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Maple Class News

Maple Class were honoured to have been chosen to share some of their prayers with the school in assembly, and delighted to have been able to read them to our special guest, Bishop Michael. Our prayers were very reflective, thinking about the things that we are thankful for in our lives and in our world. We also thought about some of the things that people do which aren't kind or considerate, and asked for help in those areas. Our prayers were read beautifully in the church by Cassie and Henry.

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





World Book Day

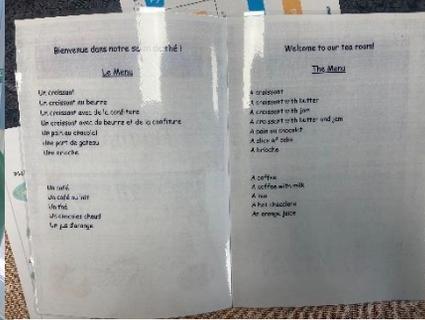
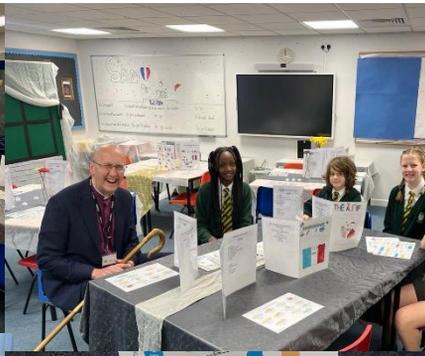
As part of the World Book Day celebrations, we will be running a 'decorate a paper plate competition' where each child will bring home a paper plate to decorate following the theme of a book. This can be any book at all - fact, fiction, fairy tale, sci fi, magic, mystery. Let your imaginations run wild. The deadline for the competition is Monday 11th March. There will be one winner chosen from each class. Please ensure that your child writes their name and class on the back of their paper plates.



On Wednesday, Bishop Michael from the Bath and Wells Diocese visited our school.



Thank you to everyone that attended the TSF bingo night. It was a brilliant evening and we raised an amazing £822.70! Thank you to all the local companies that donated prizes.



French Café

Year 6 raised £361.57 across the week. Thank you to all that have visited this week. We have enjoyed running our cafe and getting to use our French skills.



At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.

What Parents & Carers Need to Know about SHARING PHOTOS ONLINE

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

School is often a time chock-full of milestones for your child, and you may well be eager to share their accomplishments with the world. In today's digital age, sharing images of such precious moments on social media is commonplace, and – while that's a lovely thing to do – it does come with some risks attached. Our guide can help parents and carers to consider the potential dangers and make informed choices about safely sharing photos of their children online.

INVASIONS OF PRIVACY

Even with the right settings in place, absolutely nothing online is 100% private. Anyone who can view your photos could take screenshots and potentially share them elsewhere. Privacy settings are still important, though, so it's always wise to ensure your social media accounts have them set up; just bear in mind that you can't completely control what happens to anything once it's gone online.

REVEALING PERSONAL DETAILS

Small details in photos can often reveal personal information. Backgrounds can give clues to where you live, for example, while school logos on uniforms, sports kits, or bags could help someone identify which school your child attends. With interactive maps and reverse image searches commonplace online, information like this could easily be misused by an individual with malicious intentions.

MISUSE OF IMAGES

Once something's been shared online, it's almost impossible to get it deleted. Photos can show up in search engine results and be downloaded, manipulated, and shared without consent. There's the potential for someone's images to be used for advertising purposes (which in many cases, isn't illegal) or even more inappropriate reasons, such as cyber-bullying or serious forms of exploitation.

ONLINE GROOMING

Pictures that convey details about your child's interests, activities, or daily routines could arm an online predator with the kind of information they can deploy to gain a child's trust. They might use this knowledge to pretend to be the same age as the child or to have a shared hobby. Essentially, the more a predator knows about a young person, the easier it is for them to invent some 'common ground'.

PRESSURE TO PLEASE

When their parents or carers share notable moments and accomplishments in a child's life on social media, some children may begin to feel an expectation to always meet certain standards, to achieve things, or to behave in ways that are "worth sharing". Knowing that other people (even friends and family) can see these posts on social media might also add to the pressure they're feeling internally.

