



Teacher's Notes

for The Little Princess Trust Assembly

in partnership with 1decision

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Introduction

1decision have partnered with The Little Princess Trust to bring you an inspiring and informative assembly pack.

This assembly pack has been designed to provide children with information on how the charity started, how the charity supports children, and what we can do to help.

Within these Teacher’s Notes, you will find step-by-step commentary on the assembly slides, information on the assembly pack content, and links to further resources.

Before delivering this assembly, please read the foreword on page 3 from Director of Services and Impact, Wendy Tarplee-Morris, and Chief Executive Officer, Phil Brace.

Foreword from The Little Princess Trust

We hope that you and your pupils enjoy this assembly and that it helps to demonstrate the importance of helping others.

The charity is so fortunate to receive such fantastic support from school aged children who take a special interest in the charity. It is incredibly heart-warming to see children with a desire to help others, which we believe is such an important life skill. It demonstrates such strong values that we feel should be recognised and encouraged.

The Little Princess Trust completely relies on awareness to further the work of our charity. So, we are extremely grateful that you are helping to spread our message, as well as hopefully teaching the children an important lesson.

Although we are a small charity, we like to engage with those who wish to support us and say thank you in person wherever possible. Should your school or any of the children wish to further support the charity, we will always endeavor to either attend an assembly in person or virtually wherever possible. Or we can send a personal message of thanks at the very least.

For any further information, questions or support please don't hesitate to contact us directly. We would love to hear from you.

With sincerest thanks and very best wishes



Phil Brace
Chief Executive



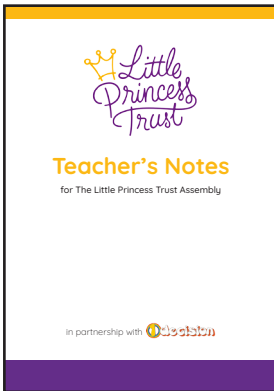
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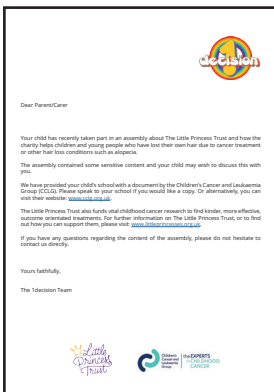
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Assembly Pack Content

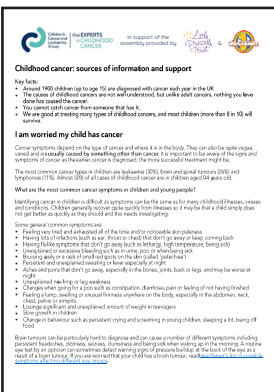
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Parent/Carer Letter



Further support from CCLG



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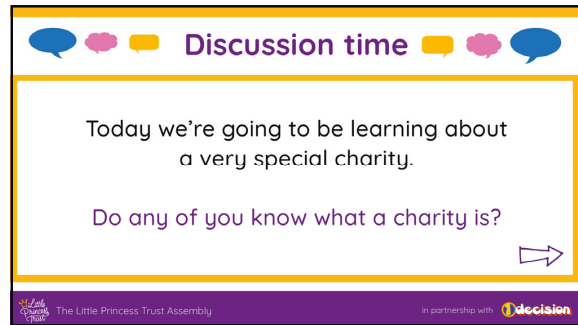
Informational videos (included within the lesson guide)

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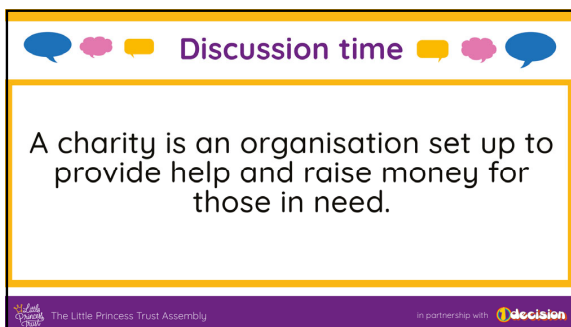
Step-by-step instructions for the assembly



1 Starting slide for the assembly.



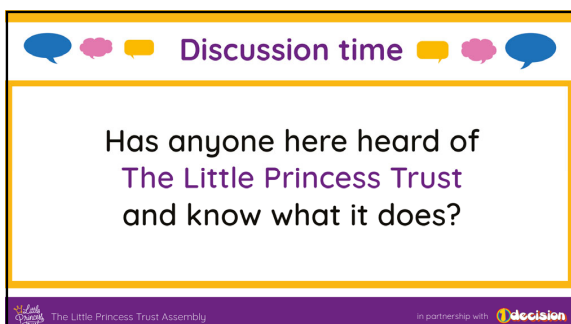
2 Use the prompts on screen to start a discussion with your students. Do they know what a charity is?



