



# Dear Families

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Thank you to all the parents who came on Wednesday Evening to the Headteacher Update, this time we were talking about PSHE and RSE with Mr Bloys. I did a brief introduction to Restorative and Relational Practices and Mrs Bradshaw talked about how circles are used in the classroom. Feedback was good from the parents, one said it was good to be talking about things other than academic subjects. I agree, this is important work, and a big part of it is about our children's mental health and well-being. We will share slide on the Website for those who could not attend.

Thank you for participating in Red Nose Day today, the children have enjoyed dressing up and wearing something red - there have been some creative ways of doing this, also thank you for your contributions.

We look forward to an action-packed last week, this has been such a short term and we have completed so much within the 10 weeks. Next week we will be having lots of house sport games across the school. This was something suggested by the school council and we are grateful for Mr Greed and Move More for arranging next week's activities.

Have a lovely weekend, its meant to be sunny and 18 degrees on Sunday!

Kindest regards,

Mrs Gayle Fletcher

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# PTA

Thank-you all for another successful Bag2School collection. We will let you know how much we raised as soon as we hear.

The committee are now busy working to put together the SPRING QUIZ. This is planned for the evening of **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April** in the school hall. Tickets and details out shortly. In the meantime, gather your team of up to 6 (can be less) and prepare for a fun evening out!

We are also starting to think about this year's Summer Fair. Working date is Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June (add it to your diaries in pencil and we'll confirm next week).

## Committee News

The current committee has decided to officially stand down at the end of this academic year - after a wonderful 6 years it's time for a change! We are, therefore, looking for a new **Chair, Treasurer** and **Secretary** to step forwards. Other roles will be advertised in due course.

Ideally, we'd love anyone interested in these core roles to help us to organise the Summer Fair. This will provide a handover period and take a little pressure off our very small team.

We will hold the AGM to officially vote in the new committee members at the end of the summer term so you are prepared and ready to hit the ground running in September.

Please get in touch via Whatsapp or [pta@nauntonpark.gloucs.sch.uk](mailto:pta@nauntonpark.gloucs.sch.uk) by **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April** if you are interested in becoming Chair, Secretary or Treasurer.

More information about the roles and how the PTA operates can be found at:

<https://sway.cloud.microsoft/yLEFWiNp3ac4UD1K?ref=Link>

## Dates for the Diary

Spring Quiz - Fri 12<sup>th</sup> April (evening event)

Summer Fair - Sat 29<sup>th</sup> June (afternoon event tbc)

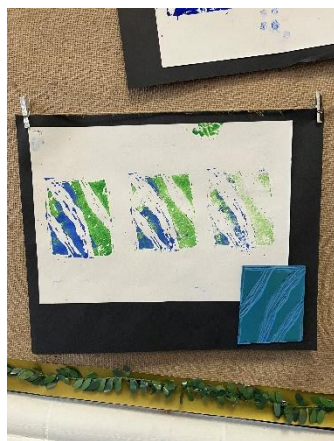
*"If everyone does a little, no one has to do a lot"*

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# Class News

## Class – Thames

A few weeks ago, we shared in the newsletter our session with local artist Nick Heap. He helped us to design and begin our linocut printing tiles. After what felt like hours and hours of painstaking carving using sharp tools, our water-themed tiles were ready for printing. We used ink and rollers to transfer our designs onto cartridge paper and carefully peeled back our tiles in anticipation to see the finished results. At this stage there were lots of 'oohs' and 'ahhs'! We hope you enjoy the final results, we are so pleased with them!



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# Class-Purple

"On Monday Year 2 went to the Bristol Zoo Project. We went to the wood first and then we went to see the cheetahs. After the cheetahs we had a snack and then it was off to the very tall giraffes. We saw lots of animals and I learnt some new names. Then we saw the zebra, after calling its name. After that we saw the blue-eyed black lemurs. The brown one was a female and the black one was a male. We also went to a workshop where Connor told us about animals and the traps that people used to catch the animals. After lunch we went to Bear Wood where we saw bears, wolves and a lynx. My favourite part of the day was the cheetahs." By India Gore – Purple Class.

