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Dear Parents/Carers

## RE: Make Do & Mend Autumn 1 2023 Design Technology Project

During the first Autumn Term, Class 6 pupils will be completing a DT project appropriately titled - 'Make Do and Mend' - closely linked to up-cycling and renovating an item of their own choice.

This item needs to be sourced from home so you might want to discuss and encourage them to find something suitable during the summer holiday. Perhaps have a search in the shed, house, garden or garage at home for an undiscovered or lost treasure which needs a little bit of TLC. Maybe relatives could have a look around too. Examples could be anything from an old wooden toy or box, a small piece of furniture, a fixable piece of clothing or a tired bag. It needs to be something made out of wood, fabric or some other reusable and workable material (not electrical, plastic or anything unsafe).

I would like them to bring this item to school on the first week back please; our first lesson will be on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

Please note that the item will be their own responsibility and the school cannot be held responsible for loss or damage - they need to think about practicality, size and outcome whilst selecting their item. We have limited storage space, so please consider the size of an item.

If you have any questions please contact me, or Mrs Swanson, via the office.

Kind Regards

Mrs Louisa Tennant  
Teacher (Class 6 on Wednesdays)



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