



Mrs P Kettory Headteacher

Wednesday 11th September 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

## Jeans for Genes Day: Friday 20th September 2024

On Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September, the staff and children in school will be invited to wear their jeans to school and pay a £1 donation to support Jeans for Genes Day. Our Brampton theme for Jeans for Genes Day is 'How do you wear yours?' and is an opportunity for children to wear their perfect partner to their jeans – be it a white t-shirt, their favourite movie or band t shirt, favourite sports top, bunny ears, trainers – whatever their favourite beloved item of clothing or accessory is, they can wear it on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September!



Brampton Primary supports the Jeans for Genes Charity as part of our work in promoting children's rights. Article 23 says: a child with a disability has the right to live a full and decent life with dignity and, as far as possible, independence and to play an active part in the community. Governments must do all they can to provide support to disabled children and their families.

1 in 25 children – on average one child per classroom - has a genetic condition that makes their life challenging. Jeans for Genes works with schools, companies and individuals all over the UK to help services to support the children and their families affected by genetic conditions. Together, through fund and awareness raising, we hope to make a real difference to their lives.

All children and staff are invited to wear their jeans on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September. We would really love to see as many children and staff as possible in their jeans, so please encourage your child to come into school on the day wearing their jeans and with their £1 donation.

Jeans for Genes also has a series of powerful films to explain how your child's donation will make a difference. Each film provides a compelling and personal insight, introducing some amazing children living with genetic conditions, sharing first-hand what life is like with their condition. Please visit <a href="https://www.jeansforgenes.org/educational-resources">www.jeansforgenes.org/educational-resources</a> to view these films or check out their social media channels with interesting insight, case studies and information.

If you'd like to find out more about how our support will help, please also visit their website at <a href="https://www.jeansforgenes.org">www.jeansforgenes.org</a>.

If you have any questions about Jeans for Genes Day, please see your child's class teacher.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Hardie Deputy Headteacher









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