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Dear Parents and Carers,

Our Big Me day on Thursday 11th October 2018

On Thursday 11th October 2018 we will be joining schools across the UK and taking part in Big Me for the charity ActionAid.

Big Me is a day for your child to come to school dressed as what they want to be when they grow up. They will spend time exploring their hopes and dreams, writing a letter or postcard to their future selves (which they will bring home to keep safe), and learning about children in other countries. All the while, raising money to help children in the world's poorest places.

ActionAid is an international charity that works with women and girls living in poverty. Their dedicated local staff are ending violence against women and girls and helping change lives, for good. They won't stop until women and girls are out of danger, out of poverty and on track to create the future they want. Your child has learnt about Action Aid and Big Me in assembly today.

Please help your child take part in Big Me day by doing the following:

- 1) **Help your child choose what to wear on the day.** This doesn't have to be bought and we are not expecting you to spend a long time on this. For example, it could be something as simple as an apron (for future chefs), a hairbrush prop (for future hairdressers) or a name badge (for future teachers!).
- 2) **Send your child to school with a £1 donation for ActionAid.** This donation could help a child go to school for two weeks.
- 3) **Donate cakes for a cake sale.** The school council will be running a cake sale in both playgrounds at the end of the school day. Please bring any donations of cakes into the school reception on the morning of Thursday 11th October.

We're really excited about our pupils dressing up and dreaming big on Big Me day! You can find out more about ActionAid and Big Me at actionaid.org.uk/big-me.

Many thanks,

Catherine Cardy
Assistant Head





ACTIONAID CONSENT FORM

ActionAid will be visiting London Fields on our **Big Me day on Thursday 11th October 2018.**

Action Aid will conduct interviews, obtain photographs, written and recorded words/ statements and/ or video footage concerning London Fields Primary School participation in Big Me week 2018.

Please complete the form below:

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I am happy with Action Aid to take photographs or video footage of my child.

Name of child:

Signed:

I do not give permission for my child to be photographed

Name of child:

Signed:

Please return this form to your child's class teacher.