



1st November 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS FOR NOVEMBER

November is a busy month for remembering, celebrating and fundraising and at Broadstone Middle we want to be a part of these important events. Please see below details of our upcoming events: -

1. Poppy Appeal for Remembrance Day

The Annual Poppy Appeal is once again running and we will be selling poppies at school from the 1st to the 10th of November. Remembrance Day falls on a Saturday this year but we will be holding a 2-minute silence on **Friday 10th November at 11am**.

2. Anti-Bullying Week 13th-17th November 2017

The theme for this year's National anti-bullying week is 'All different, all equal', a celebration on what makes us all unique rather than focusing on the negatives of bullying. During the week, our pupils will be taking part in activities in order to learn more about diversity in society, as well as contributing towards a whole school 'what makes me unique' pledge wall. On **Wednesday 15th November** we are holding an '**Odd sock day**' and ask that children come to school wearing odd socks as a way of celebrating their differences and uniqueness. (School Uniform will be expected – just a change in the socks worn).

3. Children in Need – 'SPOTACULAR'!

Friday 17th November marks Children in Need day, and the theme this year is 'Spotacular', a celebration of all things spotty! We would like to hold a 'spotty clothes' day where our students can come into school on the **Friday** dressed in any clothes which are considered 'Spotacular' and make a donation to Children in Need! We are also holding a 'spotty' cake sale in the Atrium for Break and lunchtime so are asking for any donations of cakes to sell or donations towards buying cakes.

We are sure that you will fully support these important dates which carry important meanings and learning for our learners.

Thank you for your continued support,

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