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Headship Team Update



We led our first ever lower KS2 Residential Trip last week. Year 4, you made Tyndale history being the first pupils to go on this trip! The trip was successfully led by Miss Hyndman with the help of Mr Crouch, Miss Thomas and Miss Frost - thank you. The group set off last Thursday morning to one of our other GLT schools in Plymouth -



Montpelier Primary School, where they stayed the night. Before heading to the school they went to the beach for games and ice cream and the weather was beautiful luckily! We'd like to publicly thank our colleagues in Montpelier Primary School for being such fab hosts and of course, our Assistant Primary Director, Mrs Hunter for giving us the great idea! A fantastic trip had by all. This will now remain on our 'Cultural Capital' map so each year we will offer a residential trip annually for years 4 - 6.



SUPPORT

We hope you have a fantastic half term. For those families who celebrate Easter, we hope you enjoy the sweet treats! Please visit our 'How We Can Support You' pages if you find yourself in need of support over the break. We look forward to seeing you all back at school on Tuesday 16th April.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Term 5 Key Dates Document is accessible [here](#).



Monday 15th April 2024 - INSET Day - School closed to all children

Tuesday 16th April 2024 - First Day of Term - All children back in school

Tuesday 16th April 2024 - Year 4 Saxophone Lessons - Weekly

Thursday 18th April 2024 - PTA Meeting (Year 2 Classroom)

Friday 19th April 2024 - Year 3 String Lessons - Weekly

Monday 22nd April 2024 - Year 3 'Changing Me' RSE Resources Parent drop in 3.30pm - Year 3 Classroom - parents/carers

Wednesday 24th April 2024 - Year 3 Bristol Art Museum - Ancient Greek Workshop

Thursday 25th April 2024 - SS Great Britain Trip - Year 2

Thursday 25th April 2024 - EYFS 'Changing Me' RSE Resources Parent drop in 3.30pm - EYFS Classroom - parents/carers





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END OF TERM AWARDS



Sport

Curtis - Year 1

For always taking part in after school clubs and showing fantastic sportsmanship.



Golden Manners

Lily-May - Year 5

For always being polite, kind and helpful around the classroom and showing her best self in front of peers and adults.



Performing Arts

Mason - Year 3

For his wonderful prosody and performances when reading work to the class.



Positivity

Michelle - Year 6

For giving every single activity her best shot and showing great pride in her learning across year groups.



Leadership

Charlie - Year 4

For being confident in everything he does, using effective communication by listening and helping others.



Risk Taker

Tadiwa - Year 3

For using the Working Wall to expand his English work to create imaginative metaphors and similes.



Kindness

Ethan - Year R

For thinking of others and offering kind words and ideas when one of his friends needs cheering up.



Reading

Acacia - Year 2

For her exceptional progress in reading. Acacia is trying to read everything she sees.





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AWARDS

Dojo Champions

Well done for earning the most Class Dojos!

R - Isabel

Y1 - Edward and Fatima

Y2 - Adam and Maisie

Y3 - Ruby and Aimal

Y4 - Harry

Y5 - Toby

Y6 - Michelle and Alcino



CHAMPION

Reading Rockstars

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

R - Samuel

Y1 - Lucas and Oliver

Y2 - Grace and Chizi

Y3 - Aimal and Bailey

Y4 - Ricky

Y5 - Archie

Y6 - Adam and Gracie



Stars of the Week

Awarded by our Headteacher, Ms Parkhouse.

Charlie

Arthur

Elliot

Robson

Kris

Taylor

Toromo

Fatima

Nehita

Jersey

Gabriella

Ollie

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CLASS UPDATES

RECEPTION

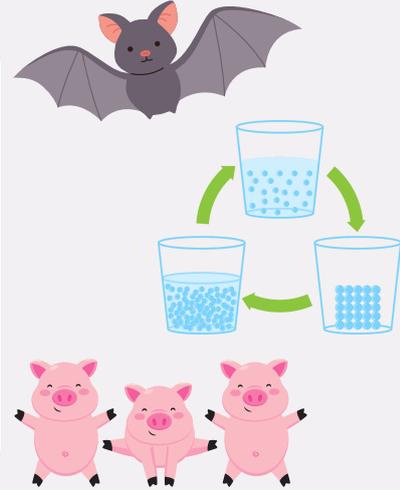
What a fantastic half term this has been for Reception! They have used their developing phonics knowledge to write some beautiful fact files on nocturnal animals. In maths they have mastered adding two numbers together, odds and evens and double numbers using tens frames and part part whole models. They have learnt all about spring and signs of spring including baby animals and their habitats, nocturnal animals and have created some beautiful owl, fox and sunrise and sunset art work.

