



School-wide News

It has been a really productive week at Southville. We are very proud of the children, who are learning well and enjoying reconnecting with their friends. We are truly grateful to have the children back and for all of your support and kind words.

Thank you for your co-operation at the school gates with social distancing and wearing masks. Please try to wait for the time slot for your class when arriving, particularly in the morning, to avoid overcrowding. Also, please try to avoid lingering to speak to each other outside the gates (however tempting!). It is really important to follow the procedures so that we keep our families and staff safe. Thank you again for your support.

Comic Relief

Thank you all those who donated to Comic Relief last Friday. So far the total raised is over £450. We heard some fantastic jokes and wore red to raise awareness of some of the key issues we face in society today. During assembly, we spoke about how the money we raised can help people in the UK and across the world, to provide support with housing and mental health and to provide support to children so they can grow up happy and healthy.

Last day of term

As usual the last day of term, Thursday 1st April, will be a non-uniform day. There is no school on Friday 2nd April (Good Friday).

School Council

We will be getting our School Council back up and running after Easter. We like would all children in the school to get thinking about some of the issues they may wish to raise during terms 5 and 6 so they can share them with their class councillors. This may be to do with learning or outside activities during the school day, it may be to do with local issues, such as road safety, or with important issues in society such as climate change. All children at Southville have a voice and can contribute to bringing about positive change!

Implementation of statutory Relationships Education and Health Education


Earlier in the week, we sent you the updated draft policy for Personal, Social and Health Education (PSHE). This is a fundamental area of our curriculum and it is important to us that we have the support of our parents and school community for our approach. If you would like to feedback your thoughts on the policy, please complete [this short form](#) by Monday 29th March. We will collate your responses and review the policy in light of your feedback.

In Term 5 there will be an opportunity for you to look at the content and resources that make up the 'Changing Me' lessons that we teach in science and PSHE in Term 6, including sex education.

Safety

Please be aware that we are recently seeing an increase in anti-social behaviour in areas close to our two school sites. Please reinforce safety messages with your families around stranger danger and not picking up/touching things you might find on the floor. If your child is walking to and from school without an adult, we advise that they walk with a friend. Should parents notice anything of concern, please get in contact with Avon and Somerset Police on the non-emergency line 101.

Shine






SHINE AT SOUTHVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL - TERM 5




Re-booking onto the same clubs goes live online Thursday 25th March 10:00am

All clubs including NEW/NEW DAY clubs go live on Monday 29th March 10:00am

Day	Club	Year Group
MONDAY	BREAKFAST CLUB	YR 1 - YR 6
	MY TIME	YR 1 - YR 6
	SNACK & CHILL	YR 1 - YR 6
	FOOTBALL	YR 1 & 2
TUESDAY	BREAKFAST CLUB	YR 1 - YR 6
	MY TIME	YR 1 - YR 6
	SNACK & CHILL	YR 1 - YR 6
	MINI-SPORTS	YR 1 & 2
WEDNESDAY	BREAKFAST CLUB	YR 1 - YR 6
	MY TIME	YR 1 - YR 6
	SNACK & CHILL	YR 1 - YR 6
	NETBALL	YR 3 & 4
THURSDAY	BREAKFAST CLUB	YR 1 - YR 6
	MY TIME	YR 1 - YR 6
	SNACK & CHILL	YR 1 - YR 6
	CRICKET CLUB	YR 5 & 6 **NEW**
FRIDAY	BREAKFAST CLUB	YR 1 - YR 6
	MY TIME	YR 1 - YR 6
	SNACK & CHILL	YR 1 - YR 6
	CREATIVE	YR 1 & 2

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Community News

Ashton FC



Ashton Football Club are looking for Girls in school Year 4 to join our club.

No previous experience necessary, all are welcome.

We train on Friday evenings 530 – 630 at Ashton Park School.

Come join us for a trial session to see if you enjoy it with no obligation to join.

e-mail joerevla@gmail.com for details.

What is school like for you?

Bristol Educational Psychology Service would like your help to find out what it has been like for children and young people during lockdowns, going back to or starting a new school. They would also like to hear from children if they have not started back at school or haven't attended school for some time (not just because of COVID-19)

They have a few questions they would like children to answer. The answers will be anonymous. They will use the answers to help understand what life is like for Bristol children and to help them think about ways to improve school.

Please see the form here <https://forms.gle/F5rd8XDJoWMY4Wd58>

PTA news

The next PTA meeting will be on Thursday 29th April, 7:30pm. The Zoom link, agenda and minutes from the last meeting will all be circulated after Easter.

