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Dear Parents/Carers

You may have noticed that its been all quiet on the PTA front lately. For obvious reasons we have had to cancel all our usual fundraising activities. This has been a real shame particularly at this time of year when we usually have such lovely activities planned for the children including the Christmas fair and the Christmas movie nights.

However there are a few ways that we can still raise money for the school during these difficult times and that is by shopping......yes you read correctly...shopping!!



Arnside National School PTA are registered with **easyfundraising**, which means you can raise FREE donations for us every time you shop online. Over 4,000 shops and sites will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! You can find all the information you need to get started by clicking on the link below. This is really simple to set up and you can also download their 'donation reminder' app onto your computer which will automatically tell you if you're on a retailers website that does donate.

You can find our easyfundraising page at: https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/ arnsidenationalschool/?utm\_campaign=raise-more&utm\_content=gs-e1



We are also a registered charity on **Amazon Smile**. Most of us use Amazon and by going and registering on Amazon Smile at https://smile.amazon.co.uk you can pick Arnside National School PTA as your chosen charity. Then if you have the Amazon app on your mobile phone or other device you will find Amazon Smile in your settings. Once you've selected us as your charity any available donations from purchases will automatically go to Arnside National School.

As we all are in the midst of Christmas shopping and with Black Friday just round the corner, now really is the time to sign up to these programs. These donations really mount up and can make a BIG difference to us, particularly as all our usual fundraising has had to be put on hold. Therefore we would really appreciate it if you could take a moment to sign up and support us. It's completely FREE and only takes a moment.

Thank you so much!

The PTA