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Dear Parent / Carer,

### **Sewing Bee Challenge**

As part of the Arts Day taking place on Friday 14th July 2023, Year 7 will be taking part in a Sewing Bee challenge, working in groups to create a bespoke piece of couture. For this, we would like the students to use recycled textiles, thinking about ideas of sustainability and reducing waste in the environment.

I am writing to ask for your support in this matter and would appreciate any donations of clothes that no longer fit, unused textile items that you would be clearing out, such as old, clean, bedding or curtains. If each student could bring in at least one or two items to be used within their Sewing Bee Challenge it will add to their experience, they will have contributed to recycling of textile items, and have considered how they could then recycle or up-cycle textile items in the future. Helping to make the world a greener, more sustainable place.

Any donations need to be brought in by the students to Miss West in T4.

Yours sincerely,

Miss West  
Textiles Teacher