

THE TYNDALE TIMES

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Headship Team Update



Thank you to all family members who joined us recently for our Remembrance Craft afternoon. We have many Term 2 dates we look forward to sharing with you before Christmas. We always enjoy sharing school experiences with you and we welcome any ideas and feedback on how we can include parents/carers more in wider school life.



Year 1 and Year 5 have recently visited the library to discuss and share their love of reading and this has been really beneficial to the whole class' engagement in home reading - well done! All EYFS and KS1 children should be reading at home every day for at least 20 minutes and all KS2 children for 30 minutes. Year 4 recently attended the Roman Baths and when they came back to school they were beaming, excitedly telling the staff and other pupils about the new knowledge they'd learnt about the Romans.



Important News

Many parents are now being supported by our Attendance colleague, Hayley Garland and the impact of this is already evident. Thank you to those parents who have engaged in this process, we hope that you have found this process helpful and most importantly, supportive. Some parents have received 'Stage A' letters from us. This is our way of informing you that we're a little bit concerned that your child's attendance might be slipping. Please note that this is purely a letter of communication and no action is needed.

We are aware of the reasons for absences recently and this is just us informing you that we've noticed and we'll be here to help should you need support to improve this as the academic year progresses. Every minute at school counts and we are unapologetically prioritising attendance and punctuality at Tyndale for the wellbeing and success of all! We hope you'll work in partnership with us on this to ensure every child gets the best chance of success.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Term 2 Key Dates Document is accessible [here](#).

Year 3 Library Trip - Monday 4th December 2023

KS2 Carol Singing at Yate Shopping Centre - Tuesday 5th December 2023

End of Term Exhibition (Showcase of Student Work) 09:00-11:00 - Parents and Carers invited in for coffee

and to walk around the exhibition - Friday 1st December 2023

Christmas Jumper Day - Thursday 7th December 2023

KS2 Carol Singing at The Meadows (selected children) - Thursday 7th December 2023



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AWARDS

Learning Heroes

Awarded by our Deputy Headteacher, Mr Crouch.

Ambitious Ade

W3 - Archie - Y5

For completing his work even though he found it tricky to begin with.

W4 - Aida - Y1

For striving to be the best that she can be in her learning! She was very excited to share the facts that she had learnt about dinosaurs.



Collaborative Katherine

W3 - Andrew - Y1

For working collaboratively with others to complete the tasks during the Y1 library trip.

W4 - Lola - Y2

For working collaboratively with others to help them with their learning.



Resilient Richard

W3 - Dante - Y4

For overcoming challenges in his learning, building confidence to ask for help and not giving up even when he finds it hard but continuing to produce fanatic work.

W4 - JJ - Y3

For using all of his skills to help him unpick challenging questions.



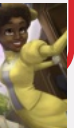
Independent Ida

W3 - Alcino - Y6

For ensuring he meets his targets in writing and going above and beyond to improve his writing by using resources in the classroom

W4 - Leo - Y4

For creating a lovely persuasive leaflet all about Italy.



Governor's Award

Percy - Year 5

For working with his peers when he has found something difficult in his learning



Dojo Champions

Well done for earning the most Class Dojos!

R - Bennett & Aniya

Y1 - Violet & Aysha

Y2 - Sephe & Edith

Y3 - George & Jamielee

Y4 - Millie & Dante

Y5 - Martha and Skyla

Y6 - Michelle & Alex



CHAMPION

Reading Rockstars

For demonstrating that they love reading as much as we do!

R - David & Isabel

Y1 - Federico & Curtis

Y2 - Freya & Lola

Y3 - Artur & George

Y4 - Kacey & Ethan

Y5 - Dariia & Reuben

Y6 - Michelle & Sebbie



Stars of the Week

Awarded by our Headteacher, Ms Parkhouse.

