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### **International Women's Day Tumaini Event**

As the theme of this year's International Women's Day is #pressforprogress we have chosen to work with Tumaini Fund to provide hygiene packs to girls and women in Tanzania. Girls and women who do not have access to sanitary supplies often miss school or opportunities for income, because they are unable to go about their daily tasks. Young girls may miss up to two months of school throughout the year, and the loss of income for older women only worsens the cycle of poverty in areas that are already struggling. Greater access to feminine hygiene products will not only allow girls to avoid missing school and activities that provide income, but this access also protects them from uncomfortable and infectious diseases like UTI's.

### **How can I get involved?**

On Friday March 9<sup>th</sup> between 3:30pm and 5:15pm we would like to invite you into College to celebrate International Women's Day to play our part in the #pressforprogress campaign by making hygiene packs which will be delivered to Tanzania later this year. Tumaini volunteers have kindly agreed to come into College to support us. Tea and cake will be available with donations going to The Tumaini Fund. Please join us as parents and daughter or on your own.

### **Do I need to bring anything?**

No sewing experience is required, just come along and join in!

All equipment will be provided, however, if you have tailoring scissors, spare buttons, needles/safety pins or cottons please bring them along.

We will also be selling refreshments and if you would like to bake a cake to donate, please do. Please be aware, all purchased or home-baked goods should be 'nut' free, please.

If you would be interested in joining us and supporting this worthy cause, please fill in the following link

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=xuX8pHkAbk-EVpVFijPt4p4W8XcAN1VEjATMLEw9zalUMjNOUkIxNFRTTIVaTEpKUzVPRVNCN1hZNS4u>

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