



Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

Toys in Key Stage 1 playground

Since Christmas many children are increasingly bringing a number of large toys to school. They are currently causing issues in the Key Stage 1 playground - being thrown and hurting others, thrown and lost on the roof or on the field causing distress and squabbles over ownership.

Our school rule for Key Stage 1 is that children can bring 1 small toy to school and must play appropriately with it at playtime.

If children need to bring a 'comfort' item to school then this should be left with the teacher at playtime. Teachers are happy to discuss strategies to reduce the use of 'comfort' items according to the developmental age of the child.

Thank you for your support in this matter and please do not hesitate to talk to myself or Mrs Alexander if you have concerns.

Yours sincerely,

LD Selbie  
Head teacher