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Dear Miss Cherry

Following your recent green flag assessment I am pleased to confirm that you have been awarded your Green Flag.

I would like to congratulate you for all for the time and effort that has been invested in environmental education at your school. Your award is well deserved and reflects the hard work you have put into the programme so far.

The assessor wanted us to pass on some suggestions which may help strengthen your Eco-Schools work in the future:

- To ensure their fantastic eco school web-page incorporates web-links to the Eco Schools and Keep Britain Tidy web-sites for parents/governors to access
- Visit the Eco-Schools pintrest page for great topic ideas for when you are re-applying for your next Green Flag there are so many wonderful ideas on how to link Eco-Schools to the curriculum https://uk.pinterest.com/ecoschoolsengla/boards/
- Make use of the great resources and lesson plans on the Eco-Schools website http://www.eco-schools.org.uk/about-us/

Assessor's Comments:

"Seeing a whole school approach in embracing education for sustainable development was a joy. Seeing the results of the school sharing eco knowledge and expertise with surrounding schools was a key strength showing to others the value and meaning behind being a 'Green Flag' Eco School with Ambassador Status. Well Done. It would be great if special praise could be given to the following members of staff:- Mrs Cherry (Eco Coordinator) for her drive and enthusiasm in supporting sustainable development at the school, Mr Duffy (Head Teacher) for showing great leadership re-sustainable development at the school. Last but certainly not least I would very much like to thank all the children at the school for making me feel so welcome at the whole school 'green assembly' but in particular ALL the Eco Warriors as their knowledge base was fantastic. I am sure they will all continue to be sustainability ambassadors throughout their educational life"

Your green flag and certificate are enclosed. If you would like a digital copy of the logo, please email ecoschools@keepbritaintidy.org with your request.

Please note you will need to apply for your next green flag in two years' time to retain your Green Flag School status.

In the meantime, keep up the good work!

Yours sincerely

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