Dear Parent/Carer

Your child has been working hard on the Values, Money and Me programme. She/he is bringing this activity home in the hope you can do some learning together that they can take back into school.

The unit we have been working on is called A Fair Day's Pay KS2. The lessons in this unit are:

Lesson 1
Paying for Pride Place

Using the payslip and the deductions factsheet children explore the terms used and what they mean. They then explore the map of Pride Place to find out how services are paid for, focusing on the deductions made on the payslip. They will consider the national and local taxation that allows us to spread the cost for our communities.

Lesson 2
Paying Together

Extending from lesson 1, they manage a community fund and allocate it to the services in Pride Place, exploring budgets and priorities.

Lesson 3
How Can I Help?

Children will explore personal responsibility within a community and how to use its resources. They explore what difference they could make to save money in and for their community more proactively, including giving their time and cultivating pro-community habits.

We would like you to do the following activities if it is practical (or more if you wish)

- Read the A Fair Day’s Pay interactive story online with your child.
- This can be found at: www.valuesmoneyandme.co.uk/teachers/a-fair-days-pay
- Think about how you might be able to get involved in community volunteering with the family (or take some simple and safe independent pro-community action, such as clearing up left rubbish in your street)
- Complete the parents’ Community Survey from lesson 2
- Look at Working Together Activities for Grown Up Money