Food Bank Update

Easter Food Parcels.



If a food parcel would help during the Easter holiday, please email paula.mathias@bristol-schools.uk I am able to deliver if you would like. All parcels contain some Easter goodies.

If you would like to donate any store cupboard items or Easter treats, you can drop them off at either site. You can also donate here: <https://paypal.me/pools/c/8qInltXQg>

Thank you.

Sainsburys have kindly donated surplus items from Comic Relief.
A table will be set up outside the Myrtle office from Monday for you to purchase any items.
All money raised will go to the foodbank.



Year Group News and Reminders

Preschool

This week we have been talking about signs of spring, including blossom on trees, sensory play with seeds and growing cress from seed.



Family photos

If anyone hasn't brought in a family photo, it would be lovely to have one so that we can add it to our classroom display.

Labelling

Please can you make sure that clothing, water bottles and food containers are labelled with your child's name so that we can get them back to you if they go astray.

Independence

We are supporting the children to become more independent in managing their belongings, putting on

their coats and shoes, and eating their food. Please help your child at home by encouraging them to do things for themselves and celebrating 'what I can do for myself'.

Reception

The Reception children have loved becoming dinosaur experts this term, exploring and discovering various species. In this last week of Term 4 we will be learning about the extinction of the dinosaurs. We will be thinking about how this happened and how other animals can become extinct too.

As with every week in Reception, the children will continue to explore our themed resources and range of continuous provision in their free play. Here is a rough outline of the whole-class activities:

Term 4 Week 6

Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Phonics – writing sentences using phase 2 and 3 sounds• Maths – Exploring pattern• Jellyfish P.E (Ball skills- rolling and throwing)• Reading Books and Reading Records will be collected to be quarantined• Personal, Social and Emotion: Sweet Dreams - I know how to help myself to go to sleep and why sleep is good for me.
Tuesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• People and Communities - Spring celebrations (Easter, Holi Festival, Passover)• Phonics – writing sentences using phase 2 and 3 sounds• Maths – Exploring pattern
Wednesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reading - New reading books will be issued and sent home• Phonics – writing sentences using phase 2 and 3 sounds• Maths – Exploring pattern• Octopus PE (Ball Skills - rolling and throwing)• Gardening Club - Starfish
Thursday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Phonics – writing sentences using phase 2 and 3 sounds• Maths – Exploring pattern• Pantosaurus - PANTS - The Underwear Rule
Friday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Phonics - writing sentences using phase 2 and 3 sounds• Maths – Exploring pattern• Starfish PE (Ball Skills - rolling and throwing)• Celebration Assembly

