



6<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Our Ref: DFO/CBU/04/2018

Dear Parents and Carers

### **TESCO – Bags of Help**

Assalamu Alakium, (May peace be upon you).

Tesco has teamed up with Groundwork to launch a community funding scheme, which sees grants of £4,000, £2,000 and £1,000 all raised from the 5p bag levy. This is being awarded to local community projects.

Bags of Help offers community groups and projects across the UK a share of revenue generated from the 5p charge levied on single-use carrier bags. The public are now invited to vote in store during March and April on who should receive the £4,000, £2,000 and £1,000 awards.

The Olive School application to the Tesco Bags of Help Grant Scheme has been successful and our project will be put forward to a customer vote in Tesco stores during March and April 2018.

We would like to develop our outdoor EYFS area in particular to ensure that the pupils at the school can be proud of their environment and support us in creating an outstanding education for some of the young people within Preston. In addition, we would like to provide a canopy area for the pupils in EYFS so that irrespective of weather they can go outdoors and access the equipment which will help them to become independent learners. Given the responsibility to support with nurturing young people, we firmly believe that we should encourage the children to be proud of their environment and look after it.

Our project to enhance the EYFS outdoor area, along with the other two successful projects in our region will go forward to a vote in Tesco stores where customers will influence the outcome by voting for their favourite project each time they shop. Voting will take place from Thursday 1st March to Monday 30th April 2018 and we will be notified at the end of May 2018 confirming the amount of funding we have been awarded.

The project with the highest number of votes across our region will receive £4,000, the second placed project £2,000 and the third placed project £1,000. To re-iterate, if we are first in the vote, we will receive the amount that we requested in our application.

Please see below a list of stores taking part in the voting on our project. Please share this list of stores amongst families and friends.

5400	BLACKPL RD PRESTN EXP	PR2 1XJ	Express
5212	EARNSHAW BRIDGE EXP	PR25 1XD	Express
2804	Leyland	PR25 2FN	Extra
6689	LEYLAND CANBER RD EXP	PR25 3ET	Express
6129	LEYLAND EXP	PR25 5TU	Express
5750	PRESTON CHURCH ST EXP	PR1 3BQ	Express
6517	PRESTON FRIARGATE EXP	PR1 2LD	Express
3272	PRESTON FULWOOD EXP	PR2 9PS	Express
5038	RIBBLETON PRESTON EXP	PR2 6RJ	Express
6384	TLKTH MIL PRESTON EXP	PR2 2BT	Express



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Please support us to gain as many votes as possible to enable us to improve the learning experience for our children.

Many thanks in anticipation of your continued and extremely valued support.

Yours faithfully

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**Executive Principal**