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Dear Parents/Carers

The pandemic has been hard on us all, but for some young people across the UK already facing challenges, it's made life even more difficult. That is why, at Hanson Sixth Form, we have decided to support the Children In Need campaign.

After consulting with the student's about how we can pay back to the community, we have decided to complete a Sixth Form 10k sponsored walk. This will be held on Friday 19th November and the entire sixth form will be walking!

BBC Children In Need is an excellent opportunity for our Sixth Form community to come together, and for all students and staff to be involved in a fund-raising effort on behalf of this incredible charity.

All Year 12 and 13 students will be transported from school at 9.00am to the starting point in Ilkley. They will be collected at the final checkpoint at Bolton Abbey and then transported back to school. All being well, students should finish the walk no later than 2.30 pm and return to school at the very latest by 3.00pm. Staff involved in the event will either be marshalling the course at checkpoints or walking with groups of students to support them through the challenge.

It is important that the students are sensibly dressed for walking in the countryside and wear clothing appropriate for the weather that day. We are happy for students to wear the traditional "Pudsey Bear" ears or T-shirts should they wish.

As this is a charity event, we are encouraging your son or daughter to get as many sponsors as this can for this incredible cause. We very much appreciate you supporting your child to do this. There will be prizes for top sponsorship amounts!

Standards of behaviour must reflect sixth form expectations, with all pupils behaving sensibly and responsibly at all times.

Whatever the weather, I am sure it will prove to be an enjoyable experience. I would like to thank you in anticipation of your generous responses to the sponsor forms.

Yours sincerely



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