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**THRIFT DEN**  
**Grade 3-8**

**Dear Parents**

**Greetings!**

We are excited to share some wonderful news with you regarding a new initiative at Raghav Global School, Noida that we believe will greatly benefit our students and the community.

We are pleased to announce that we will be opening a “**THRIFT DEN**” on our campus on occasion of “**World Humanitarian Day**”, **19<sup>th</sup> August 2023**, aimed at promoting sustainability, resourcefulness, and community engagement. This store will serve as a valuable platform for students to donate gently used clothes and stationery items that they no longer need, and these items will be made available to other members of our community at affordable prices.

The goals behind the establishment of this thrift store are threefold:

**Fostering a Sense of Community:** This thrift store will provide an opportunity for students to actively participate in giving back to the community. By donating for the thrift store, students will engage in a cycle of mutual support that strengthens our sense of unity.

**Promoting Sustainability:** By encouraging the donation and reuse of clothing and stationery, we aim to contribute to a more sustainable environment by reducing waste and the consumption of new resources.

**Financial Assistance:** The thrift store will also serve as a resource for families seeking affordable clothing and stationery options for their children. We understand that clothing/school expenses can add up, and our thrift store can help alleviate some of this burden.

We kindly request your support in this endeavor. If you have any gently used clothing or stationery items that your child has outgrown or no longer needs, we would greatly appreciate your donation to the thrift store. Every contribution will make a significant difference in ensuring the success of this initiative.

We believe that the thrift store will be a positive addition to our school community, promoting important values while providing practical benefits. Thank you for your ongoing support and partnership as we continue to strive for excellence in education and community engagement.

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Principal



## GUIDELINES FOR DONATION IN THRIFT STORE

### Clothing Items

**Clean and Gently Used:** All clothing items should be clean, free from stains, and in good condition. Please refrain from donating items that are heavily worn, torn, or damaged.

**Seasonally Appropriate:** We kindly ask that you donate clothing items that are appropriate for the current or upcoming season. This ensures that donated items can be used promptly by those in need.

**No Undergarments:** For hygiene reasons, we cannot accept donations of undergarments or intimate apparel.

**Children's Clothing:** Donations of children's clothing, including uniforms, casual wear, and outerwear, are welcome. Please avoid donating clothing that may not align with our school's dress code.

### Stationery Items:

**Gently Used and Functional:** Donated stationery items, such as pens, pencils, notebooks, and binders, should be gently used and still functional. Items with extensive wear or damage should not be donated.

**No Expired Materials:** Please ensure that any donated stationery items with expiration dates, such as glue sticks or markers, are not expired.

**Age-Appropriate:** Donations of stationery items suitable for students of various ages and grade levels are appreciated. This includes both basic essentials and more specialized supplies.

### General Guidelines:

**Clean and Odor-Free:** All donated items should be clean and free from odors, such as smoke or pet smells.

**Secure Packaging:** When donating small stationery items, please package them securely to prevent spillage or scattering during transportation.

**Non-Discrimination:** We welcome donations of items for all genders, sizes, and styles. Our thrift store aims to serve the diverse needs of our school community.

**Appropriate for School Setting:** Please avoid donating items that are overly casual, inappropriate, or not aligned with a school environment.

**No Hazardous Materials:** For safety reasons, we cannot accept donations of hazardous materials, including chemicals, sharp objects, or items that pose a potential risk.

Your thoughtful adherence to these guidelines will help us maintain the quality and integrity of the thrift store items, ensuring that they continue to provide value to our school community. Thank you once again for your support and generosity.

