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## Dear Parent / Carer

Homelessness is one of the biggest issues that people in Wales face. Due to price rises of food, bills and rental places people are struggling to cope and unfortunately this has led to them becoming homeless or sofa-surfing. In a survey, 67% of the Welsh population feel as though we do not pay enough attention to homelessness. Throughout Wales, 217 out of 1,186 people presenting as homeless are children under 16 years old.

As part of our GCSE Welsh Baccalaureate class, we are doing a campaign to support homelessness. As part of our campaign, we have decided to do a fundraiser for a homeless charity called Shelter Cymru. We have created a poster and a GoFundMe page in hope of raising awareness and some much-needed support for our chosen charity.

Shelter Cymru provides information, advice, and support to help people who are dealing with the possibility of homelessness. They also raise money to benefit those who are already homeless.

We have been researching homelessness and the effects that Covid-19 has had on the issue. We felt that there was more we could do as a community to aid and support those who are trying to help. That is why we are going to have a non-school uniform day on **Friday March**31st and we are asking that you donate £1 to help our fundraiser.

We greatly appreciate your help and support to meet our goal.

**Yours Sincerely** 

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