

# TELFORD INFANT SCHOOL



## NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents and Carers,  
On the final day of a very 'unexpected' Spring term the school is well and truly back to its old self with lots of learning, excited children some rather tired staff! We are so grateful that we can now all be back together in school and that the rates of COVID are continuing to decrease. Although restrictions will remain when we return for the Summer term we know this is to keep the community safe and we will make the very best of the circumstances we find ourselves in.

Wishing you a peaceful and happy Eastertime. I do hope that the sun shines and that you will be able to spend some time with family and friends in a safe way after such a long time apart.

Best wishes,  
Mrs Siân Oustayiannis – Headteacher



Parent Teacher Association

### EASTER RAFFLE

A huge thank you to our PTA for organising the Easter Raffle and for everyone who has donated a prize and bought tickets.

The raffle will be drawn later today and a member of the PTA will be in touch with the winners within the next few days to arrange collection/delivery of prizes.

Good Luck, Everyone!

## 1st April 2021



### CONTACT TRACING DURING THE EASTER HOLIDAYS

The DfE has asked schools to undertake contact tracing for 6 days at the start of the Easter holidays, Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> to Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> April.

The school admin email will be checked for COVID-19 related messages up to and including Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> April and if needed staff responsible will assist in identifying close contacts and advising self-isolation, under the direction of Public Health England.

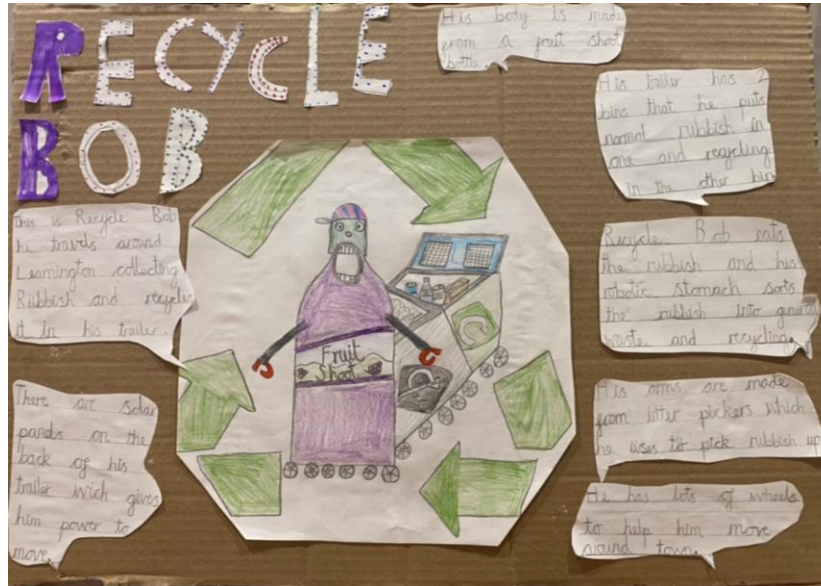
Parents and carers only need to inform the school of a positive case where their child developed symptoms within 48 hours of last being in school. Should this be the case please alert us **via email** [admin2326@welearn365.com](mailto:admin2326@welearn365.com)

If your child is unable to attend school for any reason on the first day of the new term on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April. Please contact us by phone first thing on that day.

The school answerphone will **not** be monitored during the Easter break. The school office will go back to normal hours - manned between 8am and 4pm - from Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April.