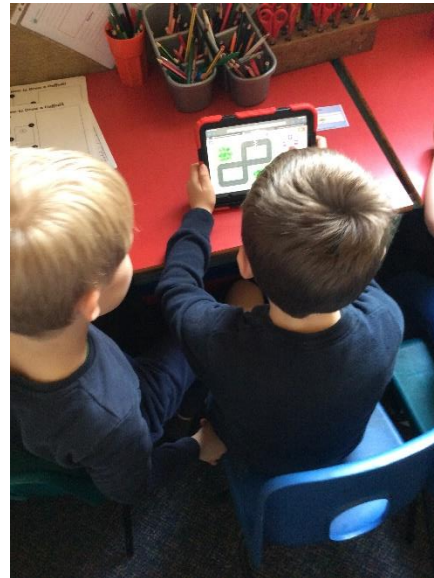


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# Class – Orange

During our computing sessions, we have been continuing to navigate around 'mazes'. We have developed our skills of creating sets of algorithms, debugging our instructions (undoing or deleting them) and finding the best routes. This week, we got to create our own mazes and worked with a partner so that we could work our way around each others mazes. We became more confident with opening up a new design to create and loved sharing our creations with our friends.



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# Class - Frome

As we are coming to the end of the term, Year 5 are focussing on finalising our learning in order to answer our Leading Question – ‘To What Extent Has Human Activity Affected Biomes?’ Below you can see us considering five of the world’s largest biomes and thinking about our actions on the animals, land and vegetation within these areas and the outcomes of these actions. We will use all the knowledge and understanding that we have gained these past weeks when completing our final piece of writing this term, an Explanation text answering our Leading Question. We have all enjoyed this topic enormously.

**A quick note to parents of Year 5** – please remember to apply for your free tickets to the Freedom Town Hall Concert, the ticket line opened today. All details are in the email sent home at the beginning of this week.

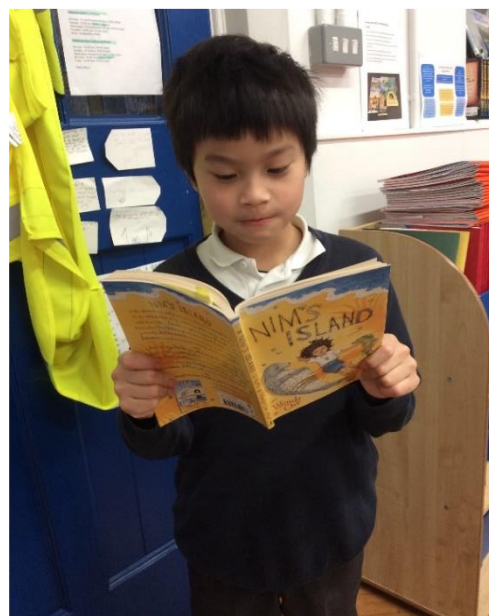
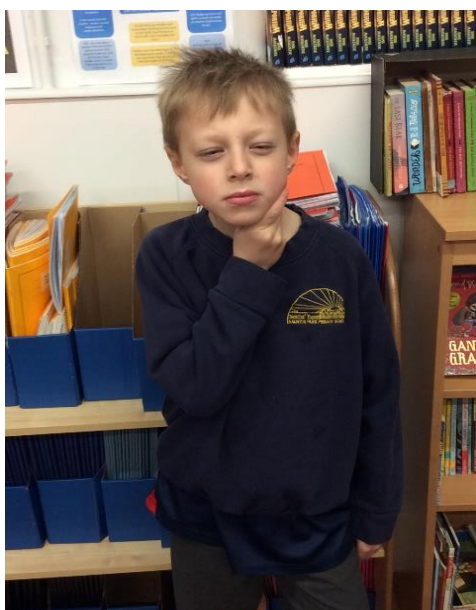
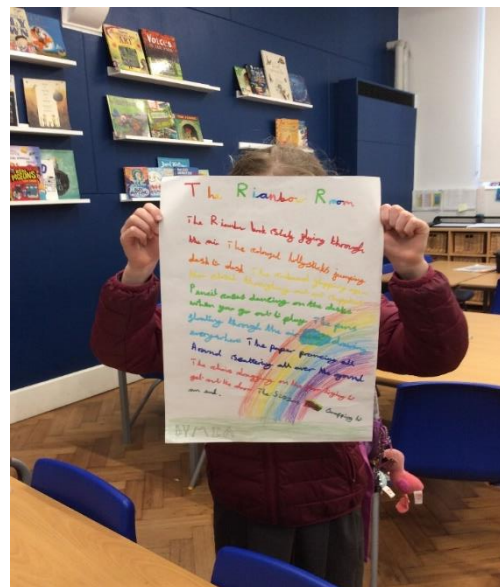


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# Cherwell

In our poetry lessons this week, we have been using personification to make inanimate objects do things. We have created some wonderful lines of poetry about our classroom and what it's like when we leave it to its own devices – pencils pirouette on the teacher's desk, books soar through the air like Peregrine Falcons and pens tap out sentences on whiteboards. We've also been doing maths with money. And if you get a chance, ask us what inference is!



