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Dear Students

Bromsgrove Service - Lent Term 2021

£50 Amazon Voucher Raffle

We once again find ourselves in a National lockdown and separated from our friends and usual School routines. However, as in the summer, this does not mean that our commitment to our local community and helping others is pushed to one side. If anything, your small acts of kindness can have a more significant impact than ever as we help our vulnerable friends and neighbours make it through what may be a very lonely and dark time.

Whilst it may not be possible to continue with the Bromsgrove Service activities that you had intended to complete this term, there are still many ways for you to complete service activities that can contribute towards the Duke of Edinburgh award, CAS hours or simply for your own enjoyment. Examples of activities you might wish to offer include helping elderly neighbours with shopping, raising money for charity or selling crafts online.

In addition to this, I would like to encourage you all, whether you normally take part in Bromsgrove Service or not, to **send a letter or card** to one of our local residential homes. Some of the residents have not seen their families in person since March 2020 when the first lockdown was implemented. They have missed birthdays, anniversaries and Christmas celebrations, and would love to hear from you – I have included suggested addresses on the next page, however local or international equivalents would also be ideal.

To spread kindness further, I am offering a £50 amazon voucher as a raffle prize. You will receive one raffle entry per letter/card sent and the winner will be announced when we return to School. Simply send proof of your letters/cards (an emailed photo will suffice) to guarantee your entry into the raffle. The more letters you send, the greater your chance of winning.

As always, please feel free to contact me by email if you wish to discuss any matters regarding community service.

Kind regards

Miss Woolley

Suggested local residential homes:

Burcot Grange Residential Home	Rashwood Residential Care Home
23 Greenhill,	Rashwood,
Burcot,	Wychbold,
Bromsgrove,	Droitwich,
B60 1BJ	WR9 OBP
St. John's Court Residential Care Home	Heathbrook House Residential Home
St John Street,	223-229 Worcester Road,
Bromsgrove,	Stoke Heath,
B61 8QT	Bromsgrove,
	B61 7JA
Breme Residential Care Home	Wayside Care Home
46 Providence Road,	25 New Road,
Bromsgrove,	Bromsgrove,
B61 8EF	B60 2JQ
Houseman Court Residential Home	Chandler Court Residential Care Home
School Drive,	Recreation Road,
Bromsgrove,	Bromsgrove,
B60 1AZ	B61 8DT