



Bag2School is the UK's leading textile recycler and fundraiser working with schools and since its inception in 2001 it has now paid out over £27 million.

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Dear Parent/Guardian

We are delighted to announce that the school is holding a textile collection **on Friday 27th January 2017** to raise funds for the PTA using Bag2School. This scheme is designed to help schools to raise funds and to help the environment by diverting discarded but reusable textiles away from landfill.

To take part you simply need to fill the Bag2School bag coming home in your child's book bag shortly with unwanted but clean clothing. **They accept both children's and adult clothes including paired shoes, accessories (scarves, hats, belts, handbags, etc), soft toys, towels and bed linen.**

They do not accept: Single shoes, Mats, Carpets, Duvets, Pillows, Blankets, Curtains, Bric-a-Brac, school uniforms with and without logo, corporate clothing and workwear, textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material, dirty, damaged or wet clothing, so please do not include this in your bag as it will affect how much we can raise.

Remember that the more you fill up the bag the more the school can raise. We receive a competitive rate of up to 40p per kilo; you can also use additional black bin bags if required. This is a fantastic opportunity to raise eco-friendly awareness amongst children. Everyone can take part so spread the word and let's get fundraising!

The Bag2school Bag van will be collecting from our school on **Friday 27th January at 9am, please use the drop off process explained below for your donations** and help us have an amazing collection!

Please bring your bags to **the swimming pool boys changing room** between 8am and 9am or between 3pm and 3.30pm any day in the week between **Monday 23rd and Thursday 26th January.**

Please note this activity is being arranged by the PTA, any questions you have should be forwarded to the PTA. The office will not be taking collections of bags, you must use the drop off point provided.

We may also need some helpers in the morning of the 27th between 8am and 9am to help move the bags. If you are able to help, please email pta@aldryngtonpta.com

Many thanks for taking part!

Your PTA Committee