## TEENS EXPERIENCE HOMELESSNESS

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## SCHOOL REPORT





The teens all ready to have fun.

A few weeks ago, several of our pupils here at Cardinal Wiseman took part in a social experiment.

These brave teens took it upon themselves to spend the night in the treacherous climate of the rainy place we like to call England ... more specifically ... in our school playground.

They started the night with a liturgy in our hall. The chaplain, Jonny, lead activities like making origami hearts and quietly reflecting on all God has blessed us with.

As the night went on, the teens set up their temporary homes, played games, ate snacks, drank juice and checked their Instagram.

After a long afternoon of fun, the teens settled down and went to sleep.

Many of the pupils had a good night's sleep, but some got no sleep at all.

All of this was done for a good cause, to raise money for St. Basil's foundation: this is a charity that raises awareness for homeless men, women and children.

They also raise money to build them homes, soup kitchens and help them get jobs.

They work with young people to show them that homeless people need help to get off their feet and get a home. So if you see a homeless person trying to get money, point them to Saint Basil's foundation and tell them what I have just told you.

Le-sha, aged 12 says "the sleep out was an amazing way to raise awareness".

This was Ryley for the Cardinal Times.

