

Thursday 5th October 2022

Dear Parents and carers,

Re: Pokémon trading cards

I am writing to let you know that following an increase in playground disputes and disruptions to learning, we have had to take the decision to stop allowing Pokémon cards from being brought into school immediately until further notice.

While we appreciate the value that these trading these cards can have in developing the children's soft skills such as reasoning, turn taking and negotiating, we believe that it is important that the children are not distracted from their learning and engaging in positive play with each other.

Following on from suggestions from a group of year 6 children, we hope to provide a designated time and club for children to develop these skills after half term.

For the time being, thank you in advance for supporting us in ensuring that Pokémon cards remain at home.

Best wishes,



Mr Phillips
Headteacher

