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Dear Parents,

Tomorrow schools and organisations around the world will mark Universal Children's Day through celebrations and participation in a number of coordinated events. The goal of Universal Children's day is to improve child welfare worldwide, promote and celebrate children's rights and promote togetherness and awareness amongst all children.

The day was first launched in 1954, marking the anniversary of the dates when the UN General assembly adopted both the declaration and convention of children's rights. The convention sets out a number of children's rights such as the rights to be protected from violence and discrimination and the rights to life, health and education. The campaign this year invites people to get involved by wearing something blue – perfect for our Frogmore colours! There is also a request to sign an on-line petition – you can find out more by following the link here - [https://www.unicef.org/world-childrens-day?utm\\_campaign=wcd&utm\\_medium=unicef-network&utm\\_source=referral](https://www.unicef.org/world-childrens-day?utm_campaign=wcd&utm_medium=unicef-network&utm_source=referral) and I would really appreciate it if any of you could add your signature. The final petition will be handed over to world leaders on 20th November 2019 – the 30th Anniversary of the Convention on the Rights of the Child – calling on them to commit to fulfilling the rights of every child now and for future generations.

With thanks,

C M McCarthy  
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