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Yew Class News

Yew Class have been busy this half term and are very excited for all the things to come. We have started practicing for our summer production – The Wizard of Oz and we are looking forward to sports day and residential.

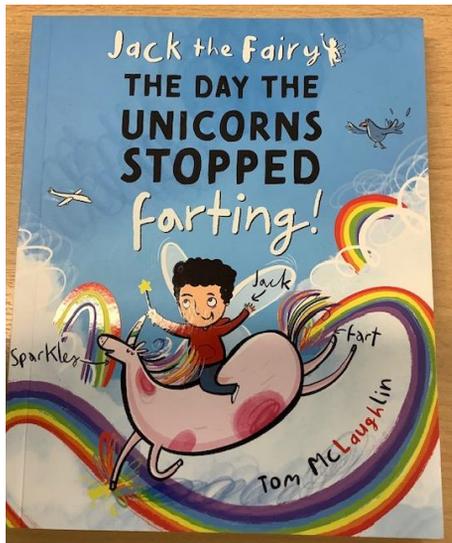
On Wednesday we managed to fit two trips into one day. We spent the morning at the year 6 sports festival taking part in netball, cricket, rugby, boccia and ultimate frisbee. We all had great fun trying new sports and mixing with students from other schools.

Then after a quick lunch stop at French Weir, we headed over to Taunton Minster, where we took part in the Moving Up Service. The service allowed us look back at what we had achieved here at Trull and look forward to what secondary school brings, wherever we are going.

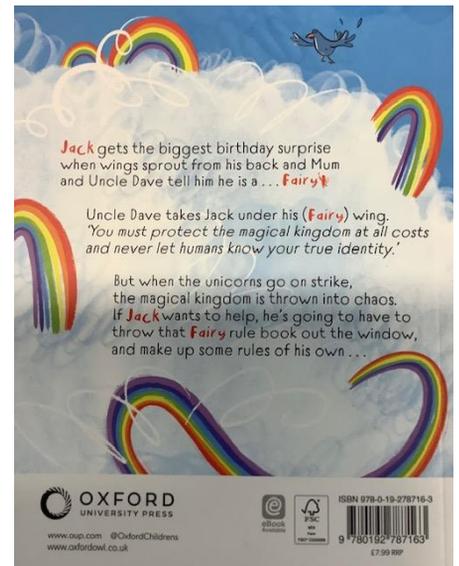
*I have come that they may have life,
and have it to the full.
John 10:10*



We were very lucky to be treated to an assembly all about bees and bee keeping by our very own Mrs Spiller! She told us about different kinds of bees and talked through her journey to start bee keeping. We saw lots of pictures and videos and we all learned lots!



We still have some signed copies of 'Jack the Fairy - The Day the Unicorns Stopped Farting!' available to purchase here in the office. If you would like a copy please let the school office know. Payment of £7.99 will need to be made on Scopay.





Some of our Year 5 children took part in a Science day at Queen's College this week. They had a lot of fun!





Yew Class have been recording vocals for their Leavers Song.

Warning: bring tissues!



Well done to everyone who took part in the Netball Tournament on Tuesday, they won 3 out of 5 games and thoroughly enjoyed the treat after!



Mrs Heywood has a plan to revamp the school art gallery with real picture frames. Does anyone have any unwanted ornate frames A3 size, they are willing to donate to the project please, ideally with no glass? Thank you.





In Maple class we have been starting to learn about Australia. One of the things that we have been looking at is dot painting. As you can see from the photos, we had a go ourselves. What you can see are the works in progress, the final versions will be on display in the school soon. We have also been busy preparing for Sports Day with the rest of Key Stage One, we're all very excited about it.



At The National College, our WakeUpWednesday guides empower and equip parents, carers and educators with the confidence and practical skills to be able to have informed and age-appropriate conversations with children about online safety, mental health and wellbeing, and climate change. Formerly delivered by National Online Safety, these guides now address wider topics and themes. For further guides, hints and tips, please visit nationalcollege.com.

What Parents & Educators Need to Know about

POP-UP ADS



WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

Pop-up advertisements have been a staple of the internet since they were first introduced in the late 1990s. This form of advertising causes a small window or banner to appear in the foreground while someone is browsing a website. Although these adverts are merely irritating for most people, pop-ups can present more severe risks to younger users.

