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Dear Parents and Carers,

You might be aware of concerns raised in the local media about the Refugee Day that the school has planned for next Thursday.

In response to enquiries from the press the school has released the following statement:

"The school has planned a day in which children will learn about showing compassion to those who are stateless and suffering, from a humanitarian rather than a political perspective and in line with this country's long and proud tradition of welcoming refugees into Britain. It is intended to be a day about caring for others as part of the values that we promote as a church school".

We are interested to hear your views on this matter in order to inform our planning and arrangements for the day.

We would be grateful if you could communicate your views via email to admin@bishopwood.herts.sch.uk by 12 noon on Friday 16th June.

Yours sincerely

Mrs L. A. Hardman
Headteacher

