



Learning for Life

Diary Dates.

23.01.26: Celebration Assembly, all welcome 9.00 am

29.01.26: Year 6 Museum Workshop in school

06.02.26: Maths Day,

13.02.26: Reception Assembly, 9.00 am, all welcome

25.02.26: Year 1 & 2

trip to All Things Wild

04.03.26: Year 5 & 6

trip to Pershore High

School production

05.03.26: World Book

Day, children may

come to school

dressed for a bedtime story.

10.03.26: Year 2 and

Year 6 assessment

information for par-

ents, 3.30 pm

12.03.26: Phonics

Screening information

session for Year 1

Parents, 3.30 pm.

13.03.26: Cluster

Spelling Bee for Year

5 pupils, more details

to follow

13.03.26: Comic Relief

Day, children may

come to school in red

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16 & 17.03.26: SEND-

co Parents Meeting

1.00pm –3.00 pm.

23.03.26: Parents

Evening 1pm-6pm

24.03.26: Reception

class: Heights &

Weights NHS check

9.15am

24.03.26: Parent

Evening 1.00 pm—

6.00 pm.

26.03.26: Easter ser-

vice 9.15 am and 2pm

26.03.26: Break up for

Easter holiday

13.04.26: Return to

school

17.04.26 Year 5 Bell

Boating day, Fladbury

Riverside

23.04.26: KS1 Swim-

ming begins

11.05.26: Year 6 SATs

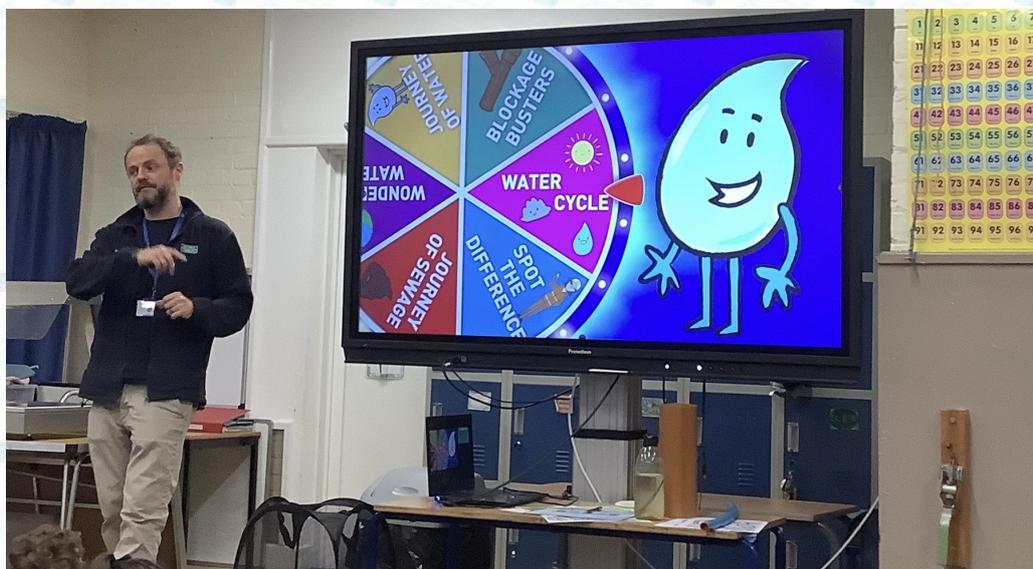
Week

Severn Trent Water Assembly

Thank you to Rob from Severn Trent Water Authority for leading an assembly this week. This year's focus was on the importance of saving water and how small changes can make a big difference.

We were surprised to learn just how much water we use each day — on average, one person uses around 150 litres! The children explored practical ways to reduce water use, such as taking shorter showers, turning off the tap while brushing their teeth, and collecting rainwater in a water butt to help water the garden.

To finish the assembly, we made a whole school pledge to use water more wisely and reduce unnecessary waste.



Special Places

This week, our Reception children enjoyed a community walk as part of their learning in Understanding the World. The walk gave the children a valuable opportunity to explore their local area and talk about places that are special to the people who live and work there.

