



Greenway Primary
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Dear Parents/Carers

Greenway Art Project 2020

I am pleased to announce our plans for an exciting art project which we would like to launch today. As you know our art installation of Van Gogh's 'Starry Night' has been removed from the outside wall by the main playground. Over the years it had faded and began to fall apart! A new art installation needs to be created!

Mrs Bennett, our Art lead and I would like to present to you an idea of a community project that we can all take part in and contribute to while we continue to be in lockdown. We would like to create a large piece of art, which is designed using coloured plastic bottle tops.

Once we're back at school we envisage that every child in the school will be involved in creating and helping to install the artwork. It's going to be a big undertaking and the children's hands on help will definitely be needed.

What can you do to help -

- We would like to you to think about Greenway and what it means to you and design a picture. This could include the Greenway Tree, the Golden Values which already incorporates a rainbow, certain values/words that you feel Greenway represents. You will need to put your design onto one side of A4 and then you can photograph, scan and email your designs to Mrs Bennett at janine.bennett@greenway.herts.sch.uk. You can also post them to school. Hopefully we will be back at school soon and then you can bring your designs with you to school.
- We would also like you to collect as many **coloured plastic bottle tops** as you can and help us upcycle some plastic. Please do wash them! Get all of the family involved, your grandparents, aunts and uncles, family friends, your street where you live who can collect as well. We are going to need thousands of plastic bottle tops! You will be able to bring your collections into school once we return.

This is not a competition, but we would really value you taking part and sending us your designs. We will then be able to incorporate as many of your ideas into the final piece. You will see from the pictures below what we are aiming for!



Kind regards,

Katharine Ellwood and Janine Bennett

