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Dear Families,

Eco Team News - Green Flag Award

As many of you will be aware, JYS has held the Eco-Schools' 'Green Flag' award for several years now. This top award recognises the high quality environmental learning and work undertaken in school by the children and staff. However, the award isn't permanent and we are required to re-apply for it every two years.

The Eco Team are delighted to announce that, following an assessment visit to school last Wednesday, our 'Green Flag' status has now been renewed for another two years!

Once we have received the written report from Eco-Schools in the autumn term, we will be able to share more information about the visit with you, but we wanted to let you know how thrilled we are that all our hard work has been recognised again.

Thank you so much to all of the children who have been members of the Eco Team over the last couple of years and to all the staff who have worked with them to lead environmental projects. A very special 'thank you' must go to Mrs Ritchie for her wisdom and passion about environmental education. Her enthusiasm and hard work has led to lots of enrichment opportunities for eco learning, especially for the children in Year 6 this year. Thank you to all the families who have supported our initiatives too, be that by attending Grounds Days, donating to our 'Big Battery Hunt' and other recycling schemes or by getting involved in our 'Plastic-free Day' campaign. Well done!

We wish you all a very happy, healthy and eco-friendly summer holiday!

With very best wishes,

Mrs Neville and

The JYS Eco Team

