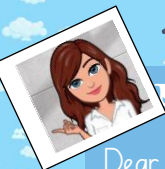


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MRS MANNING'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents,

What an exciting and action-packed week we've had here at school! This week, we fully immersed ourselves in **STEM Week**, and as part of our celebrations, we also joined in the nationwide festivities of **British Science Week 2025**. It's been a week filled with exploration, learning, and hands-on experiences that have sparked curiosity in our students like never before! Over the course of the week, the children have had the opportunity to engage with a range of stimulating activities, including fun demonstrations in assembly, listening to a number of expert speakers and conducting their own scientific investigations.

It has been incredible to see the level of engagement and curiosity from all of our pupils. They've not only been learning, but also thinking creatively, solving problems, and collaborating with their peers – skills that will serve them well as they continue their educational journey.

Year 5 & 6 Career Fair:

Today, we held our bi-annual Year 5 and 6 Careers Fair, and what an inspiring and educational event it was! It was wonderful to see so many parents and carers join us at school to accompany their children as they explored a variety of career paths and learned from professionals in a wide range of industries. Throughout the afternoon, pupils had the opportunity to hear from a fantastic lineup of professionals who shared their experiences and insights into their particular job roles. From the Hereford Fire Service to Beefy Boys and Barclays Bank, we had an exciting array of career options for our students to explore. A special thank you to all of our volunteers.



ATTENDANCE



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| EYFS | 93% |
| Year 1 | 98% |
| Year 2 | 96% |
| Year 3 | 96% |
| Year 4 | 96% |
| Year 5 | 98% |
| Year 6 | 95% |
| Whole school | 96% |

HOUSE POINTS

Raglan 363

Ludlow 304

Goodrich 344

Chepstow 524

NEWS AND UPDATES:

In English Reception listened to the story 'Handa's Surprise' which linked nicely to their learning about Kenya. They then tasted some of the fruits that were in the story including pineapple, passion fruit, mango and avocado. They were very brave and willing to try new flavours. They also enjoyed playing together outside in the sunshine and building with the crates, planks and tyres in the junk yard.



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NEWS AND UPDATES: Reading Assemblies

To celebrate International Women's Day on the 8th March, I read a book about Mary Anning from the Little People, Big Dreams series. The children could talk really sensibly about how women were treated unfairly in the past and how all members of Team Trinity are equally important. The children loved reading about Mary Anning's passion for finding fossils. When asked to describe her, the children used some amazing adjectives such as "ambitious" and "determined". This story also links well to our STEM week. (Mrs Culley, Year 2)



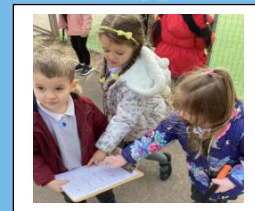
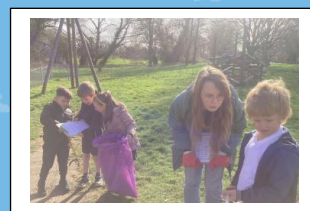
This week in my reading assembly, I celebrated International Women's Day by sharing the inspiring story of Malala's Magic Pencil, written by Malala Yousafzai.

This beautifully illustrated book tells the true story of Malala, a young girl who dreamed of making the world a better place with the power of her words. She wished for a magic pencil to change things around her – until she discovered that her own voice was the most powerful tool of all. This is a wonderful opportunity for children to reflect on their own hopes and dreams and to see how small actions can make a big difference. (Mrs Sampson, Year 6)



NEWS AND UPDATES:

This week, our fantastic Year 1 pupils headed over to the park to take part in a litter pick organised by Rosy, one of our parents, who is a fundraiser for the Marine Conservation Society. The children learned all about our local environment, the different types of litter found and the impact it has. They also gathered data on the different types of litter found in the area surrounding our school, which will be submitted to the Conservation Society.



This week at Trinity, to coincide with British Science Week, we have been holding our very own STEM Week 2025, celebrating all things science, technology, engineering and maths. Across the school, children have been taking part in a range of exciting and intriguing practical experiments, assemblies and talks. Years R, 1 and 2 learnt all about absorbency with their colourful 'Walking Water' experiment, whilst Years 3 to 6 took part in a group challenge where they needed to create a self-supporting structure using just 3 cups and 3 skewers. We were also fortunate enough to be joined by a range of professionals – most of them parents and part of the Team Trinity community – who work in the STEM industry. Rosy, from the Marine Conservation Society, came to see Year 1, where she led a litter pick in the surrounding area, whilst Dr Randman, from Special Metals Wiggan, visited Year 2 to talk all about metal (they even got to try on some protective clothing). In Year 3, David, an engineer who works for Loadmac, came to talk to the children about engineering and forklift trucks, whilst Year 4 were treated to a fascinating talk on cyber security from consultant Harry. Years 5 and 6 were lucky enough to have a visit from engineers who work at the local Cadbury site at Marlbrook, who spoke about the chocolate making process and their careers in engineering. They also very kindly brought in some chocolate for the children! A huge thank you to all our visitors for giving up their time – the children were fascinated by what you had to say. Well done to everybody across the whole school – absolutely brilliant engagement from Team Trinity.