Hunter

Aida

Layla

Anaya

Micky

Grace

Ruby

Maks

Daniel

Jeremy

Amelia

Lilly P

Esmae

Nicole

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CLASS UPDATES

RECEPTION



Reception have thoroughly enjoyed this term's theme of having a 'story of the week'. They have moved from Autumn to Winter in their seasons observations and have amazed Miss Cox with their sentence creating linked to their story. In maths they have focused on 2D shapes and one more and one less. They have also been FANTASTIC with their nativity rehearsals so far. Well done Reception!

YEAR 1

Year 1 had a fabulous time visiting the local library. They were able to explore a wide-range of texts and talk about the role of an author and illustrator. In Mathematics, they have used a selection of resources to add two single digits together to find the answer. They have also been fantastic at learning songs for the Nativity in December. Keep being the best that you can be in your learning Year 1. Well done!

YEAR 2

Year 2 has been very creative, beginning to make their bunting and learning to use sewing needles safely. They have been continuing to use known number bonds to solve addition and subtraction number sentences and making links with their learning from Year 1. Year 2 have also been working on their Character challenge of answering questions using full sentences and they have been amazing at this. Keep up the great work!



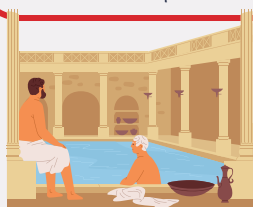
YEAR 3

What a wonderful couple of weeks for year 3! They have officially started their multiplication and division unit in maths and have made a wonderful start! $3x, 4x$ and $8x$ s here we come! In writing they have also started their new unit all about The Snow Queen and it has been incredible hearing all of their ideas! Well done year 3



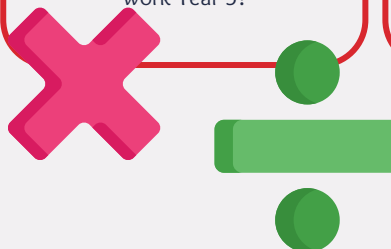
YEAR 4

In Year 4 they are looking at multiplication and division in maths, learning about the inverse and commutative operation and fact families. Year 4 has also started creating sequences in gymnastics, using various different movements and transitions. They also thoroughly enjoyed their school trip to the Roman Baths where they learned all about the life of a Roman. They used impeccable manners and represented Tyndale well. Well done Year 4 for the amazing work in the last couple of weeks!



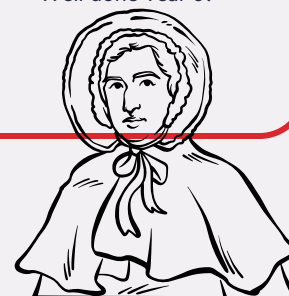
YEAR 5

Year 5 have had a fantastic week being very engaged with their learning. They enjoyed a trip to the library where they showed ready, respectful and safe behaviour in the local community. They have just finished their maths unit all about multiplication and division and have shown a great understanding. Keep up the good work Year 5!



YEAR 6

Year 6 have enjoyed learning about Mary Anning (a famous palaeontologist) over the last week, ready for their non-chronological report. They have also shown fantastic resilience in Maths lessons, where they have started learning about fractions. Well done Year 6!



Staff Shout Out

Ms Cox (Reception Teacher)

For being relentless with the organisation of the Christmas performances and activities and for continuing to provide children in her class with the best chance of success. Thank you Ms Cox!



THANK YOU!

Staff Fun Fact

Ms Bisset
(Year 2 Teacher).

One of the original 'gladiators' used to be my babysitter.