YEAR 1

Wow Year 1, what an incredible first term they have spent together. Year 1 have shown an incredible amount of resilience, ambition and collaboration in all of their learning. They have produced fantastic end pieces of work in their English writing their own version of 'The Three Little Pigs' and have loved learning about doubles in maths. They have worked so hard throughout this term, well done Year 1. Have a wonderful half term!

YEAR 2

As we come to the end of another term all I can say is WOW! They have shown fantastic resilience and skill in using multiplication and division to solve word problems. They have started their learning about money in Maths and in English they have been using apostrophes to show possession. They have created informative letters written in the first person to share their understanding of The Great Fire of London. In science they have carried out different experiments to deepen their understanding of solids, liquids and gases.



YEAR 3

What an incredible term it has been year 3! They have shown such outstanding dedication to all of their work and it has been wonderful to see. They have officially completed their first unit on fractions and are now starting their units of scale! In English they have created fact files about volcanoes which have been terrifying to read! Well done year 3!

YEAR 4

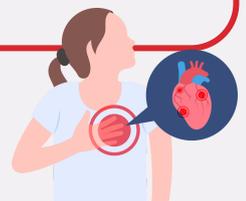
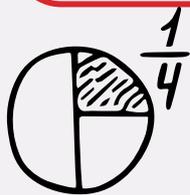
Wow! What a great two weeks of learning Year 4 has had. They showed resilience and ambition on their residential to Plymouth by showing their very best selves! They also enjoyed learning about compositions in art, focusing on how to place different objects and how to sketch using various tones and shading. They have also created great news reports all about flooding using language features such as conjunctions, fronted adverbials and adverbs of quantity. Have a lovely Easter Year 4!

YEAR 5

Go Year 5! Year 5 and shown great resilience this term. Working harder than ever and trying their best in everything that they're doing. They have been learning lots about vikings and showing lots of interest and enthusiasm around this. They have excelled in their writing and have made some impressive collages in art. We cant wait to see what you bring next term. Well done and keep up the hard work. Have a fabulous Easter!

YEAR 6

Year 6 has been working incredibly hard as always. They have written fantastic balanced arguments about xenotransplantation in Writing lessons and have enjoyed revising key areas of Fractions, Decimals and Percentages in Maths lessons. The children thoroughly enjoyed their Easter Hunt at The Meadows and the Easter Craft workshop in class. Have a great Easter break Year 6, you definitely deserve it!



Staff Shout Out

Ms Hyndman, Ms Thomas and Ms Frost

A huge thank you for supporting the Year Four Residential to Plymouth! We are only able to provide these experiences and opportunities to our children because of our dedicated staff that are willing to go above and beyond to make it happen! Thank you very much!



THANK YOU!

Staff Fun Fact

Ms Bridge (Teaching Assistant).

I always wanted to be a dolphin trainer, but got older and decided I didn't like water. When that dream was no more I wanted to be a forensic scientist.