DECEPTIVE TACTICS

Children sometimes don't understand that adverts (including pop-ups) are designed to sell a product – and can't distinguish between a legitimate feature of a site and an advertisement. Video games, for example, can be full of pop-up ads that tempt users into spending money, yet they might take the form of a mini-game or extra level.

INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT

While some adverts are targeted based on a user's interests and activity online, that isn't always the case. This means that children may unfortunately be exposed to ads for age-inappropriate goods or services such as tobacco products, alcohol and gambling sites.

MALWARE RISK

Most pop-ups from reputable advertisers are safe. However, in some cases, pop-ups can trick you into downloading malware – whereby cybercriminals install software on your device, allowing them to access your sensitive data. It can be difficult to know if malware has been installed on your device, so your best option is to avoid engaging with these pop-ups altogether. Be wary of sites that suddenly bombard you with ads or try to prevent you from leaving.

PRIVACY RISK

Many app and game developers will collect their users' personal data, such as their name, address, email address, geolocation information, unique numerical identifiers, photos and payment information. If a child clicks on an illegitimate pop-up laced with malware, all this information could be put at risk.

RACKING UP BILLS

If a child has access to a payment card on their device – be it a smartphone, laptop, or tablet – they could very quickly rack up a massive bill by interacting with pop-up adverts and buying products shown to them. Try to keep a close eye on their spending.

BEHAVIOURAL IMPACT

Research has found that pop-up ads can even have an impact on children's behaviour. Some of these adverts use manipulative tactics that take advantage of children's developmental vulnerabilities, intentionally or otherwise. This approach may cause a child's mood to shift: becoming more stubborn, for example, if they begin wanting their parents to buy a specific product for them.

Advice for Parents & Educators

START A CONVERSATION

It's important to have regular conversations with children about online advertising so that they understand the risks of interacting with pop-ups. For example, if a child asks for a product which has been advertised to them online, ask them why they want it and how they found it: this will present an opportunity to talk youngsters through the tactics used in online marketing.

SPOT THE SIGNS

If you're concerned that a child may be following pop-up ads to make online purchases or viewing content that could be harmful, it's important to be able to spot the signs. Due to the often-manipulative nature of these adverts, children who interact with them regularly may show signs of distraction, stubbornness and an increasingly materialistic worldview.

MONITOR CONTENT

It can often be difficult to spot when a pop-up advert is malicious – even more so for impressionable younger users. It's important to monitor the content they're consuming to prevent them from clicking on something dangerous. If a pop-up ad seems too good to be true – promising a free iPad, for example – it probably is.

PRIVACY SETTINGS

Most modern devices have privacy settings that let you limit the amount of advertising a child is subjected to while using apps or browsing the internet. You may also want to speak to teachers about avoiding sites and apps with advertising, as well as adjusting digital privacy settings on any education technology they use.

LIMIT SPENDING

Try to stay aware of what children are spending and ensure that payment details aren't linked to or saved on the gaming platform that they use. Most video games and internet-enabled devices have settings that can help you manage what children can or cannot purchase online.

CUT DOWN ON SCREEN TIME

Given the prevalence of pop-up ads (which can appear on everything from smartphones and tablets to internet-connected toys and games), it might be beneficial to limit the time children spend on digital devices to curb their exposure to digital advertising.

Meet Our Expert

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Source: See full reference list on guide page at: <https://nationalcollege.com/guides/pop-ups>



**KS1 DISCO - YR, Y1, Y2 (ASH, BEECH, ELM & MAPLE)
5:30PM - 6:30PM**

**KS2 DISCO - Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 (OAK, ROWAN, WILLOW & YEWE)
6:45PM - 7:45PM**

The Summer disco is £3.00 per child and includes a drink and small snack. Please pay the entrance fee via SCOPAY by 6pm Thursday 4th July when bookings will close.