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ATTENDANCE FOR THIS FORTNIGHT

YEAR 6 96%

YEAR 2 90%

YEAR 5 94%

YEAR 1 93%

YEAR 4 94%

YEAR R 97% 

YEAR 3 93%

WHOLE SCHOOL 94%

0 school days off
each year
0 lessons missed

100%

7 school days off
each year
35 lessons missed

98%

96%

94%

1 month off each year
100 lessons missed

90%

80%

4 school days off
each year
20 lessons missed

11 school days off
each year
55 lessons missed

2 months or more
off each year
200+ lessons missed

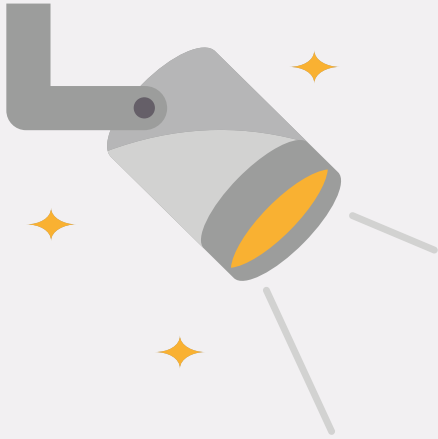
Children that attend well
tend to achieve well.
Not only does this lead to
increased learning, but it
also leads to improved
self-esteem and wellbeing.

ATTENDANCE LADDER



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SPOTLIGHT ON SEND



Bristol Autism Support (BAS) is a registered charity providing information, support and training for parents and carers of autistic children in BS postcodes. They believe the need for their support is self-defining.

Parents and carers do not need a diagnosis for their child in order to access the services. Please see their website below for support you can access, as well as youth clubs and activities that may be of interest.

<https://www.bristolautismsupport.org/>

ACADEMIC CURRICULUM

This term, children are learning the themes below. Our academic curriculum is knowledge-based and Science, History, Geography, Art, and Design Technology are taught through themes.



Year Reception - Stories and Celebrations

Year One - Who Am I?

Year Two - The World Around Us

Year Three - Prehistoric World

Year Four - Ruthless Romans

Year Five - Tombs, Temples and Tourists

Year 6 - Evolution and Environment



PROUD
to be ME!



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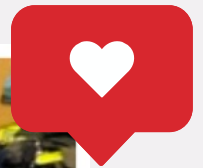


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THIS FORTNIGHT IN PICTURES

We've had another fantastic fortnight!

Here are some snapshots to show some of the varied learning experiences...



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**THINKING ABOUT FINDING THE
RIGHT SCHOOL FOR YOUR CHILD?**

SEPTEMBER 2024

We don't need to hold an
Open Day to show off...

Tyndale is the show!

Come and visit us during the school
day when we're open to see what
makes us so special.

Book a tour and you will spend
individual, valuable time with the
Head or Deputy Head who will:

- **GIVE YOU PERSONALISED ADVICE
ON THE ADMISSIONS PROCESS**
- **INTRODUCE YOU TO STAFF**
- **GIVE YOU A FULL SCHOOL TOUR**
- **ANSWER ALL YOUR QUESTIONS**

BOOK A SCHOOL TOUR

Anytime between
September to
January

GET IN TOUCH TO BOOK NOW

☎ 01454 867 180

✉ admin@tyndaleprimary.co.uk

🌐 www.tyndaleprimary.co.uk



VISION

When pupils leave us in Year 6, they will
have acquired the seven character habits
- ready, respectful, safe, ambitious,
resilient, collaborative, independent.



MISSION

Our mission at Tyndale, is to give
every child the **best chance of
success.**



Give your child the
**BEST CHANCE
OF SUCCESS**



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WELCOME ALL PROSPECTIVE 2024 PARENTS AND CARERS!

Give your child the
BEST CHANCE
OF SUCCESS ★

Welcome to Tyndale Primary School. We are a highly aspirational, caring and welcoming school for children aged 4 – 11 located in Yate, South Gloucestershire. We have excellent facilities including a newly refurbished building, an extensive amount of land inclusive of playing fields, sporting areas and multiple newly developed playgrounds. We pride ourselves on our unapologetic high standards irrespective of prior attainment, background or SEND and are committed to ensuring all pupils have the best chance of success.

To find out more about everything we do here at Tyndale Primary School, **please arrange a tour and visit our website.** We look forward to meeting you!



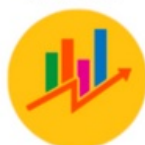
STAY AND PLAY SESSIONS

We will hold Stay and Play sessions in January for children to come and see the class environment and meet our EYFS staff. Follow our Facebook, Instagram or Twitter page for updates.



