

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to invite all families to take part in our **Recycle & Reuse Flower Project!**

As a school, we are always looking for creative ways to encourage children to think about our environment and the positive difference that small actions can make. This project is an opportunity for children and families to **recycle and reuse everyday items**, transforming them into something imaginative and unique.

The flowers created will not only give unwanted materials a new lease of life, but also have the potential to **enhance our school grounds**, adding colour, interest and opportunities for sensory and visual experiences as our children explore and enjoy the garden environment.

The project also helps to demonstrate our **environmentally friendly community mindset**. By reusing materials rather than throwing them away, we can show our children that being creative and caring for our planet can go hand in hand.

Most importantly, we hope this will provide a lovely opportunity for **families to work together**. Whether you create something simple or elaborate, we would love to see children's ideas, imagination and individuality shine through. There really are no limits to what you can create!

What can you make?

We are looking for flowers made from **recycled and weatherproof materials** that you already have at home. You might use tins, bottles, old cutlery, spoons, pine cones, or other items that would otherwise be discarded (Please see poster attached for inspiration!).



Flower creations are due by Friday 16th October.

The flowers will then be displayed at our **half-termly market on Monday 19th October**, where everyone will have the opportunity to see and enjoy the wonderful creations.

To celebrate everyone's efforts, **certificates will be given to all children who participate** during our Celebration Assembly at the end of the term.

We can't wait to see where your creativity and imagination take you! Thank you for helping us to create something special for our school, while promoting a positive and caring attitude towards our planet.

Let's help our school bloom with creativity and care for the planet!

Warmest wishes,

Berrywood Primary School

