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Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our commitment to creating a safe, welcoming and inclusive school community, we are delighted to be taking part in Odd Socks Day on Monday 16th November 2026.

Odd Socks Day marks the official start of Anti-Bullying Week and is a fun, positive event that celebrates individuality and inclusion. There is no need for fancy dress, special clothing or additional spending. We simply ask that children come to school wearing a pair of odd socks with their normal school uniform.

Why Odd Socks?

Wearing odd socks is a simple and creative way for children to celebrate what makes each of us unique. The day encourages important conversations about kindness, respect and acceptance, helping pupils understand that our differences should be valued and celebrated. It also reinforces the message that nobody should ever feel left out or treated unfairly for being themselves.

What Else is Happening?

Throughout Anti-Bullying Week, pupils will take part in a range of assemblies, classroom discussions and learning activities linked to the annual theme, “Break the Silence.” These curriculum-linked activities will encourage children to speak up when something is wrong, support their peers, and contribute to a positive and respectful school environment where everyone feels safe and valued. In doing so, pupils will develop important life skills, including empathy, confidence, resilience and respect for others, which will support them both during their time at school and in the wider world beyond.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support in helping us nurture a kind, respectful and safe community where every child feels valued and belongs.

Yours sincerely

B. Hook (PSHE Lead & Teacher)