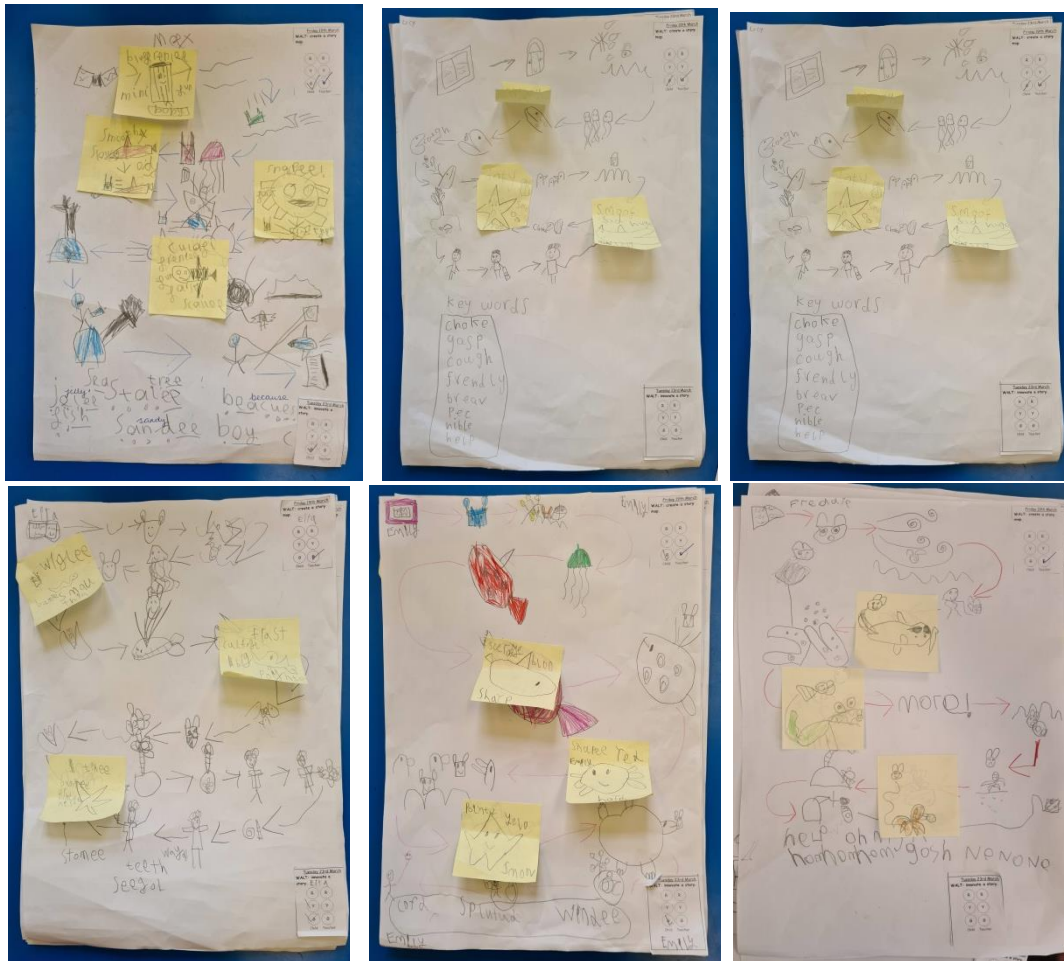
Pantosaurus

Talking PANTS (The Underwear Rule) teaches children important messages, like their body belongs to them and they should tell an adult if they're upset or worried. We will be talking about this in class next week. To watch the Pantosaurus song, you can search for it on YouTube and you find more information on the NSPCC website. Please follow the link below to read more.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/globalassets/documents/advice-and-info/pants/pants-2018/pants-parents-guide-online.pdf>

Year 1

This week we all worked hard to innovate the story of Somebody Swallowed Stanley by Sarah Roberts, we thought about what characters we would like to be in our stories, what adjectives we could use to describe them and then told our new versions of the story to our friends.



Daily Mile

The children will be taking part in a daily mile throughout the week on the days they don't have P.E please bear this in mind for children's footwear being suitable for running.

Spellings

Just a reminder that the spelling list for term 4 is on Google Classroom in the 'classwork' section. Please ensure that your child has their spelling book in their book bag.

PE

Bears – Mondays and Thursdays

Badgers – Tuesdays and Thursdays

Butterflies – Wednesdays and Thursdays

Please be aware that in the final week of this term, Year 1 will have PE on Tuesday 30th March instead of Thursday 1st April.

Please can your child bring in a bottle of water with them every day.

Year 2

Singing

This term year 2 are taking part in a singing event organised by Bristol Plays Music. We have been learning the songs in class and on Tuesday 30th March we will be joining – virtually – schools across Bristol to sing the songs together.

The event may be recorded by the Bristol Plays Music team. Please let your child's class teacher know if you do not grant permission for your child to be in it.

PE

Falcon – Mondays and Tuesdays

Flamingo – Tuesdays and Wednesdays

Fox – Tuesdays and Wednesdays

Please be aware that in the final week of term, Year 2 will have PE on Thursday 1st April instead of Tuesday 30th March.

Year 3

Tables

When practising their tables please do the division facts too eg: $3 \times 4 = 12$ 12 divided by 3 = 4

By the summer term, the Year 3's need to know their x2, x3, x4, x5, x8 and x10 tables. Please try to practice 3 or 4 times a week. It really helps their maths.

Art

Hedgehog class will be doing water colours on Monday 28th March. Please can the children bring in a piece of fruit/veg to draw. The bigger the better as they are clearer to see ☐

PE

Heron - Tuesdays

Hedgehog – Tuesdays

Honeybee – Fridays

Year 3 will also have 'Daily Mile' running sessions on Wednesdays and Thursdays. (Thurs-Hedgehog)

Spellings

The current spelling lists for term 4 are still on Google Classroom in the 'classwork' section. If you would like a hard copy then please ask.

Reading

All Year 3 --Please ensure that your child brings their book bag and reading record to school every day next week – it is essential that I can get an idea of the current level of your child's reading. Thank you!

Year 4

Spellings

Just a reminder that the spelling list for term 4 is on Google Classroom in the 'classwork' section.

