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Dear Parent/Carer,



Today, as requested by the Eco Council, the children will be part of an assembly which launches 'The Big Plastic Count'.

It is hoped that by taking part in The Big Plastic Count we will be contributing to an important investigation into the amount of plastic the UK uses and throws away.

By joining thousands of people across the country and counting all the plastics we throw away for a week, we will contribute to helping to gather the vital evidence needed to convince UK ministers, supermarkets and big brands to lead the way at the global talks that could finally phase out plastic production for good.

As part of the process, the children are asked to tally every time they use plastic within the day and record it on a sheet which we have downloaded onto the Google Classroom. If you need a paper copy, please let us know.

The count lasts from today until Friday where we will collate the results and send them off to the government.

Kindest regards,

Jayne Narraway

Headteacher