During the walk, the children visited a variety of familiar places, including the local church. They talked about why the church is a special place for many people in the community and how it is used for worship, celebrations and important events. This helped our children begin to understand that different people have different beliefs and that some places are special because of these beliefs.

One of our children made us smile by deciding that "Nom" is "special to hungry people because it helps fill them up!"

[More photographs](#)



Diary Dates Continued

15.05.26: Pippins Open Afternoon, 1.15pm - 2.30pm
21.05.26: Year 4 Sleep over
21.05.26: Sports Morning 9.30 am –12.00 pm
21.05.26: Family Picnic after sports morning, 12.00—1.00 pm
22.05.25: Break for half term holiday
01.06.26: Return to school
05.06.26: Thankyou Assembly 9.00 am
W/B 08.06.26: Year 1 Phonics screening
09.06.26: New Reception Parents Meeting 6.00 pm
W/B 15.06.26: KS1 non statutory assessments begin
15.06.26: New Reception story time 2.30—3.00 pm.
19.06.26: Year 5 Cross country (more details to follow)
22.06.26: New Reception transition afternoon 1.30 pm—3pm
24.06.26: Year 6 Trip to Bristol
25.06.26 Year 5 Bell Boating regatta
26.06.26: Transition to Pershore High School
26.06.26: Move up afternoon
29.06.26: Pershore High School transition day for Year 6
29.06.26: Transition to KS2 Meeting for Year 2 parents 3.30 pm
29.06.26: Transition afternoon for new Reception pupils 1.30-3pm
03.07.26: Tag Rugby Pinvur Year 5, more details to follow
06.07.26: Transition to KS1 Meeting for Reception parents 3.30 pm
07.07.26: Open afternoon 3.25pm, please come and see children's work books
08.07.26: Ridgeway Transition Day Year 6 pupils
09.07.26: Ridgeway Transition Day Year 6 pupils
09.07.26: Ridgeway new parents welcome meeting, 4-7pm
10.07.26: Reception Pet Day
10.07.26: Year 6 Lakeside trip
10.07.26: Year 1/ 2 Class assembly 9am
17.07.26: Pippins graduation 11.00 am
17.07.26: Year 6 Leavers Assembly, 2pm
17.07.26: Break up for Summer holiday

Help Please

Please help us keep our children safe by not parking in our bus lane at drop off times. We appreciate that mornings can be stressful and busy as parents have to get to work but the safety of our children should take priority.
If the bus cannot access the bus lane appropriately, children are dropped off in the road and the traffic, which is always busy at this time is held up causing difficult conditions for all families.
Just a reminder that The Boot is an excellent friend to our school and is happy for parents to park there at drop off time.
Everyone's help with this would be appreciated.

Super Design and Technology

This term, Year 3 and 4 will be developing their design and engineering skills through an exciting project focused on mechanical cars. They will explore how automobile design has evolved over time and identify key improvements in materials, mechanisms and performance.
Thank you to Our Year 3/ 4 team for this super learning!



Change of Date: Parents Evening

Please note that the dates for parents evening this term are Monday 23rd and Tuesday 24th March from 1.00—6.00 pm. Apologies for the mistake in last week's newsletter and for any confusion this may have caused. Thank you for your understanding.

Year 2 Maths

Year 2 pupils have been developing their problem solving skills through practical and engaging work with money. Using real life contexts, they have been learning to recognise coins and notes, count totals and work out how much change is needed.
Lessons have included hands-on activities such as setting up class "shops," comparing prices, and deciding the best way to pay for items. These activities encourage children to explain their thinking, try different strategies, and check their answers carefully.
Our children have approached these challenges with enthusiasm and have enjoyed applying their learning in a fun and meaningful way.

Super Spellers!

Well done to Otis and Beatrice for winning Fuzzy and Buzzy this week.
Mrs Bugg congratulated Otis on taking so much care with the words that he uses, their presentation and his handwriting.
Mrs Voce chose Beatrice because of the care she takes to learn her spellings for the tests each week.
Well done to them both!