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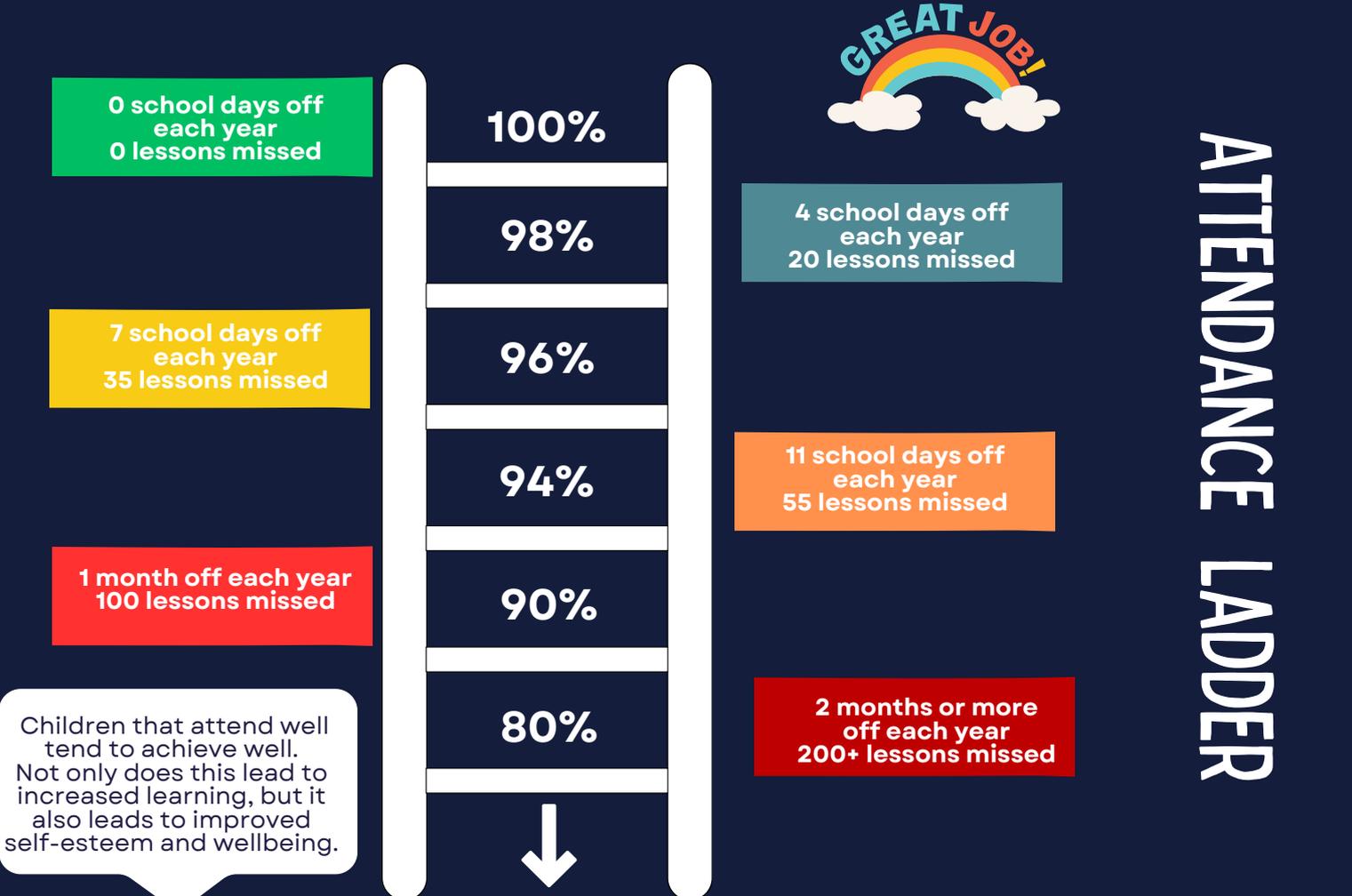
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ATTENDANCE FOR THIS FORTNIGHT

YEAR 6	89%	YEAR 2	94%
YEAR 5	88%	YEAR 1	89%
YEAR 4	91%	YEAR R	93%
YEAR 3	95% 	WHOLE SCHOOL	91%



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.

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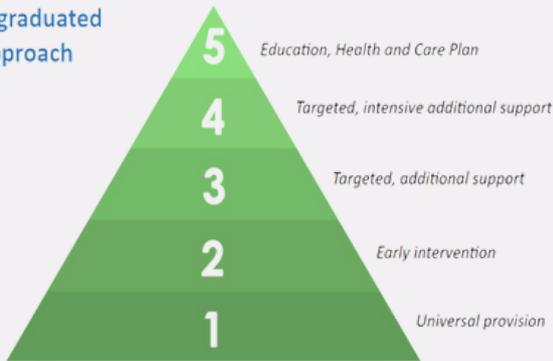
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SPOTLIGHT ON SEND



A graduated approach



South Glos Parents and Carers group have created a short video which summarises our approach well

