

Newsletter

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Our School Blog...

I have had the chance to see lots of learning in the classrooms this week and it has been great to see the children enthused by their new topics. If you are unsure of what your child is learning and would like to find out more, all of our curriculum is published on the school website. Take a look at the class pages for this half term's topics.

On November the 1st the school transferred over to the Rainbow Multi Academy Trust. We are really pleased to be a part of this forward thinking, nurturing and supportive Trust. Parents and pupils are unlikely to see any change in the day to day running of the school, however, joining this trust gives staff the opportunity to work with like-minded educational professionals in order to improve all outcomes for the pupils in all of our schools.

I found out yesterday that the name 'Rainbow Multi Academy Trust' comes from the Bible story of Noah's Ark where the rainbow signified hope and was a gift from God after the flood. This is particularly apt for schools and I am sure we will see plenty of rainbows this weekend considering the weather forecast!

Big thanks to the Rainbow MAT for the yummy cake they sent to welcome all the staff!

Have a lovely weekend.

Mr Gynn



Our school vision is at the heart of all we do at Bishop Bronescombe. We feel it is important to share the achievements of children who have worked hard to share their gifts and talents.





This week's achievers

Well done to the children below for following our BB Rules for Life. This week, we are celebrating our achievements in music.

Little Doves

Lowenna

For great enthusiasm when performing your song 'Hey You!'

Little Fish

Caitlin

For demonstrating super performance skills during our 'Hey you' unit and for singing solo to the parents

Little Lambs

Joseph

You found the beat and played the glockenspiel very well

Peacocks

Lily

For your enthusiastic contributions to music lessons; you are always focussed and ready to learn and participate.
Well done!

Pelicans

Faith

For excellent singing during both collective worship and music lessons

Phoenix

Eleanor

For your beautiful singing and enthusiasm in the music lesson this week

Angels

Poppy

For singing with enthusiasm when beginning to learn our Christmas Carol! Keep singing your heart out Poppy - you superstar!

Faith

Iszac V

For always signing passionately during singing worship

Hope

Reuben

For contributing brilliantly during music lessons this week - your engagement was fantastic!

This week's achievers...



This week, we learnt about and celebrated our school vision of courage.

Little Doves

Freddie

For having the courage to stand at the front of the class to answer a maths question

Little Fish

Lowenna

For showing an immense amount of courage coming back to school after breaking your arm - you are so brave!

Little Lambs

Archie

For showing courage in lessons by sharing your ideas and trying your best

Peacocks

Sophie M

It's been lovely to see you volunteering to read aloud more often during whole class reading sessions. Well done!

Pelicans

Jude

For taking on new steps and challenges with a great attitude

Phoenix

Ilah-Mae

For having the courage to trust yourself with your learning. You have made us so proud this week with all of your amazing work!

Angels

Eboney

For showing courage to participate in class discussions and share your wonderful ideas!

Faith

Isaac C

For volunteering in maths and for getting involved during PE

Hope

Lucas

For being brave and readily contributing during maths lessons this week - you're a star!

Dear God,
Please give me strength when I am
weak,
Love when I feel forsaken,
Courage when I am afraid,
Wisdom when I feel foolish,
Comfort when I am alone,
Hope when I feel rejected,
And peace when I am in turmoil
Amen

School bookings

School dinner

Please ensure that you book school meals in advance, via ParentPay.

A main option will need to be chosen as our kitchen cater to requirements (pudding is chosen on the day).

If you change your mind and your child comes to school with a packed lunch, it is essential that before 9.00am, you either cancel your ParentPay choices or contact the school office for us to update the kitchen.

Wraparound

Bookings for wraparound are made via the SchoolCloud system, in advance. Please make sure that if you need to book or amend, and the bookings window is closed, you contact the school office on 01726 64322 or by emailing bbr-secretary@rainbowacademy.org.uk

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 9th November - Y1 vision screenings / Y6 height & weight checks

Wednesday 14th December - *Christmas lunch*

Please note there will be no jacket potato or tomato pasta options on this day

2022-23 Inset Days - Mon 24th July 2023, Tues 25th July 2023

Bug-busting plea!

Surprisingly, there seem to be a few cases of nits around. Can we ask that you check your child's hair regularly and treat any cases as soon as possible to prevent a spread of these annoying critters?

According to NHS guidance, lice and nits can be removed by wet combing and you should try this method first.

