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## Great Barr students need a whole lotta bottle for community campaign

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Perry Beeches students with some of the residents at Homelands and the Sanctuary Maintenance staff.

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A group of Great Barr school pupils will need a whole lot of bottle for their latest project – 3,000 to be exact.

Students from Perry Beeches the Academy with a thirst for helping the community are joining forces with property maintenance company Sanctuary Maintenance to collect plastic bottles that can be recycled into a greenhouse for elderly residents of a Sanctuary Extra Care Scheme, known as Homelands, which sits next to the school.

The new greenhouse will allow residents from the home to get back into gardening and grow their own plants and vegetables as a thank you to residents for hosting a school camp out at the scheme during the summer. Each year students spend three days camping in the garden at Homelands, meeting residents and helping out around

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the scheme.

But although donations have been flooding in from the school community the pupils need the help of local residents if they are to meet their target by the close date at the end of this month when students hope to return to Homelands to build the greenhouse.

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"The pupils have been using their creativity to campaign around the school, however with 3,000 bottles required by the end of September they need a little extra help," said Sarah Dorsett, community and partnership manager at Perry Beeches the Academy.

"They were all very keen to work with Sanctuary to put together the greenhouse as it is a way for them to give something back to the residents for their generous hospitality."

Mark Mander, trade supervisor at Sanctuary Maintenance, added: "The current greenhouse is inaccessible to some residents at the scheme. As part of the project we are building the greenhouse in an area where all residents can access it.

"The outline frame has already been built and the next step is working closely with the pupils over the next few weeks to ensure we get the amount of bottles required."

If you have any empty, two-litre, plastic bottles, then Perry Beeches pupils need your help. Please take your bottles and put them in the trailer parked on the driveway of Perry Beeches the Academy, Beeches Road, Birmingham before September 25, or contact Sarah Dorsett on 0121 360 4242.

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