IMPACT ON DIGITAL FOOTPRINT

Every photo of a child posted online contributes to their digital footprint. Young people's lives have never been so closely and publicly documented as they are now, and this permanent online presence could affect a child's future opportunities or the choices they make as they grow up – in addition to influencing how they see themselves and, consequently, their emotional wellbeing.

Advice for Parents & Carers

REVIEW SETTINGS REGULARLY

Make sure your social media's secure in terms of who can view your content or see your location (only family and trusted friends, for example). Privacy settings aren't totally foolproof, but they do make it tougher for strangers to access your pics. Reviewing your settings regularly is also a good starting point for conversations with your child about managing their own social accounts when they're older.

CHECK YOUR PHOTOS

Photos of your child shouldn't provide any clues to where they live or go to school: even a house number, street name, or car number plate could be a giveaway. Cover up or blur out school logos, too. If you really want to share a particular pic, you could post a watermarked or low-res version, which can help to discourage misuse as those images are less appealing to download or reproduce.

CONSIDER OTHER CHILDREN

When taking a group photo, make sure you get parents' or carers' permission to share it on social media. There may be an important safeguarding reason for them not wanting their child's photo posted publicly online, or it might simply not tally with their personal beliefs or cultural background. A quick conversation in advance, just to make sure, is usually hugely appreciated.

THINK AHEAD

Try to consider the longer-term implications of what you post. Would you be happy with that photo being online in 10 years' time? Would your child still be OK with the image when they're older? Once your child is mature enough, you could ask for their consent before posting: it respects their privacy, fosters trust and understanding, and helps them to start thinking about their own online life.

Meet Our Expert

Gabriella Russo is a safeguarding consultant with more than 30 years' experience working with children, families, and adults in education, local authority, and mental health settings, both in the UK and internationally. She has developed online safety training for local authorities and foster care agencies across Britain and is the online safety expert for FosterWiki.



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Trull School Fundraisers

Summer

Preloved Uniform Sale

Thursday 28th March

2:30pm School Hall

Trull branded items £2

Unbranded items £1

Please bring cash

All profits going to the TSF
Donations of good quality outgrown school clothes welcome.
Please drop into the school reception.

Poster created and designed by Lily Temblett

Preloved Uniform Sale on Thursday 28th March
2.30pm School Hall

Has your child outgrown their uniform? Have you checked that their summer dress is still suitable?

We are in need of some more items ahead of our next sale. In particular we need more:

- PE T-shirts all sizes
- PE jumpers all sizes
- Cardigans sizes 24 (4-5)+
- Jumpers size 28 (6-7) and 30 (7-8).
- Summer dresses

So now would be a great time to check if you have anything to donate and if you do, please hand into the office by Friday 22nd March.

We can only accept items that are in good saleable condition.

We are not accepting shoes or daps.

Thank you for your support.
TSF Team



Trull School Fundraisers and Yalham Hayes

Easter Wreath Workshop

Friday 15th March at 7pm
Trull Primary School

Tickets £35 each - includes glass of prosecco/soft drink and all materials.

Tickets available from school office

BYO drinks and snacks

Yalham Hayes
FLOWER FARM @ SOMERSET

Spring Term – Important dates

March

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| Friday 8 th | Fairy-tale theme for World Book Day |
| Monday 11 th | TSF Meeting at 7pm |
| Friday 15 th | Rowan Class assembly TSF Wreath Workshop |
| Friday 22 nd | Beech Class assembly Oak Class trip to Cheddar |
| Tuesday 26 th | Castle School Community Concert Rehearsal for Choir and Orchestra |
| Wednesday 27 th | Castle School Community Concert – 6.30pm |
| Wednesday 27 th | Easter Service in Church (school only) |
| Thursday 28 th | Easter Hat Parade 2 nd Hand Uniform Sale (after school) |
| Friday 29 th March – Friday 12 th April | Easter Holiday |

April

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| Monday 22 nd | TSF Meeting at 7pm |
| Friday 26 th | Bag2School Collection (more details to follow) |

May

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| Friday 3 rd | Ash/Reception Class Assembly |
| Thursday 9 th – Friday 10 th | Willow Class Residential |
| Friday 17 th | Willow Class Assembly |



ATTENDANCE

The class with the best attendance this week is:

Yew Class



Road Closure

**Wild Oak Lane will be closed
from 7th March – 22nd March
9.30am – 3.30pm**

Last week, Ash class met our school Guinea pigs Bramble and Bluebell!



