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Dear Parents/Carers,

OPAL - Outside Play and Learning UPDATE

As we move into our fifth week of OPAL, we will continue to embed the activities already available for children in the playground.

Our OPAL Saturday was a great success. Thank you to all the parent volunteers who provided their skills. The children love the new mud kitchen, den building area, digging area, role play den and music fence.

Please see the details below of how you can help in the next few weeks.

Kind regards,

Jo Booth & Faith Allsop
Assistant Headteachers

Phase 1	
What you can donate	- large loose parts (guttering, planks of wood, crates, wheels) - small world (toy animals, dinosaurs, cars, fairies) - Mats (e.g. car play mats) - children's garden furniture - deck chairs, hammocks - role play resources (toy food, ovens, plates, bowls)
Year 5 and 6 Project 	Year 6 have also recently been reading about Ecobricks which are plastic bottles which have been packed with clean, dry, unwanted plastic that cannot be easily recycled. They are then used to make furniture. As a way to help you with non recyclable waste such as crisp packets, cling film and food packaging, please clean it and bring it to school so Year 5 and 6 can start their own ecobrick project.
What you can do:	Talk to your children about the changes that they have seen at lunchtime. Ask them about what they have enjoyed and what they would like more of.

