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Dear Parents and Carers,



Launch of Our World Cup Project!

We are delighted to announce the launch of our exciting **World Cup Project**, beginning today across the school!

As part of this special initiative, each class will be exploring countries participating in what is set to be the **largest FIFA World Cup in history**, providing a wonderful opportunity for our children to learn about the diverse cultures, traditions, and communities represented on the world stage.

Throughout the coming weeks, pupils will undertake a range of engaging and enjoyable activities designed to develop their geographical, historical, cultural, and global awareness. Children will have the opportunity to investigate:

- National flags and their meanings
- Continents and geographical locations
- Languages and religions
- Currencies used around the world
- Key imports and exports
- Cultural traditions, food, music, and celebrations
- Sporting achievements and World Cup history

Most importantly, we want the children to **have fun while learning**. The project will include quizzes, presentations, creative artwork, research tasks, and friendly competitions between classes and year groups.

We hope to create a positive World Cup atmosphere throughout the school, encouraging teamwork, curiosity, respect, and a healthy sense of competition.

The countries chosen are as follows:-

EYFS Conkers - Mexico,

EYFS Acorns-South Africa

Year 1 Oak- Canada

Year 1 Lime- Switzerland

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Year 2 Ash- Scotland and USA

Year 2 Maple- Brazil and Australia

Year 3 Holly- Japan and Curacao

Year 3 Elm- Ecuador and Sweden

Year 4 Horse Chestnut- New Zealand and Uruguay

Year 4 Cherry- Belgium and Cabo Verde

Year 5 Poplar -Senegal and Algeria

Year 5 Hazel - Argentina and Norway

Year 6 Beech- Uzbekistan and Ghana

Year 6 Willow- Columbia and Croatia

We would love for parents and carers to get involved too. Your support at home can make a huge difference. We encourage you to:

- Talk with your child about the country/countries they are studying.
- Help them research interesting facts.
- Explore maps, flags, and cultural traditions together.
- Watch appropriate World Cup coverage and discuss participating nations.
- Celebrate the diversity and uniqueness of countries from around the world.

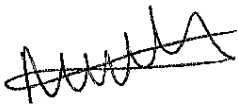
This project is about much more than football. It is an opportunity for our pupils to become global citizens, developing an appreciation for the rich diversity of our world and understanding how countries are connected through trade, culture, religion, geography, and sport.

We are incredibly excited to see the enthusiasm, creativity, and knowledge that our pupils will bring to this project. We look forward to sharing their work and celebrating their achievements throughout the term.

Thank you in advance for your support as we embark on this exciting World Cup journey together.

Let's have some fun with this !

Yours sincerely,



Rebecca Williams
Headteacher

