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Wednesday 13th December 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

This half term in Year 3, the children have been learning about life during the Stone Age, Iron Age and Bronze Age. They looked at different aspects of life during these times including shelter, food and safety. To help the children link their learning to the present day they discussed how some people still struggle with things like having enough food, having a safe place to live and even for some having access to medical care.

The children then looked at how we can help people, including in times of crisis and researched a variety of different charities. The children then voted on the charity they would like to raise money for.

The children have decided to support the charity- 'Doctors without Borders' (MSF – Medecins Sans Frontieres). This is an international, independent medical humanitarian organisation, who work with countries all across the world to provide medical care and assistance to people affected by conflicts, epidemics, disasters or who are unable to have regular access to the health care they need. You can find a link to their webpage to find out more <a href="https://www.msf.org/">https://www.msf.org/</a> and also find updates on their social media page:

https://twitter.com/MSF?ref\_src=twsrc%5Egoogle%7Ctwcamp%5Eserp%7Ctwgr%5Eauthor

Year 3 will be bringing out donation buckets on **Thursday 21**<sup>st</sup> **December** before school, at the end of the day and during the end of term parties. So if any children or parents would like to donate (no matter how big or small), every bit helps.

In addition, Shelly, Forida and some of the parents will be selling cakes and other food at the parent party. So please reach out if you would like to donate any goods. All proceeds will go to 'Doctors without Borders.'

Thank you for all of your support, we greatly appreciate it.

Kind regards, Ms McClelland, The year 3 team and especially the Year 3 children!









