

15<sup>th</sup> September 2020

Dear Parent/Carers,

### Jeans for Genes Day – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2020

West Lea School will be taking part in this year's **Jeans for Genes Day on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September**.

It is estimated that 1 in 25 children have a genetic disorder. In the UK, 30,000 babies and children are newly diagnosed each year with a genetic disorder.

All children and staff are invited to wear their jeans on **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2020**. We'd like everyone to take part so please encourage your child to come into school on the day wearing their jeans and with a £1 donation.

Jeans for Genes Day have a series of powerful 5 minute films to explain how your child's donation will make a difference. Each film provides a compelling and personal insight, introducing some amazing children living with genetic disorders, sharing first-hand what life is like with their condition. Please visit [jeansforgenes.org/schools](http://jeansforgenes.org/schools) for more information and to view these films.

If you'd like to find out more about how our support will help, please visit their website at [jeansforgenes.org](http://jeansforgenes.org)

Yours faithfully,

West Lea School