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# Safeguarding

**Skids Safety Net** Keeping children safe online

## A Parent's Guide to Cyberbullying



scan the QR code with your phone's camera for Parent Guides on how to help keep your children safe online

**Many young people who are victims of cyberbullying suffer in silence.**

They feel they can't turn to parents or a trusted adult for support as they fear they may get in trouble or have their devices taken away from them. It can carry on all day, all evening and all weekend for the world to see, causing a lot of emotional stress to the victim and their family.



**It can very quickly lead to the victim feeling trapped, scared and vulnerable to grooming and blackmail.**



**Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.**

**Parents** please contact your school to enquire attending their next e-safety workshop or have any concerns.

Working with Home Office 'PREVENT', The Police and Crime Commissioner and Children's Safeguarding Partnerships to help keep children safe online.

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# Diary Dates

Planned activities are listed below.

Please note that these are subject to change and additional activities will be added in due course.

Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Y5 swimming
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	House Sports this week
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	5pm, Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check parents' information session online
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Wildlife Quiz
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> March-Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Holidays
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	Y5 swimming
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> April	Class photos
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> April	Class photos
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> April	PTA Quiz
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April	Y5 swimming
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	Wye Class times tables games with parents TBC
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> April	Thames Class times tables games with parents TBC
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> April	Yellow Class Assembly
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	Y5 swimming
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	Y5 swimming
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	Y4 Ancient Greek Day
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Purple Class Assembly
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday (school closed)
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 SATS Week
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Y5 swimming
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> May	Green Class Assembly
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Y5 swimming
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	3:30-4:00pm Open Classrooms
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup> May	Half Term
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	RE Week
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Y4 Science Festival trip
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Y4 Multiplication Tables Check Week
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Y5 swimming
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Y1 Science Festival trip
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	In the Net performance for Y4 pupils
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Y1/2 Phonic Screening Check Week
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Y4 Multiplication Tables Check Week
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Y5 swimming
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> June	Red Class Assembly
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	<del>Y5 swimming</del> – moved to Wed 19 <sup>th</sup> June
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	KS2 Sports Day TBC
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	KS1 Sports Day TBC
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Y5 swimming
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	School Beat workshops for Y6
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Y5 swimming
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Orange Class Assembly
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	9:30am, Y4-Y6 Swimming Gala at Cheltenham College
Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	PTA Summer Fair TBC
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Y5 swimming (last session)
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	School Beat workshops for Y6

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Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July  
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 Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July  
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 Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July  
 Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July  
 Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July  
 Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July  
 Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

2:30-3:00pm Open Classrooms  
 Maths Puzzle workshops  
 Maths Puzzle workshops  
 School Beat workshops for Y6  
 Maths Puzzle workshops  
 Annual Reports home to parents  
 Y6 PGL Week  
 Y6 Leavers' Assembly  
 INSET Day – school closed to pupils

Term dates and events in the diary can be found here: [Naunton Park Primary School - Calendar](#)

# Recognition

Year Group	Rules	Attitudes to Learning
	Ready, Respectful, Safe	Effort, Persistence, Resilience
Reception	Maisie Wakeford Finn Hanks	Freddie Crownshaw Pearl Stevens
Year 1	Alannah Phillips Ollie Beake	Hudson Jones Evelyn Berr-Kitchen
Year 2	Thomas Avery Isabella Perkin	Ella Oldroyde Kian Dehdashti
Year 3	Alfie Williams Sophie Croot	Leo Amara Isaac Ratinckx
Year 4	James Watkins Primrose Hollick	Mia McLennan Bea Macdonald
Year 5	Bella Pudrycki Keziah Maclannan	Evan Watkins Eden Nield
Year 6	Will Hucker Adi Acharya	Lily Long Milo Inchley

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