PE

Kiwi – Mondays

Kangaroo – Wednesdays

Koala - Thursdays

Year 4 will also have 'Daily Mile' running sessions on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Reading

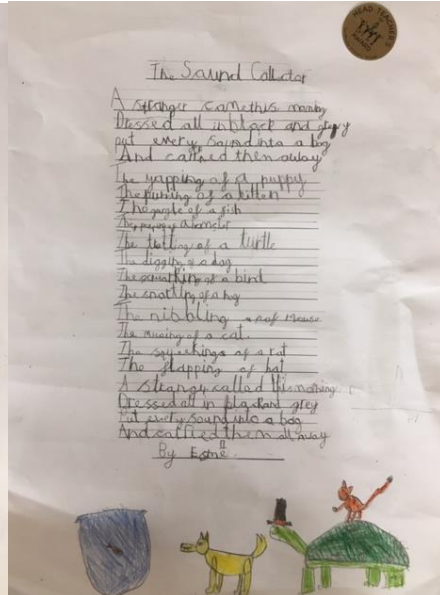
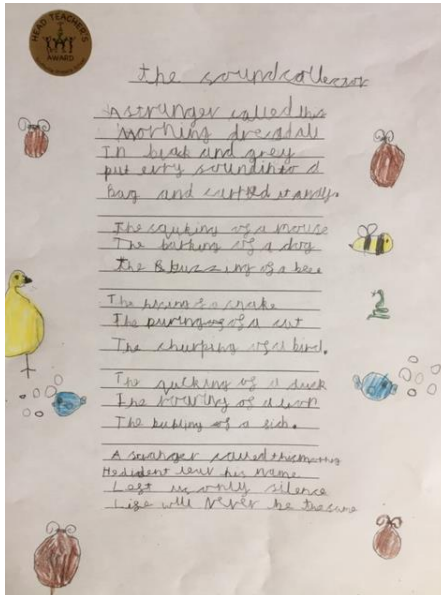
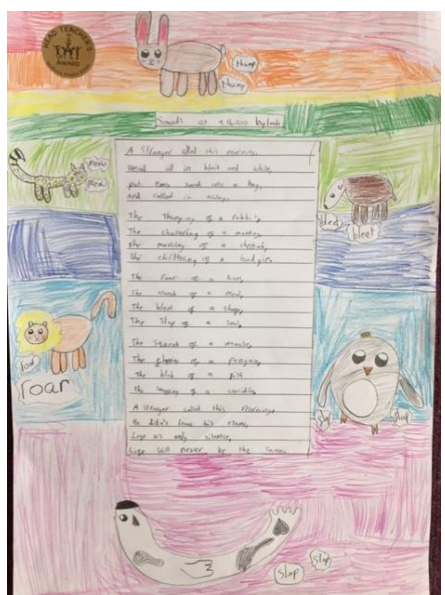
All Year 4 --Please ensure that your child brings their reading record and school reading book to school every day next week – it is essential that we can get an idea of the current level of your child's reading. Thank you!

News

Kiwis enjoyed a zoom Q and A with author Jamila Gavin. Jamila wrote '*Blackberry Blue*', our whole class reading book of the term. The Kiwis came up with some amazing questions for the author, who believes there is a 'book in everyone'!



Year 3 have produced some amazing poetry this week. Herbie, Leah (both Kiwi class) and Esme (Kangaroo class) performed their poems to Mr Commander and Mr Potter and they were so impressed they gave all three a Head Teacher's sticker!



Year 5

PE

Lemur – Mondays

Leopard – Tuesdays

Lion – Mondays

Year 5 will also have 'Daily Mile' running sessions on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Spellings

The current spelling lists for term 5 are still on Google Classroom in the 'classwork' section. Next week's test will be a recap of the spelling rules learnt this term. We will give out new lists for term 5.

Reading

All Year 5 -Please ensure that your child brings their reading record to school every week – it is essential that we can see the current level and amount of your child's reading. Please update regularly with home reading.

PHSE

Our topic this term has been 'Healthy Me.' This week and next, we will be focusing on self-confidence, body image and healthy lifestyles, including the risks from smoking and drinking alcohol. We will continue this early next term, including looking at the role food plays in people's lives, healthy food choices and diet.

Cancelled residential trip

If you are entitled to a refund for the cancelled residential trip, a cheque will be sent home with your child this week. We will look for opportunities for the children to experience some off-site activities in term 6.

Year 6

PE

Puffins – Mondays

Penguins – Thursdays

Pelicans – Thursdays

Year 6 will also have 'Daily Mile' running sessions on Wednesdays and Fridays

Cancelled residential trip

If you are entitled to a refund for the cancelled residential trip, a cheque will be sent home with your child this week. We will look for opportunities for the children to experience some off-site activities in term 6.