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Dear Parents and Carers

We are hoping to become a HEART SAFE school and have our own defibrillator, which is a very expensive and essential piece of first aid equipment.

We have approached the Connor 5 Foundation, a brilliant and worthwhile charity who donate defibrillators to schools and football clubs across Sussex.

On Friday 27th January they will be presenting the school with the defibrillator. There will also be an assembly to children in years 4, 5, and 6. This will include information regarding the origin of their charity and the work they do across the county. For more information you can look at the website:

www.connorsaundersfoundation.co.uk

After the assembly they offer a basic first aid workshop to the children from years 4, 5 and 6. The workshop includes:

- Who the emergency services are
- How to put someone in the recovery position
- Basic life support (chest compressions)
- How to use bandages properly

The course providers will also answer any questions on general first aid and at the end of the session all pupils will receive a sticker.

The presentation will be age appropriate but we are aware that some of the issues covered may be sensitive because of individual family situations. Mrs Presland is available to answer any questions you may have, however if you do not wish your child to take part in the assembly and/ or the first aid workshop please complete the slip below.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Sherlock

Headteacher

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Heartsave assembly/first aid training

My child..... class.....

does not wish to take part in the Heartsave assembly and/or the first aid training (delete as necessary)

Signed..... Parent/Carer





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