

Dear parents,

A big thank you!

I wrote to you before the holidays requesting your help with resourcing our exciting new project to make our playtimes even better, in conjunction with Outdoor Play and Learning (OPAL) CIC. Thank you so much for all the equipment that has come into school so far. We are building an excellent bank of resources ready for the official launch in November 2024. We hope to make play as joyful, independent and creative as the play you see here: [OPAL PLAYTIME](#)



We need your help!

- 1) Resources:** the more resources we have, the more children can enjoy OPAL! With this in mind, each class is taking part in an OPAL Bingo Competition. The attached bingo cards detail the kinds of resources we need. You will notice that so many of the resources are everyday items that we will happily accept as a second home to. The more items a class ticks off, the closer they come to winning the ultimate prize: the winning class will be the first class to earn the **coveted OPAL Trophy** and the **first class to try out our OPAL equipment** when we launch after half-term.
- 2) Skills:** we know that we have a rich skillset among our parent community- building, carpentry, gardening and so much more. If you are able to lend a hand to building structures and storage for our OPAL project, or if you have contacts in these industries, we would be very grateful to you!



Please get in touch with the school office or your child's teacher if you can offer any resource or support with the OPAL project. We welcome donations and can help with heavy lifting!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs C Hautenne and the children of BRW School