

Vernon Park Primary School
Gene-ius Sponsored Quiz 2018 / 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

This year our sponsored quiz will be on Friday 21st September 2018.

It is our main sponsored event of the year for school funds. However, this year 20% of money raised will go to support the Jeans for Genes Charity. We hope that you will be able to support us as generously as you have done in the past. Children are able to wear jeans on this day, (own clothes, sensible shoes and hair tied up please).

Each child will answer a total of 25 questions at the level chosen by his/her class teacher. There are five different levels and the questions are linked to work covered by the children in school. The youngest children will have an older junior child to help them (but not to answer the questions)! To make the quiz more fun, the questions are hidden around school and have to be found before they can be answered. We have done these quizzes for several years now and the children really enjoy taking part and often ask to do other levels as well, just for fun.

We would be grateful if you could help your child to collect signatures of sponsors on the attached sheet. We have strongly emphasised the safety aspect of this activity and the children have been told that on no account are they to ask anyone that they do not know to sponsor them, nor are they to knock on doors of anyone other than relatives or close friends. Some parents, however, are able to support us by taking the forms into work to ask friends to sponsor their child, and if you would like an extra form to do this, please ask your child's class teacher for one.

We do encourage all children to find at least one sponsor, as all children benefit from the money raised. However, all children will take part in the quiz whether they have any sponsors or not.

There is no need to collect any money at this stage, as the total number of correct answers is not yet known. Once the quiz is completed you will be notified of your child's score and then the money can be collected and sent in to school as soon as possible.

To help us organise the quiz please could you complete the attached form and return it to school by Monday, 17th September 2018.

If you have any further questions about the quiz, please do not hesitate to contact myself or your child's teacher. Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs R Ingram

