picked the Giving Hands charity, which is a good charity to donate to because they support lots of people in the local area.

How to get involved:

You and your child can get involved by bringing in Easter chocolate and hand it to the main school reception by **1st April 2022**. Any brand of chocolate will be accepted, although of course, please can you make sure the chocolate is in date and unopened. As part of our rewards system, there will be a small prize for the form group that donates the most amount of Easter chocolate before the deadline of 1st April 2022.

Thank you so much for supporting our competition. If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact us through the usual helpline@beaconhillacademy.org.uk email address.

Yours faithfully,

Mr A Lynch
Assistant Principal

On behalf of Melody, Dakota, Angel and the rest of Class 8IPs who are leading this initiative.



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