



St Mary and St Peter's Church School News



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Head's Update...

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a wet, windy and horrid week it has been. Getting outside has been a challenge!

We are getting ready to launch our new Gardening Experience for this year as the weather improves.

Our beds will be weeded, and plants brought on in the Polytunnel.

We will be taking part in the Royal Horticultural Society award scheme and hope to gain awards for our school - let's get green fingered!

You never know, we could get on Gardener's World!

Diary date...

We all have until 1pm this Saturday, to go and see our Art in our Ilminster Arts Centre, until 1pm on Saturday.

Best wishes,

Connel Boyle

Executive Headteacher



Bath & Wells
Multi Academy Trust



Goodbye Mrs White... Enjoy your retirement!

Diane White has worked in our school for over 12 years and we cannot believe she is retiring.

We cannot picture our school without Di here... and great news, she will still be coming in to hear readers for years to come!

On behalf of our children, families, and staff, Ilton says "THANKS FOR EVERYTHING MRS WHITE."

Our School
attendance
target is
95%

We are at
90.88%
+0.15%

Hobbit Class
current
attendance

91.55%
+0.36%



ON THE UP!!!

Gruffalo Class
current
attendance

89.98%
-0.12%



**We can
improve!**



Friday's Child

Niamh Willow

Headteacher's Award

Emily Joseph
Rory Harry
Lucas Esme



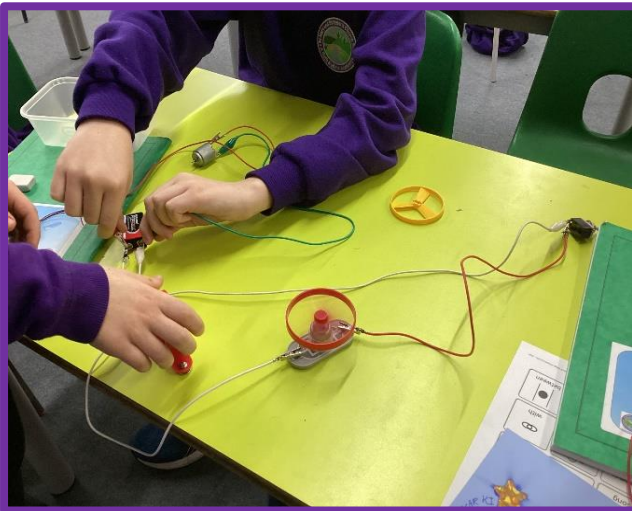
Headteacher drop-in sessions

every Friday
9.30am- 10.00am

Mr Boyle is available for any parent to drop in to see him without the need for an appointment. Please do feel free to use this session to answer any queries you may have.

Friday Family Assemblies

Every Friday at
9.05am



Hobbit's go electric!

Hobbit class have been busy exploring circuits this week. We have been looking at what electricity is and the different components in a circuit. We then used this knowledge to build our own circuits. We also worked in groups to debate whether we should or should not be using natural resources from the Polar region using our build and challenge vocabulary. The majority of our class felt we should not because of the impact on habitats and animals that live there.

Diary Dates:

- Schools Go Visual Art Exhibition - until Sat 2/3 1pm - Ilminster Arts Centre
- Thursday 7th March - World Book Day - Dress up as your favourite book character!
- Friday 8th March - Mother's Day Service 9.05am in school
- Thursday 28th March - LAST DAY OF TERM
- Monday 15th April - FIRST DAY OF TERM
- Wednesday 3rd - Friday 5th July - Hobbit Class Residential
- FRIDAY 19TH JULY - 95%+ ATTENDANCE WIN A BIKE DRAW

The school calendar for 2023 to 2024 can be found under the Parents Tab, listed as Term Dates. Go to: www.stmaryandstpeters.co.uk