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Dear Parents/Carers,

🦖 Arts Week 2026 – A Jurassic Adventure!

This year's Arts Week theme is **'The Jurassic Coast'**, and we are excited to be taking the children on a creative journey back in time to the age of dinosaurs!

Throughout the week, children from Reception to Year 5 will be working together in cross-phase groups to create a range of exciting artworks inspired by the fossils, landscapes and prehistoric creatures that make the Jurassic Coast so special. Their creations will then be proudly displayed in our **Carnival Parade on Wednesday 15th July at 2:00 pm**, and we would be delighted if you could join us to celebrate their hard work and creativity.

🦕 Help Us Build Our Jurassic World!

To help bring our prehistoric visions to life, we are looking for donations of the following materials:

- Cardboard boxes
- Egg boxes
- Paper plates
- Newspapers
- Garden canes or long sticks
- String or white wool
- Balloons
- Plain white sheets of material (bed-sheet size)
- Tights

Every donation, no matter how small, will help our young artists create some **roar-some** masterpieces! If you are able to help, please send any donations into school by **Monday 13th July**.

Thank you for your continued support. We can't wait to transform our school into a prehistoric paradise and look forward to seeing you at our celebratory parade.

Yours faithfully,

Mr M. Blanthorn
Art & Design Coordinator