

NON SCHOOL UNIFORM DAY

Fairisle Junior School

Thursday 12th February

In aid of 'Doctors without Borders'

Please support this wonderful charity that the Learning Leaders have chosen by bringing in £2

You might have seen adverts regarding 'Doctors without Borders' on the TV. One of our Learning Leaders wanted to raise money to help innocent victims of war so we did some research and came up with 'Doctors without Borders'. 'Without Borders' Means Everyone.

Imagine a group of real-life superheroes who don't wear capes, but instead wear white vests and carry medical kits. That group is **Doctors Without Borders** (also called **MSF**, which is their name in French).

They Go Where Others Can't

Usually, if you get sick or hurt, you go to a local doctor or a hospital. But in some parts of the world, there are no hospitals, or the hospitals have been destroyed by things like:

- **Natural Disasters:** Like big earthquakes, floods, or hurricanes.
- **Wars:** When it is too dangerous for normal shops and doctors to stay open.
- **Outbreaks:** When a lot of people get a very scary sickness all at once.

The word "Borders" usually refers to the lines between different countries. This group believes that **medicine should not have borders**.

They don't care what country someone is from, what language they speak, or who they are "fighting" against. If someone is hurting, these doctors and nurses will cross any line to help them. They are **neutral**, which means they don't take sides in a fight; they just want to make people feel better.

