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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Children In Need Mufti Day
The Rickshaw Challenge - Friday 13th November 2020



As you are aware Children in Need is a UK charity that is able to make a real difference to the lives of children all across the United Kingdom.

The Rickshaw Challenge is back for 2020 as Matt Baker and a team of six young people will take on the challenge for the 10th year.

This year will see the annual eight-day challenge tell the powerful stories of its heroic young riders as it always has, but with a slightly different format due to Covid-19 restrictions.

The team plan to ride the equivalent of Matt's first solo Rickshaw ride in 2011, from Edinburgh to London – 332 miles in a straight line – but will be doing this within the iconic grounds of 'Glorious' Goodwood. The team plan to take on the mammoth challenge, starting on Friday 6th November, and will have to cover a variety of terrains to reach their target each day, in time for a live broadcast on The One Show each night.

To show our support for the Rickshaw Challenge, all children have been invited, for a small donation of **£1**, to come in **dressed wearing yellow or spotted clothing** On **Friday 13th November 2020.**

Thank you for supporting this wonderful charity and we look forward to raising some money this Friday! For more information, please visit <https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/shows/the-rickshaw-challenge-2019/covid-security-on-the-rickshaw-challenge/>

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "M Tucker".

Mrs M Tucker
Head Teacher