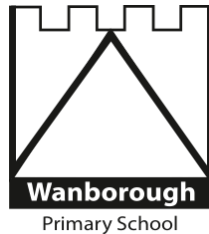


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Dear Parents and Carers,

### **Young Carers Awareness - Non-School Uniform - 25<sup>th</sup> January**

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January is Young Carers Awareness Day.

*'A Young Carer is someone under 18 who helps look after someone in their family, or a friend, who is ill, disabled or misuses drugs or alcohol'*

To increase awareness and raise funds for Young Carers within the Swindon area, myself and Wanborough Young Carers would love it if the children would wear their own (brightest) clothes to school on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January for a voluntary donation of £1.

At Wanborough Primary School we have nine Young Carers and most of these help to look after a sibling or parent with a disability. Within school we support these children through Young Carer Club as a place to meet, chat and undertake fun activities with other Young Carers. Myself and all staff are also aware of each Young Carer's role and ready to provide support if needed.

We hope the children will wish to join in and help to raise funds for Swindon's Young Carers.

Kind regards,

Ms Hingley and Wanborough Young Carers