3 Share the definition of a charity with your students.



4 Share the on-screen information with your students.



5 Use the prompts on screen to continue a discussion with your students. Have any of them heard of The Little Princess Trust?



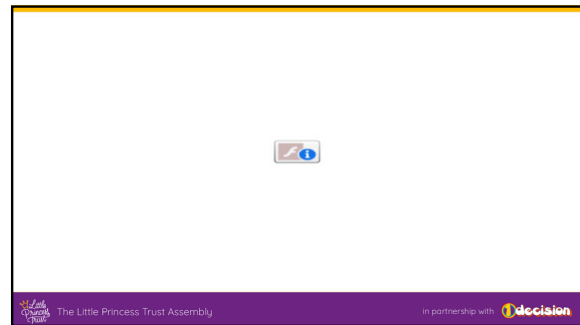
6 Share the on-screen information with your students.

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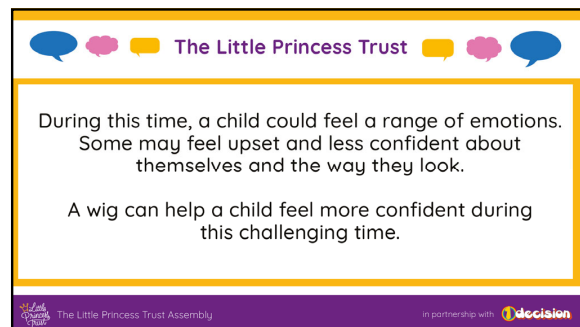
7 Let your student's know that they will now watch a video to hear about how the charity started.



8 Watch the video clip with your students. You will need to press the play button on the right sidebar.



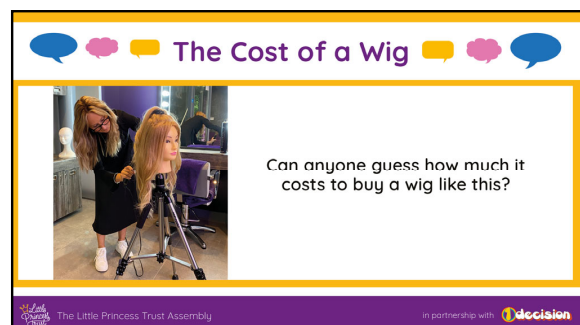
9 Ask your students to silently reflect how a child may feel if they knew they were going to lose all their hair.



10 Share the on-screen information with your students.



11 Share the on-screen information about wigs with your students.



12 Ask your students to guess how much it costs to buy a wig.

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 **The Cost of a Wig** 

Anything up to
£2000!

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13 Share the answer with your students.

 **The Cost of a Wig** 



The Little Princess Trust is very lucky, because lots of people have their hair cut and give it to them, so that they can use it to make a wig.

This reduces the cost, as the trust only has to pay for the wigs to be made and then for someone to fit them, which is around £550.

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14 Share the on-screen information with your students.

 **Discussion time** 



The Little Princess Trust gives away lots of wigs like this to children and young people who need them.

Would anyone like to guess how many of these wigs the trust provides for children, per month? 

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15 Share the on-screen information with your students and ask them to guess how many wigs the charity provides per month.

 **Discussion time** 

The Little Princess Trust provides around **160** wigs, every month!

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16 Share the answer with your students.



 **Discussion time** 





How many hair donations are in each wig? 

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17 Ask your students to guess how many hair donations are in each wig.

 **Discussion time** 

Up to 16!

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18 Share the answer with your students.

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Discussion time



How long does it take to make a wig?



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19 Ask your students to guess how long it takes to make a wig.


Discussion time

Between **30** and **60** hours!

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20 Share the answer with your students.

Raising Money



The charity still needs to work very hard to raise the money to pay for all these wigs to be made, as they want everyone who needs one to be able to have one.

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21 Share the on-screen information with your students.

Raising Money

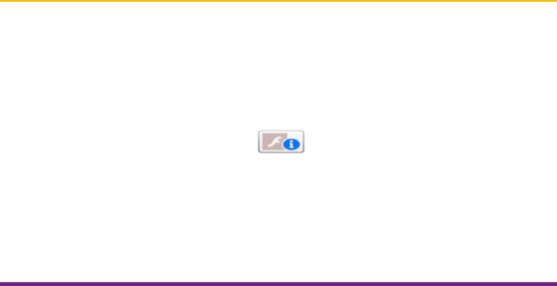
To raise the money to make the wigs, people all over the country (and some even in other countries) are constantly raising money for Little Princess Trust to make sure that the trust can help everyone who needs it.

