

February 2024

## Science Week

Dear parent / carer,

**Monday 26th<sup>st</sup> February** marks the beginning of Science Week. We have lots of exciting events, competitions and lessons planned for the children to participate in. These include: workshops delivered by sublime science, assemblies, art activities, practical science experiments and whole school competitions. Children will also have the opportunity to learn about significant people within science.

The week will end with a non-uniform day on **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March** where children will be able to dress up as famous scientist or a job within the field of science (some ideas are on the reverse of this letter).

### Competitions

**Photo competition** – Children are invited to take photographs around the theme of Nature and Climate, this could be: the weather, animals and plants, light, forces and magnet etc. Please send your photo with your child's name and class to [Science.Comp@riverbankprimary.org](mailto:Science.Comp@riverbankprimary.org). There will be a prize for the best photo taken within each year group. **All entries must be submitted by Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February.**

**Poster competition** – This year's science week theme is 'TIME'. Children could create a poster showing how technology has changed over time, time telling, how things might look or work in the future, lifecycles, lifespans, evolution, hibernation, the seasons etc. This must be completed on paper no bigger than A4. The top 5 entries across the school will receive a prize and also be entered into the British Science Week Poster Competition 2024.

Please keep an eye on Twitter, as we will upload pictures from events happening in school.

If you have any questions, please talk to your class teacher.

Kind regards

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