



Goldenhill Primary Academy



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"Everyone shines at Goldenhill"

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Dear Parents,

At Goldenhill Primary Academy we are constantly looking for ways to enhance our outdoor provision for your children. We have recently had an unfortunate problem with vermin entering our wooden storage sheds and destroying the outdoor equipment which our Reception class children use to enhance their learning journey.

The equipment is vital in developing skills which our pupils will retain for life for example; a simple wooden plank can become a car ramp, a focal point of a team building exercise or even a walkway to the moon! All these developmental skills will provide your child with the opportunities to able to work collaboratively or individually to achieve their goals! They can develop their creative skills, tell stories, act out scenarios and let their imagination run wild! All of this, as well as developing their personal and social skills, communication with others and physical abilities. The opportunities are endless!

As you are probably aware from recent media broadcasts, funding for schools is a real issue. With this in mind, we are proposing to hold a sponsored obstacle event to raise some much needed funds to replace the items we had to throw away and to enhance our outdoor environment. We have also written to local businesses in the hope of them donating any unwanted/end of line items such as planks of wood, pieces of guttering, plants to enhance sensory experiences, nuts/bolts, gate fastenings/locks, bark etc

We propose to hold to the sponsored obstacle course on Thursday 2nd May. Please find a sponsor form attached – we would be grateful for any sponsors your child can get. It should also be a fun and active experience for the children – they can even do it in fancy dress if they want!

Many thanks for your support.

Reception Class Pupils and Staff



