

## **Fulford School**

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Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to inform you of the school's involvement in a Lifebag appeal. This appeal is aimed at supporting young refugee children from Syria and looks to provide children with a rucksack filled with gifts and basic survival items which will provide the recipient with a sense of independence and hope.

Staff and students in school are being encouraged to produce as many 'Lifebags' as possible and I would like to extend that invitation to parents as part of our school community. We would very much welcome your support in producing a Lifebag or encouraging your son/daughter to bring into school the items which are detailed below.

- A school bag size rucksack
- Socks, underwear
- Hand sanitizer
- Toothbrush, toothbrush cover, toothpaste
- Liquid soap
- Hand towel
- Rain jacket
- Whistle
- Torch (with batteries)
- Neck pillow
- Food bars (I.e. granola bars)
- Reusable water bottle
- Notebooks, markers, pens
- Small game or toy (i.e. rubrics cube)
- Hat, scarf, gloves
- Small medical kit (i.e. plasters)
- Long lasting sugar treat (i.e. fudge, sweets)

The deadline for the Lifebags is Wednesday 30 November, if you wish to support this appeal then please arrange to send any completed bags or items to be included in the appeal into school prior to the above date. If you are producing a complete bag then please indicate on the bag the gender and age range of the child who should receive it.

I am hoping that as a school community we can make a significant contribution towards what is a very worthwhile project.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Walker Assistant Head