You can buy a special fine-toothed comb (detection comb) online or from pharmacies to remove head lice and nits. Alternatively, if you are finding it difficult to access one, please ask Mrs Clifford in the office as we have a small stock available in school.

There may be instructions on the pack, but usually you:

- wash hair with ordinary shampoo
- apply lots of conditioner (any conditioner will do)
- comb the whole head of hair, from the roots to the ends

More information on alternative methods can be found [here](#).



It usually takes about 10 minutes to comb short hair, and 20 to 30 minutes for long, frizzy or curly hair.

Do wet combing on days 1, 5, 9 and 13 to catch any newly hatched head lice. Check again that everyone's hair is free of lice on day 17.

School admissions

The online application process for starting school for September 2023 has now started. Detailed information about the admissions process is available online or on request from the School Admissions Team.

The deadline for applying for:

- Primary school is 15th January 2023 (for children born between 01.09.18 - 31.08.19)

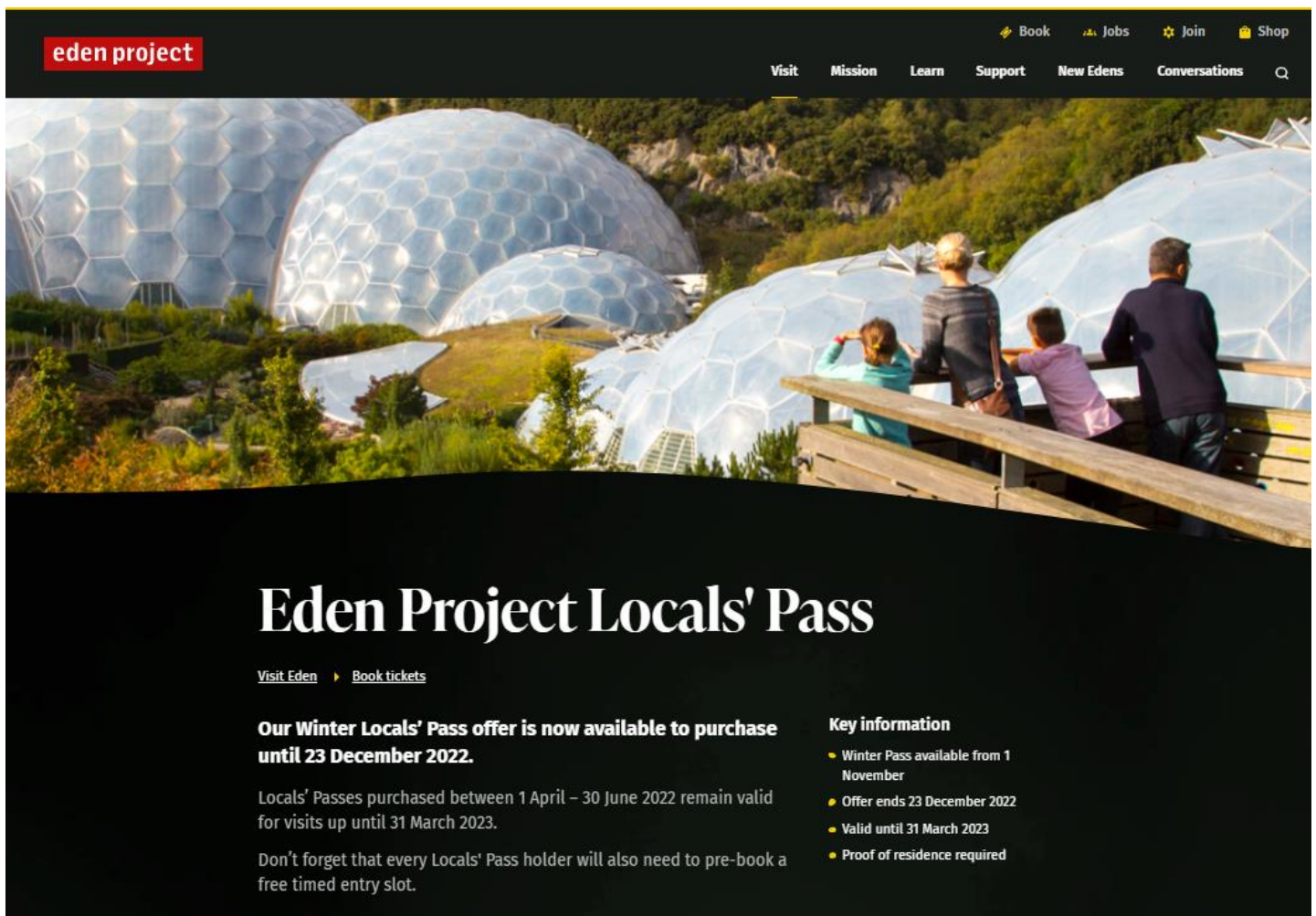
National offer day for:

- Primary school is 16th April

Please ensure you name **more than one preference**. It will not mean less chance of securing place at your preferred school. Please note that if you do not apply on time, your preferred school may already be full.

