

GEORGE ROMNEY JUNIOR SCHOOL



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Dear parents, carers and families,

School has been buzzing this week with two pieces of learning in particular...letter writing and inventing gadgets! The lowers have loved reading their Julia Donaldson books and have all written some amazing letters to her – will they get a reply? The uppers have all been thinking about the future and what incredible devices/gadgets they could design and invent to make life better! They have all really enjoyed these tasks – Class 4 have even enjoyed a TEAMS call with a real-life chemical engineer from Siemens Energy today!

As I mentioned in my previous letter, we are wanting as many children and families as possible to take part in the newly launched Cumbria Street Tag competition:

'Street Tag is a free child and family-friendly mobile application that uses virtual tags to incentivize communities and families to become more physically active and boost mental health.

On the Street Tag app, you collect points assigned to virtual tags all-around your community including green spaces, once you are within a 40-metre radius of any virtual tag, your app will automatically collect the points, steps can also be synced and converted into Street Tag points. These points add up in real-time on your school's leaderboard, with prizes to be won at the end of each season.

It's lightning-fast and easy to create new tags on your preferred walking, running, or cycling route on Street Tag. Anyone can create virtual tags around them using the app.

Use the Street Tag 'Power Hour' to commit to an hour of exercise at least 24 hours in advance and have all your tag points collected during that hour tripled and maintain a daily streak of physical activity for even more bonuses.



Start using Street Tag to explore and boost your daily physical activity and mental health. Collect virtual tags, sync your steps, try different experiences in the virtual playground and WIN PRIZES.'

I hope many of you will be able to support your children in enjoying this activity. Each school is allowed up to 250 people in a team so if you have friends or relatives that want to join in then share this information with them!

Have a lovely weekend whatever you choose to do!

Take care, stay safe,

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