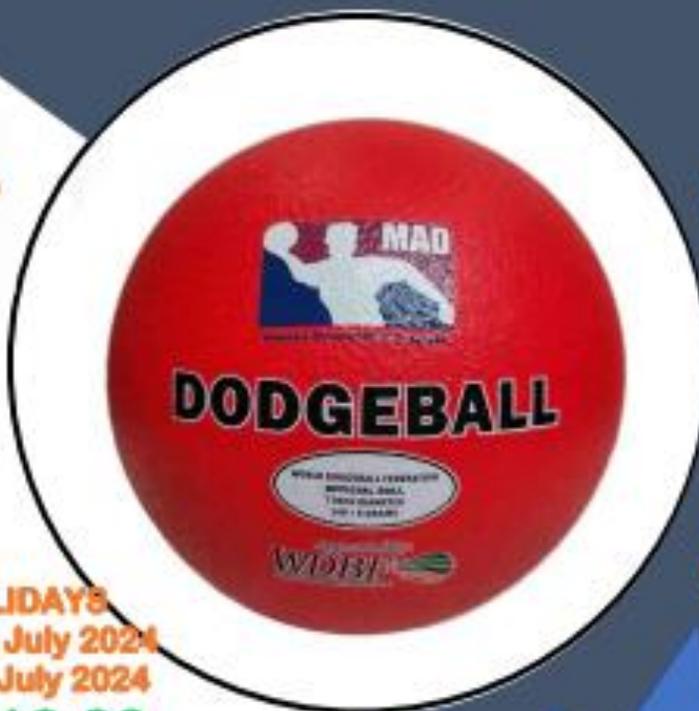
If your child has any dietary requirements, please let the school office or your class TSF representative know.

- KS1 will enter via the main hall doors
- KS2 children will enter via the practical area
- Children will be ticked off the register as they enter to ensure we have a list of all children present for Health and Safety reasons.
- Children are unable to bring coats/accessories with them, in case of loss
- Please note that only staff and volunteers with Trull School DBS clearance may be in the hall during the disco for safeguarding reasons.

At the end of each disco please wait by the main hall door to collect your child. The children will be grouped by class for you to collect. If parents can group together by class where possible, that would also help. Please ensure you inform the member of staff in charge of each class that you are taking your child.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: for the disco to run smoothly we require 10 parent volunteers per disco and you will need a Trull School DBS to volunteer. At least two staff members will also be at each disco. If you are able to help, and you have a Trull School DBS in place or underway, you can let us know you're happy to help via SCOPAY when you make a disco booking for your child.

MULTI-SPORT ACTIVITY CAMP



SUMMER HOLIDAYS
Thursday 25th July 2024
Friday 26th July 2024

08:30 – 16:00

£25 per day

Trull C of E VA Primary School

Head Coach: Mrs. Mitchell
Assistant Coach: Mrs. Andrews

*** max 26 children per day, minimum of 15
for club to run.**

OPEN TO CURRENT
YEAR 3 - YEAR 6
CHILDREN

Important dates

June

Friday 21 st	Maple Class assembly
Wednesday 26 th	Parent Book look (after school)
Thursday 27 th	Sports Day EYFS 9.30am – 10.30am (school field) KS1 10.30am -12.00noon (school field) KS2 1.15pm – 3.00pm (park)
Friday 28 th	Parent workshops – please book on Scopay INSET DAY

July

Monday 1 st – Friday 5 th	Music Week
Tuesday 2 nd	Music Showcase (after school)
Tues 2 nd – Wed 3 rd	Y6 Transition Days
Friday 5 th July	Back up Sports Day School Disco KS1 5.30pm-6.30pm KS2 6.45pm-7.45pm
Wednesday 10 th	Year 6 Production 6pm (further information to follow)
Thursday 11 th	Year 6 Production 6pm (further information to follow)
Friday 12 th	Non uniform - Bring a bottle for Party in the Park
Saturday 13 th	Party in the Park
Mon 15 th – Wed 17 th	Yr6 Residential to Charterhouse
Tuesday 16 th	Choir to Bridgwater Singing Festival
Friday 19 th	Trull Music Concert (during the evening)
Monday 22 nd	Preloved uniform sale (after school)
Wednesday 24 th	Year 6 Leavers Service 2.00pm



ATTENDANCE

The class with the best attendance this week is:

Maple Class

Parent Book Look – Wednesday 26th June

We would like to invite you in to school at the end of the day to enjoy looking at the work that your child has produced this year. Please pop along to your child's classroom between 3.30pm and 5.00pm to share in their learning from across this year.