If you need support with your application process, please contact the office, the Family Information Service (0800 587 8191) or School Admissions Team (0300 1234 101).

Other notices

The image shows a screenshot of the Eden Project website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the 'eden project' logo on the left and links for 'Book', 'Jobs', 'Join', and 'Shop' on the right. Below the navigation bar is a large photograph of the Eden Project's biomes, with a family of four (two adults and two children) standing on a wooden walkway in the foreground, looking towards the domes. The main heading of the page is 'Eden Project Locals' Pass'. Below the heading are two links: 'Visit Eden' and 'Book tickets'. The page is divided into two columns of text. The left column contains the announcement: 'Our Winter Locals' Pass offer is now available to purchase until 23 December 2022.' followed by details about the validity of passes and a reminder to pre-book. The right column is titled 'Key information' and lists three bullet points: 'Winter Pass available from 1 November', 'Offer ends 23 December 2022', and 'Valid until 31 March 2023'. A fourth bullet point, 'Proof of residence required', is partially visible at the bottom of the list.

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Eden Project Locals' Pass

[Visit Eden](#) [Book tickets](#)

Our Winter Locals' Pass offer is now available to purchase until 23 December 2022.

Locals' Passes purchased between 1 April – 30 June 2022 remain valid for visits up until 31 March 2023.

Don't forget that every Locals' Pass holder will also need to pre-book a free timed entry slot.

Key information


- Winter Pass available from 1 November
- Offer ends 23 December 2022
- Valid until 31 March 2023
- Proof of residence required

Other notices

Heligan Night Garden


New route and characters for 2022 at this enchanting lantern experience

Various dates throughout
November, December and January



Tickets now available at heligan.com

The Lost Gardens of Heligan



November and December

- **Christmas wreath workshops**
30th November, 7th & 14th December
Evening workshop, hosted by Katie from Brookside Flower Garden, creating a Christmas wreath from foraged Heligan greenery. Evening includes festive cheese platter, mulled wine or cocktail and mince pies. (Limited spaces, book online.)
- **Heligan Night Garden**
18th Nov – 2nd January
An enchanting lantern experience celebrating the wildlife, flora and fauna of the historic gardens and estate. (Tickets from £8, book online).
- **Lantern Workshops**
Decorate a lantern to illuminate your way through the Heligan Night Garden experience. (Does not include Night Garden entry). (Ages 2+ book online).



children's hospice
SOUTH WEST

Raise festive cheer in your Christmas gear!

Santas on the Run

eden project

Walk, jog or run 2k at the Eden Project on Sunday 4 December 2022

Sign up today www.chsw.org.uk/santas

Making the most of short and precious lives across the South West
Registered Charity No. 1003314



Other notices



Kids Xmas Fete
Funfest4Rosey
Saturday 26th November 2pm-5pm
Charlestown Church Hall

- Santas grotto • Face painting
- Hair braiding plus many more stalls...

Charity Prize 6pm-11pm
BINGO
(Eyes down for 7pm)
Bring your own drinks and nibbles
£10 per book • Raffles and Auction

#runrideread repeat4rosey
All money raised will go to Rosey

gofundme
Relief4Rosey



Winter Food & Craft Fair

Saturday 12th November 4pm-8pm

Lanjeth Memorial Hall
St Austell PL267TL



BODMIN & WENFORD
RAILWAY

CHRISTMAS AT BWR
the most magical end to the term.

Staff travel free!

Join us this festive season as you ride the steam train with Santa, whilst taking part in a range of merry activities!

VISIT SANTA BY STEAM ON THESE DAYS:

Friday 2nd December
Thursday 8th December
Friday 9th December

All trains depart at **10:30am** but can be adjusted to your needs.

A ticket for £15 will give one child a ride with Santa and an age-appropriate gift.

A ticket for £7.50 will give one child a ride with Santa.

External presents, tea's/coffee's are welcome aboard the train.

Give us a bell on 01208 73555 or email on enquiries@bodminrailway.co.uk to enquire and book.