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xqF7iCX7zzE&t=55s>

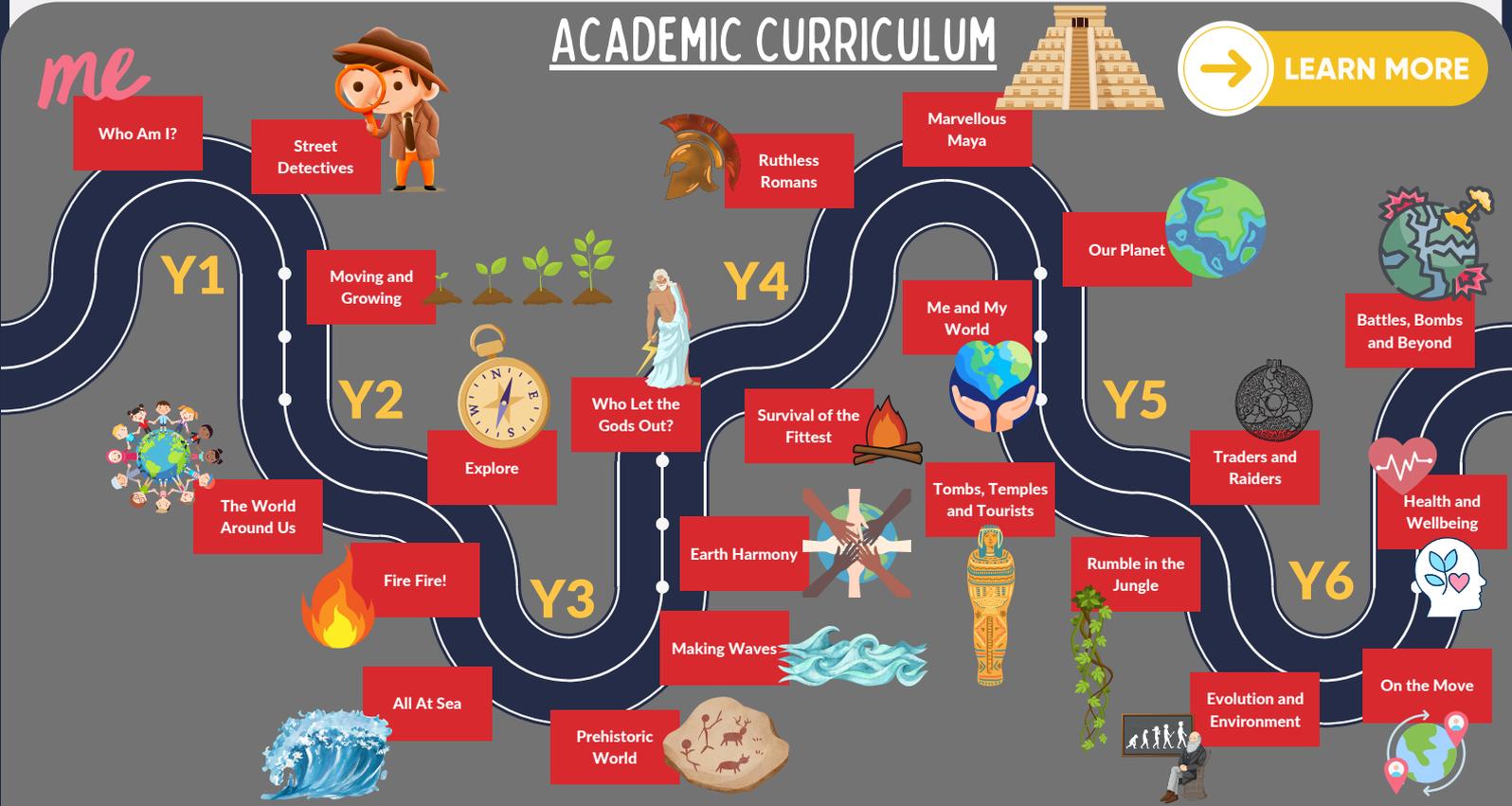
If you would like more information on our graduated approach to SEND at Tyndale Primary School, then please arrange to speak to our SENDCo, Ms Smyth

ACADEMIC CURRICULUM



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In term five, 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 - People Who Help Us

Year One - Moving and Growing

Year Two - All at Sea!

