



Learning for Life

Diary Dates.

20.03.26: Red Nose Day children may wear red nose to school or have one painted on for donation to comic relief.

23.03.26: Parents Evening 1pm-6pm
24.03.26: Reception class: Heights & Weights NHS check 9.15am
24.03.26: Parent Evening 1pm-6pm
26.03.26: Easter service 9.15 am and 2pm
26.03.26: Break up for Easter holiday
13.04.26: Return to school

15.04.26: Parents Forum Mobile Phones 2.45 pm

17.04.26: PTA Non-uniform day for £1
17.04.26 Year 5 Bell Boating day, Fladbury Riverside
23.04.26: KS1 Swimming begins
11.05.26: Year 6 SATS Week
17.04.26: PTA Non-uniform day for £1
17.04.26 Year 5 Bell Boating day, Fladbury Riverside
22.04.26: Y3/Y4 Saxons Trip to Bishops Wood
23.04.26: KS1 Swimming begins

01.05.26: PTA Cookie Sale on playground 3.25pm

07.05.26: Y5 Trip to Diglis Island

11.05.26: Year 6 SATS Week
15.05.26: Pippins Open Afternoon, 1.15pm -2.30pm
19-22.05.26: PTA Scholastic Book Fair
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

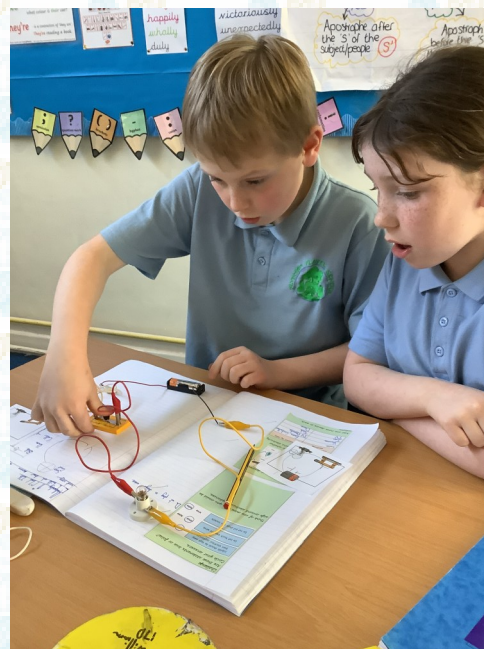
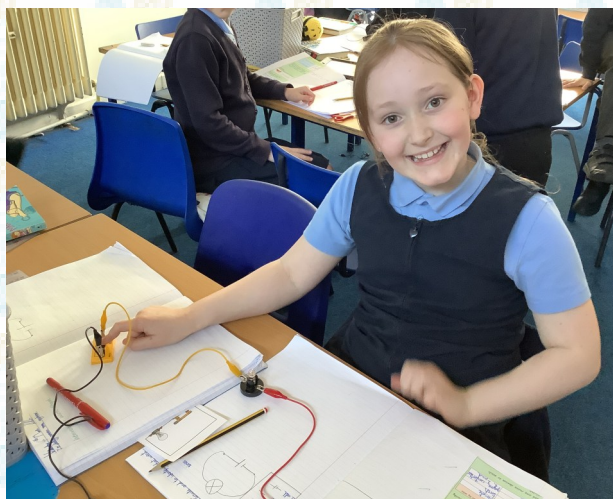
Super Science

Year 3 & 4 have been learning all about electricity this week They explored different everyday appliances that use electricity and learned how to build and draw a simple series circuit. They also discovered how to spot and fix problems that could stop a circuit from working.

The children investigated a range of materials to find out which were conductors and which were insulators and explored how these materials could be used within electrical circuits.

Thank you to our Year 3/ 4 team for these rich investigations.

[More photographs](#)



Reminders: Comic Relief/Summer Uniform

Just a reminder that children may wear their red noses tomorrow or have one painted on in school in return for a donation to Comic Relief.

Also, a reminder that after the Easter holiday children may wear their summer uniform—fingers crossed we will have some warm weather to enjoy.

Please remember that Summer uniform is optional as per our [uniform policy](#).