Let's watch a video about a young girl who decided to support the Little Princess Trust



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22 Let your students know that they will now watch a video about a young girl who decided to support The Little Princess Trust.




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23 Watch the video clip with your students. You will need to press the play button on the right sidebar.

Raising Money

In the future, you may consider donating hair to the Little Princess Trust. If you do, your teacher can provide you with some further information.

To donate your hair, it would be ideal if it was at least 12 inches long. Not everybody will have long hair to donate but there are lots of other ways you can get involved.



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24 Share the on-screen information with your students.

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Raising Money

As well as the sponsored haircuts, there are some really interesting and imaginative ways for people to raise money for the charity.

Can you think of other ways people can raise money?

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25 Share the on-screen information with your students and ask them to think of other ways we can raise money.

Fundraising Ideas

Sponsored bike ride, walk, or run

Cake sale Car wash Sponsored silence
Dance-a-thon Sweepstake Talent show
Big hair cut Charity ball and auction Brilliant bingo
Funky hair day Sporty challenge Fun fete

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26 Share the fundraising ideas with your students. Can they think of any more?

Discussion time

The charity also does another really important job, but fewer people know about this.

Does anyone know what else the charity does?

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27 Using the prompts on screen, ask your students whether they know what else the charity does.

Funding Research

The charity funds research which will lead to kinder and more effective treatments for all childhood cancers.

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28 Share the on-screen information with your students.

Funding Research

The Little Princess Trust really hopes that one day, if they keep funding the right research, they can help cure children's cancer and stop there being a need to provide these wigs.

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29 Share the on-screen information with your students.

Hair & Hope

How the two very different functions of the charity are framed:

HAIR - The immediate help of providing a wig when children are going through their treatment.

HOPE - Giving hope for the future through research funding.

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30 Share the on-screen information with your students.

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Hair & Hope

All of the money that is raised and donated to the charity means it can support even more children.

The trust gets to talk to many of the incredibly brave young people they've helped, or their parents if they are very young.

Let's take a look at some of the feedback the Little Princess Trust have received




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31 Share the on-screen information with your students.

Feedback

"My son was lucky enough to receive a wig through yourselves when he was going through chemotherapy. He is now a year cancer free and no longer needs his wig."



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32 Share the feedback with your students.

Feedback

"I have not stopped smiling since and wanted to thank you all so much for what you have done for me and do for so many others."



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33 Share the feedback with your students.

Feedback

"Thank you to all of you who have donated your lush locks to help kids like my daughter and those of you who have fundraised & donated to the charity. The success of LPT is dependent on these donations of hair and funds."




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34 Share the feedback with your students.

The Little Princess Trust

We're sure that none of you here will ever lose your hair or need help, but at least now you know a little bit more about The Little Princess Trust and what it does to help children who aren't as fortunate.



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35 Watch the video clip with your students. You will need to press the play button on the right sidebar.

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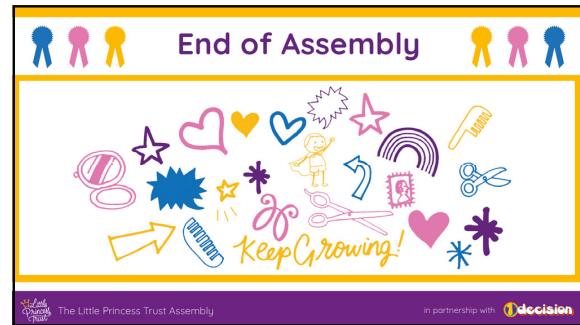
36 Share the on-screen information with your students.

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37 Thank your students for listening.



38 End of assembly. You may want to explore the rest of the assembly pack.

END OF ASSEMBLY

Useful Links and Resources

Enhance your assembly with these additional resources

The Little Princess Trust

www.littleprincesses.org.uk

Request a Fundraising Pack

www.littleprincesses.org.uk/fundraising/request-a-fundraising-pack

Children's Cancer and Leukaemia Group (CCLG)

www.cclg.org.uk

Cancer Research UK

www.cancerresearchuk.org/about-cancer/coping/emotionally/talking-about-cancer/talking-to-children

Macmillan Cancer Support

www.macmillan.org.uk/cancer-information-and-support/diagnosis/talking-about-cancer/talking-to-children-and-teenagers

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