Year Three - Who Let The Gods Out?

Year Four - Me and My World

Year Five - Rumble in the Jungle

Year Six - Battles, Bombs and Beyond



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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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Easter Holiday Clubs

SWIFT SPORTS COACHING

8:45am To 3:30pm

Venues
Chipping Sodbury
Longwell Green
Frampton Cotterell
Thornbury
Winterbourne
Patchway

Activities
Nerf
Archery
Ninja Academy
Skools Out
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Free

Exciting News

Term 5

After-School Clubs

Term 5 after-school clubs are now available on our website to book.

Please make sure you book as soon as you can to avoid disappointment.



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**Friday 5th April
9am-3pm
Forest School**

**Tynings Primary School
Ages 4-11**

Sibling discounts available

**For more details:
www.bournefamilyproject.org**





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Cost of Living Spring Toolkit



Delivering for you

Fun activities to try in **spring**



Delivering for you

Family fun this spring doesn't need to be expensive. There are plenty of affordable adventures to be had right on your doorstep. Here are some tips to help.

Explore the great outdoors

There are many wonderful places to explore in South Gloucestershire, including the Bristol and Bath Railway Path, Wapley Bushes Nature Reserve and Willsbridge Mill. Find out more at:

www.southglos.gov.uk/tourism



Enjoy an Easter egg hunt

Decorate hard-boiled eggs with glitter, felt-tip pens and coloured fabrics, then hide them around the house and garden. Create a map and write some clues to help with the hunt.

Look out for cheap meal deals

Many restaurants and supermarket cafes have free kids meals or 'kids eat for £1' deals on during the school holidays.



Lace up your running shoes

With the weather warming up, spring is a great time to get outdoors. Parkrun is a free, community event where you can walk, jog or run 5k. Junior Parkrun is 2k and is dedicated to 4-14 year-olds and their families. More information here:

www.parkrun.org.uk

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Visit your local library

There are lots of free, fun activities for families to enjoy at South Glos libraries during the holidays. For more details visit:

beta.southglos.gov.uk/holiday-activities



Visit a museum

Kingswood Heritage Museum has a variety of displays for the whole family and children under 12 get in for free. For more information visit:

www.southglos.gov.uk/tourism

Check out Grimsbury Farm

There are lots of farm animals to meet including sheep, goats, pigs and rabbits. The farm is free to visit and has a picnic area, café and playground. Visit:

www.facebook.com/Grimsbury.Community.Farm



i For more money saving tips and financial support information visit:

www.southglos.gov.uk/costofliving

👋 Visit a community welcome space:

www.southglos.gov.uk/community-welcome-spaces

🗨️ We are here to help:

OSSAppointments@southglos.gov.uk

0800 953 7778

📍 Visit one of our One Stop Shops in Kingswood, Patchway or Yate.

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**SOUTH
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PLAYSCHEME**



Free Family Fun Sessions

**Take part in arts
and crafts, games,
and an Easter egg
hunt**

**Soup and
Sandwiches will be
provided**

**St Nicolas Family Centre,
Chargrove, Yate, BS37 4LG**

**Tuesday 9th and
Wednesday 10th
April 2024
11am-2pm**

Booking not required



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FOREVER SPORT HOLIDAY CAMPS

STAY ACTIVE IN THE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Open to children in Reception to Year 6, our holiday camps offer a variety of sporting opportunities throughout the school holidays. With an emphasis on inclusivity, high activity levels and fun, they provide a perfect environment for children to fall in love with sport and enjoy being active.



**Yate
Holiday Camp**

**Tuesday, 2nd to
Friday, 12th April 2024**

9AM - 4PM 30 SPACES PER DAY

Venue: Abbotswood Primary School, BS37 8SZ

Price: £14.50 per day + £1 booking fee.

Multi-day discount: £37.50 for 3 days and a discount of £2 for each day booked there after.

Themed activities:

- Easter themed day on Wednesday 3rd, April.
- Nerf Gun themed days on Friday 5th, Tuesday 9th & Thursday 11th, April.

Children from all schools are welcome to attend.

Please be advised that you will need to provide your child with a packed lunch for the day.

To book:



bit.ly/BSFHolidayCamps

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