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THE BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

Puxi, Shanghai

5 May 2014

RE: YEAR 2 SAVE THE RAINFOREST SPONSORED SWIM

Dear Parents/Guardians,

All Year 2 are ready for the final charity event to raise money for the Rainforest. We have already raised a huge amount of money from our sponsored run and cake sale and look forward to adding to this further.

As summertime is here, we are going to hold a sponsored swim. This will be during the week commencing **Monday 19 May** and will be taking place during normal swimming times. During their swimming session, the children will be swimming lengths as a class relay, to raise money for our SAVE THE RAINFOREST project.

Please support this cause with us. Each class is swimming as a team. You could choose to give the class a fixed amount of sponsorship money e.g. 50RMB in total, or sponsor them for each length they complete e.g. 2RMB per length (40 lengths = 80RMB).

We feel this is a great way for the children to get actively involved in looking after our world and is especially worthwhile as they are now so excited by the topics we are covering in class.

Could all donations please be sent to their class teacher with the sponsorship form by Monday 26May 2014 in a sealed envelope, with the child's name and class clearly marked on the envelope. This will help to give us enough time to count all the money and send it off to Cool Earth, who works to protect and save the rainforests in Peru and Ecuador.

Year 2 are really looking forward to this event! Please can you ensure that your child definitely brings their swimming kit in to enable them to participate in this event.

Please note that all children will be supported by swimming teachers in the pool as they are in swimming lessons and will be allowed to use water aids if they want to. There will also be lots of adults on the side of the pool to support with counting lengths and organising the children.

Kind regards,

Year 2 Team