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Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: Cut Your Carbon Month

I am proud to announce that Lyon Park Primary School now has an Eco Committee made up of children from Year 2 – Year 6. We will be following the Eco Schools' seven steps to becoming an Eco School.

For our first initiative, throughout November we are challenging all children and staff to complete 9 small carbon cutting actions with the help of family and friends. This will raise awareness, change behaviours and help reduce our carbon footprint. Carbon is the greenhouse gas responsible for driving climate change so cutting down carbon emissions is key to tackling climate change.

9 Small Challenges:

1. Make at least one journey more sustainable
2. Go meat-free for a day (our school lunches are already meat-free every Monday!)
3. Have a no food-waste weekend
4. Turn down the heating by 1° for a week
5. Design a flight-free holiday
6. Say 'no' to a new item
7. Donate something you no longer need
8. Substitute 4 baths for 4 showers and limit them to 4 minutes
9. Share carbon-cutting advice

Your child will bring home a checklist today to keep a record of the challenges they have completed. Please keep this handy because in December the Eco Committee will be collecting data on how many children completed the challenges.

I hope you are as excited and enthusiastic about completing these challenges throughout November as we are.

Yours sincerely,

Ms L Gallagher

Assistant Headteacher