THIS IS WHAT OUR PARENTS ARE SAYING...

My child does well at Tyndale



100%

There is a good selection of after school clubs



100%

School lets me know how my child is doing



97%

My children learn a good range of subjects



97%

My child is happy at school



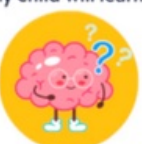
95%

Would recommend Tyndale to another parent



95%

I'm informed of what my child will learn



95%

Tyndale supports my child's wider development



94%



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📍 Tyndale Primary School, Tyndale Avenue, Yate, Bristol, BS37 5EX

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Between Us

an app designed to help your relationship

About the Between Us app

This app is designed to benefit all parents whether you are together or separated, whether you are experiencing new areas of conflict or whether you have been arguing or disagreeing about something for a while.

How does the app help?

The app can help in the following ways:

- by improving communication between the couple/separated parents
- by improving the ability to understand a partner's/co-parent's perspective
- by introducing skills and exercises to help reduce conflict between couples
- by giving co-parents the tools to think, reflect and reposition patterns of behaviour
- by developing tools and techniques to improve your parenting skills and help your family succeed.


How to get the app

The app is available for Apple iOS and Android smartphones.



Topics include:

- > Looking at how you communicate together
- > Your past, present and future together
- > Speaking and listening to each other
- > Sex, stress and parenting
- > What are you really rowing about?
- > Discovering new ways of being together

An app by  TAVISTOCK RELATIONSHIPS

For information and assistance contact

- 01454 866971
- Debbie.stabbins@southglos.gov.uk
- <https://betweenus-app.com/get-access/southgloucestershire>


South Gloucestershire
Council

Delivering for you



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Online relationship support for parents



Parents in this area can now access **THREE ONLINE COURSES** from the relationship experts at **OnePlusOne**. Learn to cope with stress and communicate better, wherever you are in your parenting journey.

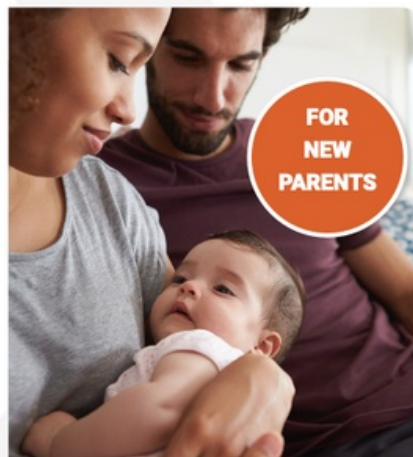


FOR
ALL
PARENTS

Arguing better

Disagreements are a normal part of life. How you approach them can make all the difference to you, your partner, and your children. You will learn:

- How to recognise stress and how it can affect you.
- How to support each other through difficult times.
- What causes arguments and how to stop them.



FOR
NEW
PARENTS

Me, You and Baby Too

Learn how to navigate the changes that happen in a relationship when a baby arrives, including:

- How you and your partner can support each other.
- How to talk to bring up difficult topics.
- How arguments start, and how to stop them.



FOR
SEPARATING
PARENTS

Getting it right for children

When parents are separating or separated, children can often get caught in the middle. Learn how to manage conflict to minimise the impact it has on your children, as well as:

- How to stop a discussion from turning into an argument.
- How to stay calm and listen as well as talk.
- Skills for finding solutions and making compromises.

To access the courses, you will need a smartphone, tablet, or computer, and a good internet connection. They are all **FREE** to use, so you'll just need to select your local authority area and create an account with a username and password.

