



DEMENTIA ACTION WEEK 2024!

A huge thank you to all of our families who joined us on our walk from school to Sycamore Care Home on Saturday. I must say it was a great turn out and showed support and kindness towards a worthy cause.

There is approximately 982, 000 people now estimated to be living with dementia in the UK. This is thought to rise to 1.4 million by 2040 according to Alzheimer's Society. We feel it is so important to look at ways that we can raise the profile of dementia, but also to look at ways that, together with our young children, we can work with the community to support as much as possible.

From programmes such as "A care home for 4 year olds" on Channel 4 and of course the Dementia Choir, we know that older people and people with dementia love to be around children and music! This is something we want to embrace as we know our little ones in school gain as much from working with the older generation as much as they do. And...just how lovely is it to see inter generations together?

We will continue to work with Lynn and Peter from Sycamore to look at further ways we can work together over the next term and into next academic year. My next step, is to train to be a dementia friend!

Lots to look forward to. Enjoy the pictures below! We raised **£366** for the Alzheimer's Society and Sycamore Care Home. THANK YOU!!

Miss Holt and all of the staff team x