MERGE DANCE COMPANY OPEN DAY

Saturday 13th April 2024
Sampford Peverell Village Hall
£20
Juniors (ages 9-12) 10am-12pm
Seniors (ages 13-19) 12:30pm-3pm

contact:
mergedancecompany.org@gmail.com

PREMIER EDUCATION HOLIDAY CAMP

Cotford St Luke Primary School
TA4 1HZ
Tuesday 9th April 2024

FOOTBALL/RUGBY ACTIVITY DAY

What we will get up to:

Football/Tag Rugby skills- Working individually or in pairs you will learn skills from the coaches. They will help you learn and improve!

Football/Tag Rugby drills- Children will be split into groups and start practising their skills whilst also moving with the ball.

Mini games- Children will use their skills in game like situations before playing against each other in the afternoon in teams.

Football/Tag Rugby tournament- Children will be put into teams where they will compete in a round robin tournament!

Please bring your own lunch & lots of non fizzy drink.

Please wear casual/sports clothes.

Childcare vouchers accepted

£21 ALL DAY!

9:30am-3:30pm

How to book:
Online- www.premier-education.com
Call Andrew- 07776 108281

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PREMIER EDUCATION TAUNTON HOLIDAY CAMPS

Wednesday 10th and Thursday 11th April 2024
Venue: Cotford St Luke Primary School
Time: 9:30am- 3:30pm Price £21.00 each day

What we'll be getting up to...
10th April: Taekwondo, Nerf and Dodgeball- Patterns, hand attacks, blocks and self defence are just a handful of taekwondo techniques children will learn from our coach Sharon. Sharon is a level 3 in taekwondo and her club is represented at the National Taekwondo Poomsae championships!

The children won't just be coming home as little ninjas from the day. They'll also have an afternoon of our famous nerf and dodgeball games! Where they will make unbreakable forts and work hard as a team!



The fun doesn't stop there...
11th April: Gymnastics- Spend the day learning new gymnastic techniques from our amazing qualified gymnastic coaches. They will support you doing new rolls, balances and handstands. Enjoy making routines in pairs and small groups which will be presented later in the day. Try out all the school equipment!

Childcare vouchers accepted

Please wear sports/casual clothes, bring a packed lunch and soft drinks.

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PREMIER EDUCATION HOLIDAY CAMPS

£24.00 all day 9:00am-3:30pm

Tuesday 2nd, Wednesday 3rd, Thursday 4th & Friday 5th April 2024
Venue: Holy Trinity PS, South Street, Taunton TA1 3AF

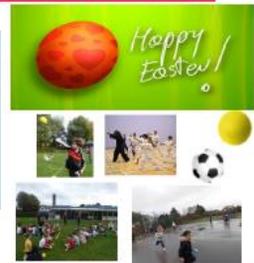
MULTI-SPORTS ACTIVITY DAYS

What we will be up to:

Easter activities- Easter themed days to include Easter crafts and Easter hunts.

Dodgeball- Working as a team, children will work together to try and hit the other team with their dodgeballs!

Nerf Games- Children will be split into teams where they will build unbreakable forts to take cover from the other teams!



Other activities :

Gymnastics- Children will get to express movement and their strength through our gym sessions!

Arts and crafts- A chance for children to take a break from all the running around and relax! A time to meet new friends.

Football- One of the more classic sports we run. Children will be put in teams to play a 5-aside games.

LUNCH PROVIDED
Please bring plenty of soft drinks and wear sports/casual clothes and appropriate footwear!

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