

A little help at home will aid Each hospice

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Washing the dishes or cleaning the car can be an impossible task for families who have a child with a serious or life-limiting illness.

Simple tasks such as these are often at the bottom of a very long list for these families.

Today, the *Cambridge Independent* is asking for your family's help.

We're asking parents to sponsor their children to carry out some simple tasks around the home to raise money for East Anglia's Children's Hospices Help at Home service. Youngsters can be sponsored for tidying their room, doing the washing up, cutting the grass or making a drink.

Karen Newton, Cambridgeshire fundraising manager for Each, said: "This initiative sounds like a fun and simple way to back the appeal. It's

great to be engaging schools and we look forward to seeing some of the ideas children come up with to gain sponsorship."

Schools can sign up to the scheme and will be provided with posters and sponsorship forms.

The *Cambridge Independent* is campaigning to raise £87,500 to bring the Each Help at Home service to Cambridgeshire. The aim of Each Help at Home is to link a caring individual to a family whose child has a life-limiting condition, providing practical support such as cooking, driving, cleaning and gardening. The money will provide three years of funding, paying for a volunteer co-ordinator and training volunteers.

To sign up, email gemma.gardner@iliffmedia.co.uk.



Students get to grips with new climbing wall



The climbing wall was funded by Parkside Federation Academies Friends and Alumni Fund Picture: Keith Heppell

A climbing wall is helping to keep students at Coleridge Community College active.

The recently-installed wall, which was funded by the Freddie Kingdon Trust and Parkside Federation Academies

Friends and Alumni Fund, will be gradually introduced to the school's physical education curriculum.

Head of PE at Parkside Federation and Coleridge, Ian Dixon, said: "The wall has

many different routes which provide a challenge for all types of abilities."

One student added: "Climbing is great fun. To have a different activity at school is fantastic."

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For an informal discussion please contact **Debra James** on debra.james@each.org.uk

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Closing date: Sunday 9th April 2017

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