You can get started by scanning the QR code or visiting:

www.oneplusone.org.uk/parents



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FREE
resources
on debt and
relationships

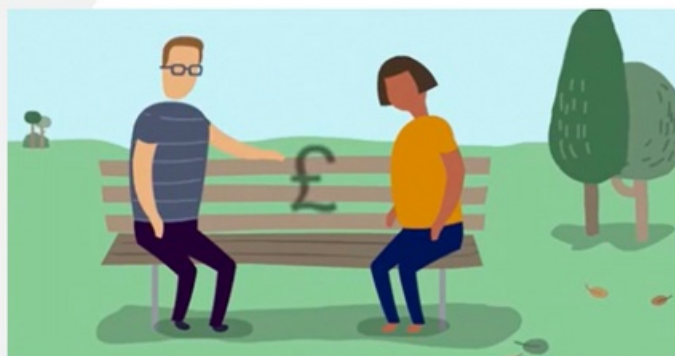
Debt and relationships

Online materials to help you with debt and the impact it has on your relationships

Debt and money troubles are among the biggest causes of relationship stress.

In these short animations, real couples tell their stories of being in debt and the steps they took to get things back on track.

If you're worried about debt, watch these clips to see why it's best to act as soon as possible, and why it's always a good idea to talk to your partner about what's happening.



To access the online material, you will need a smartphone, tablet, or computer, and a good internet connection. It's FREE to use, so you'll just need to create an account with a username and password.



Register at this address
www.oneplusone.org.uk/parents
or scan the QR code



 **oneplusone**

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RE: FREE PLACES for families Christmas 2023

Dear parents / carers,

We have a fantastic opportunity for you this coming **Christmas Holidays** as part of the **HAF programme** Sporting Chance are running Holiday Sports Camps from **Kings Forest Primary School (BS15 4PQ)**.

The HAF programme was designed and implemented on a national scale to help support families over the school holidays with the cost of meals and to provide a healthy, happy, and active place for children to enjoy the school holidays. Sporting Chance have teamed up with South Gloucestershire Council to offer this to those local families most in need.

- ★ Children aged 5-11 years (School Years 1 - 6)
- ★ Open each day 930am - 330pm
- ★ Themed Sports Days
- ★ Healthy snacks and lunches available upon request
- ★ Book online - [Christmas HAF Camp with Sporting Chance](#)



*Benefits related FSMs, SEND, looked after children, PP cases considered.

Kindest regards,
Spencer Davies

Sporting Chance PE & Sports Provision
01172 440007 / 07825 155954
Email: info@sportingchance-csp.co.uk



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DECEMBER FOOTBALL CAMP

£15.00

**PER DAY
FOR ALL
THREE DAYS**

£16.50

**PER DAY
FOR ANY
2 DAYS**

£18.00

**FOR ANY
SINGLE
DAY**

Monday 18th - Wednesday 20th December

9:00am - 3:30pm

**@ Chipping Sodbury School
(Bowling Road, BS37 6EW)**

To book a camp day, visit:

www.proformance-coaching.co.uk

or contact us:

info@proformance-coaching.co.uk



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Pete
Caseley's
Tennis Coaching



Christmas Tennis Camps

Get your kids OUTSIDE, making NEW friends, on this ACTION-PACKED camp, learning new SKILLS, full of FUN games & activities.

Monday 18th & Wednesday 20th December

4-9-Year-olds

9am-12pm – From £12 per child

8-16-Year-olds

9am – 3pm – From £24 per child

Christmas Tennis Party

With a Buffet Lunch

Friday 22nd December

9am – 12.30pm – From £15

BOOK HERE

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/PeteCaseleyCoaching/Coaching/Camps>

**Sodbury Tennis Club
St John's Way
Chipping Sodbury
Bristol
BS37 6PQ**



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coachcaseley@hotmail.co.uk



07790937524



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HOLIDAY CAMPS



AGE 4-11 YEARS
(RECEPTION - Y6)

DISCOUNTS
APPLIED WHEN
BOOKING
MULTIPLE DAYS!

OFSTED
CHILDCARE
VOUCHERS
ACCEPTED

20% OFF FOR
NEW CUSTOMERS
USE CODE: HSC20

OPEN DAILY
8:30/10 - 15:30



**BOOK
NOW**



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