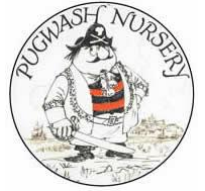**Rye Community Primary School & Pugwash Nursery**
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Wednesday 11th March 2020

Dear parent/guardian,

On **Thursday 19th March** we're inviting children in Minnows, Sardines and Pugwash to build dens for Save the Children's Den Day. It's a fun way for your children to raise funds that will change children's lives, while they learn new skills and important lessons about the world around them.

Our pupils will be joining children from around the UK to unleash their imaginations and transform our classrooms into amazing dens. To raise funds for Den Day, we're asking them to bring in a small **donation.** The money they raise will help Save the Children give children around the world a safe place to sleep at night.

How to help your den-builders

- Provide warm clothing for your child to change into in the afternoon (eg joggers, long sleeved tshirt, jumper, hat and gloves)
- Provide waterproof clothing and or a coat, **wellies are essential.**
- Something to build a den with eg – plastic table cloths, shower curtains, tapaulining, sheets (it is muddy so if you wish to have them returned please bear that in mind), pegs or clips.

To find out more, please come and talk to your child's teacher. You can also visit the event website at denday.org and learn more about Save the Children at savethechildren.org.uk

Den Day will be an amazing educational adventure for the children and they will be making a big difference to children in some of the world's poorest countries.

We would really appreciate your support for this great cause. Den Day will be a lesson your children will always remember!

With thanks and best wishes,

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