Fun Geography

This week, our Year 1 and Year 2 children took part in a wonderful hands on Geography activity: making their very own journey sticks. Inspired by traditional ways of recording journeys, the children explored how people have used natural materials to help remember the places they have travelled through.

Armed with sticks, string and curious minds, the children headed outside to follow a simple route around the school grounds. Along the way, they collected natural items—such as leaves, petals, feathers and small twigs—to attach to their sticks. Each object represented a moment on their journey and helped them record what they noticed in the environment.

Thank you to our KS1 team for this super learning!

Diary Dates Continued

01.06.26: Tempest Class and Leavers photos
05.06.26: Thankyou Assembly 9.00 am
05.06.26: PTA Tuck Shop 3.25pm
W/B 08.06.26: Year 1 Phonics screening
09.06.26: New Reception Parents Meeting 6.00 pm
10.06.26: Year 6 visit from Pershore High School
W/B 15.06.26: KS1 non statutory assessments begin
15.06.26: New Reception story time 2.30—3.00 pm.
15.06.26: Parent Forum RSE/PSHE, Reception/ KS1 3.30 pm
19.06.26: Year 5 Cross country (more details to follow)
22.06.26: New Reception transition afternoon 1.30 pm—3pm
22.06.26: Pershore High School Parents Transition Evening, 6.30pm
24.06.26: Year 6 Trip to Bristol
22.06.26: Parent Forum, RSE/PSHE KS2 3.30 pm
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 Pinvin 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: PTA Non uniform day for £1
10.07.26: Reception Pet Day
10.07.26: Year 6 Lakeside trip
10.07.26: Year 1/ 2 Class assembly 9am
16.07.26: PTA Ice-cream van
17.07.26: Pippins graduation 11.00 am
17.07.26: Year 6 Leavers Assembly, 2pm
17.07.26: Break up for Summer holiday

Parent Feedback/Forum

We are currently developing a policy to formalise our procedures regarding mobile phones and smart watches in school. Parents are warmly invited to our Parents' Forum on Wednesday 15th April at 2:45 pm, where we will share the latest Government guidance and listen to your thoughts on the use of technology in schools.

From September 2026, there will be statutory changes to our RSHE & PHSE (Relationship, Sexual Health Education and Personal, Social, Health and Economic) curriculum, including:

- A greater focus on online safety and wellbeing
- Increased emphasis on mental health and emotional literacy
- Personal safety education
- Understanding and recognising AI

We would be delighted to share our updated RSHE & PHSE curriculum with parents. Please join us at one of the sessions below to find out more:

15th June – Reception and KS1 (Years 1 & 2): 3:30 pm – 4:15 pm

22nd June – KS2 (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6): 3.30 pm—4.15 pm

If you are unable to attend, please rest assured that feedback and resources for all of the above will be posted on our website with links provided to parents.

Next week, during our parent meetings, we will also be asking for your feedback on what we do well and how we could further enhance our provision. Please take a moment to complete the feedback form and place it in the box located in the corridor by the front door.

Please do get in touch if you have any queries and thank you for your continued support.



Well Done

Well done to Henry, Max and Parth who took part in a cluster Spelling Bee this week.

They worked really well together as a team and showed great perseverance even when faced with some very tricky spellings.

Thank you to Himbleton Primary School for inviting us to this event and to Mr Kearns for taking children along.

[More photographs](#)

Reception Outdoor Painting

Our Reception children had a wonderful time at Forest School recently, getting creative with nature! Instead of using paintbrushes, our children experimented with sticks, leaves and grass to make their own unique paint tools. Thank you to our Reception team for such a lovely afternoon - it was a fantastic opportunity for the children to be imaginative, work outdoors and learn that art can be made from the world around them.

[More photographs](#)



Super Spellers

Many congratulations to our Fuzzy and Buzzy winners this week, Ariadne and Teddy.

Mrs Bugg is very proud of Ariadne's writing—her wide range of exciting and ambitious vocabulary, her presentation and especially her accuracy in her spellings.

Mr Jones reports that Teddy has been working very hard at home on his spellings. His scores in his weekly tests have improved as a result!

Well done Ariadne and Teddy!