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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are writing to you to ask for your support with an issue we have had in Reception recently.

Over the last few weeks, we have had a number of incidents where children in Reception have used inappropriate and undesirable language. On the whole, this has been during play and has not been said with any intent to cause offence or upset. It is very clear to us that the children are simply repeating words and phrases which they have heard. There have been occasions where parents have made contact with us to inform me that their children are now taking this language home. This is not acceptable and causes us concern.

We are very confident that such language has not been picked up from school and therefore, we are asking for your support with this. We may all slip up from time to time, but we would ask that you are mindful of the language you use at home in front of your children. Their ears are always listening and they may innocently pick up on language and bring it into school, as we have seen in recent weeks.

One of our whole school expectations is 'to be respectful' and the use of inappropriate language very much goes against this. We are working with our children to help them understand the impact of using such language and would very much welcome your support with this.

We are happy to discuss this further with any parent or carer who may have questions about this. In the meantime, we thank you for working with us to help our children use kind and appropriate language in school and at home.

Kind regards,

Mrs Emma Whitney

EYFS Lead

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