

# **Bishops Lydeard**

#### **Church School**

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Bishops Lydeard Church School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people.

'That they may have life in all its fullness' John 10:10

Respect

**Endurance** 

Friendship

3rd March 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

## Science Week Monday 27<sup>th</sup> - Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March

### https://www.britishscienceweek.org/

This year's nationwide science week is based on the theme 'Connections.' While the national week is earlier in March, we will be celebrating our science week w/c 27th March.

We will be exploring our connections with space. During the week, classes will be taking part in science activities to do with the solar system, planets, the moon, testing materials for space suits, and designing rockets.

The week will culminate in a STEAM fair on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March. This will also be an open classroom opportunity. Following our sponsored photograph competition, we will be holding a Science Display competition. The prize is a £25 Amazon voucher for the winner from Key Stage 2 and £25 for the winner from Early Years and Key Stage 1.

If your child would like to enter the competition, they should complete an 'Earth and Space' themed STEAM display/project. STEAM stands for Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Maths. Projects will be displayed in the hall on the afternoon of Friday 31<sup>st</sup> for parents to view. The School Council and a visiting guest will be involved in choosing the winning entries.

All the classes will be sharing their science books and demonstrating experiments that have taken place that afternoon. We are excited to see and share all that your children have achieved.

For some ideas of STEAM activities you could complete at home, please visit the links below:

Year 5: Earth and Space | STEM

Space Exploration STEM Activities for Kids (sciencebuddies.org)

NASA for Students in Kindergarten to 4th Grade | NASA

Top 10 STEM Space Activities — Vivify STEM

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## 100 STEAM Projects for Teachers - Instructables

If you have any questions, please email the office on enquires@bishopslydeard.bwmat.org.

Kind regards,

Bishops Lydeard Church School