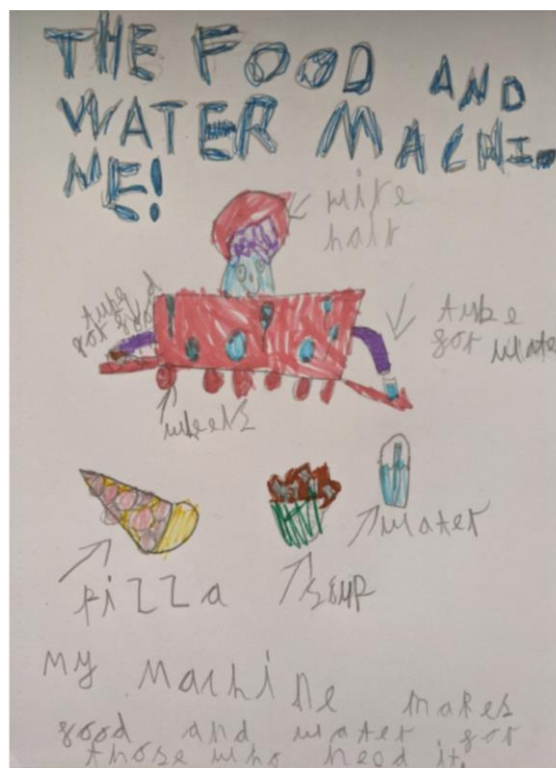
## SCIENCE POSTER COMPETITION WINNERS

Year 2 Winner (and also cluster winner) – Poppy – Sapphire



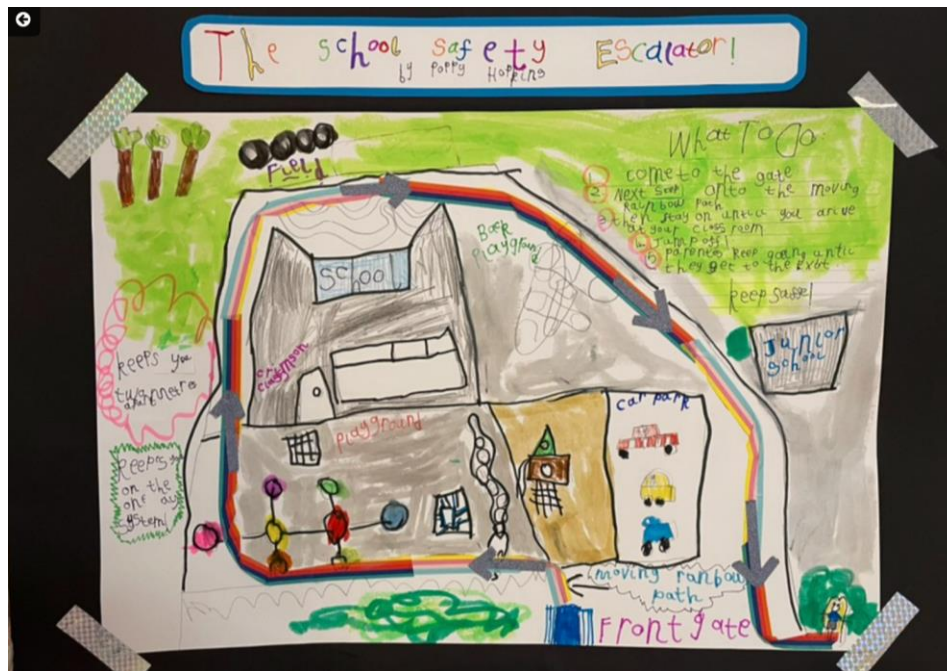
Poppy has thought of a fantastic innovation for the future. A robot called Bob who cleans the streets and sorts the rubbish into general waste and recycling. Poppy has used recyclable materials to design her robot and recycled materials (paper and a cardboard box) to make her poster.

Year 1 winner – Mya – Sunshine



Mya's innovation for the future is a machine that makes food and water for people that don't have any. It has wheels so that it can get anywhere and all sorts of yummy things coming out of its tubes.

Reception Winner (and also cluster winner) – Poppy - Crimson



Poppy's innovation for the future is a moving rainbow path which moves around the school to keep everyone on the one-way system. Once you get on (at the front gate), you stick to the path so that you can't get too close to anyone. When you get to your classroom door, you can press a button and it unsticks you so that you can go in. Parents have to stay on all the way until they get to the exit.

These posters will now be entered in the National British Science Week Poster Competition! Thank you to everyone who entered the competition – the judges really enjoyed looking at your marvelous inventions!

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**WARWICKSHIRE RECYCLES & SCHOOL HEALTH NEWSLETTERS**

To read the Warwickshire Recycles Newsletter and the latest Newsletter from School Health, please click the link below.

[https://www.telford-inf.warwickshire.sch.uk/web/whole\\_school\\_letters/316014](https://www.telford-inf.warwickshire.sch.uk/web/whole_school_letters/316014)

The Newsletter includes some great eco Easter activities for children to do over the holidays

**FAMILIES WARWICKSHIRE MAGAZINE**

The link below will take you to the latest digital issue of Families Warwickshire magazine.

[https://issuu.com/familiesonline/docs/families\\_warwickshire\\_ma21?fr=sOWYyYzMzMDIOMzI](https://issuu.com/familiesonline/docs/families_warwickshire_ma21?fr=sOWYyYzMzMDIOMzI)



## **DIARY DATES**

Summer term events are being planned based on current COVID-19 restrictions and will be finalised and shared with parents early in the Summer term. We really hope that we can do some of the things we have missed so much over the past year!

### **TERM DATES: ALL DATES ARE INCLUSIVE**

#### **2020-2021**

##### Summer Term 2021

Term Starts: Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April

Bank Holiday (closed): Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

Half Term: Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May - Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June

School is open on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June (no INSET day)

Term Ends: Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July

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#### **2021-2022**

##### Autumn Term 2021

Teacher Training Days (School closed to pupils): Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September and Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September

Term Starts: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September

Half Term: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October

Term Ends: Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December

##### Spring Term 2022

Teacher Training Day (School closed to pupils): Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January

Term Starts: Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January

Half Term: Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February - Friday 25<sup>th</sup> February

Teacher Training Day (School closed to pupils): Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February

Term Ends: Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April

##### Summer Term 2022

Term Starts: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April

Bank Holiday (School closed): Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

Half Term: Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

Teacher Training Day (School closed to pupils): Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June

Term Ends: Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July