



# **Emmbrook Infant and Junior Schools**



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Dear Parents & Carers,

As you know, our school is part of the Schools Learning Alliance, a group of fifteen schools who collaborate to develop school led improvement.

During the week of 17<sup>th</sup> May 2021, we will be collaborating with a different, yet equally crucial goal in mind – raising funds for the Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC) Coronavirus Appeal in aid of India.

Some of us may have relatives in India, have lived or holidayed there but all of us are, I'm sure, horrified by the sheer numbers of people affected by Coronavirus in India right now and the scale of the challenges communities are facing in their effort to survive.

Unlike other disasters, where we hear about nations in difficulties but perhaps can't completely empathise, the Coronavirus Crisis has affected us all and leaves us in no doubt of the terror that must be gripping families in India every day.

In order to add our support to that being offered from around the world, SLA schools (of which we are a member), will be holding cricket themed events throughout the week of 17<sup>th</sup> May 2021.

Mr Fisher will be running Cricket Competitions for each class during their outdoor PE sessions and challenging each class to score as many runs as possible. It would be wonderful if you could sponsor your child by donating through the Just Giving page below.

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/WokinghamCricketFundraiser>

Any contribution is gratefully received and will go towards supporting those in need through the Disasters Emergency Committee who are channelling all current donations to their India Appeal. Information on this charity organisation can be found [here](#).

We do not want to put a ceiling on the amount we raise by asking for a set amount as is often suggested when fundraising. We simply ask that you give what you can at this time and we thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Gillard & Mr Usher