



Wednesday 23rd April 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Celebrating Dandelion Day – Honouring Our Military Children 🌻

As you may be aware, the month of April has been named as the month of the military child. This year the charity Little Troopers, who support service families and their children, are dedicating the 4th April as Dandelion day in recognition of all children who have a family member who is currently serving or has served in our military services.

Military children are often called “dandelion children” because, like the dandelion, they are able to put down roots anywhere the wind carries them. Despite frequent moves, new schools, and the emotional ups and downs of having a parent in the Armed Forces, they continue to grow, shine, and inspire us with their resilience.

These children demonstrate a quiet strength, an ability to adapt, and a deep sense of pride in their families’ service.

In recognition of this, on **Monday 28th April** we invite everyone from across the school to show their support for all service children and their families by wearing something yellow. This can be as small as a pair of yellow socks, a yellow ribbon in their hair or even a yellow T shirt. This event is completely optional and no donation is required. For those children who do not wish to take part they are to wear their normal school uniform.

Let's show our gratitude for the courage and resilience these students show every day.

To all of our military children: We see you. We appreciate you. We are proud of you.

Thank you for your continued support.

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