

2015 – 2016 Year Planner

September 2015

Organic September

Could your school go organic for the month?

7th-10th British Science Festival



It's **Textile Time!** Book a **Science into Schools** collection and bag some cool new science gear

October

Walk to School Month

4th World Animal Day



BTO
Looking out for birds

Get involved in the Pod's BTO campaign **What's Under Your Feet? Investigation One**

November

Energy Month: Learn about energy issues and how to save it



jointhepod.org/energymonth

Include a **Switch-Off Fortnight** in your campaign - run an energy saving audit

16th-20th Anti Bullying Week 2015

December

30th Nov- 11th Dec UN Climate Change Conference - have your say and find out more at action2015.org

Learn about our changing climate with our **Degrees of Change activity**



Sign up early for **Waste Week** next term

January 2016

4th-12th Feb Take part in the **Big Schools' Birdwatch**. Why not combine it with the Pod's **Bug Hunt lesson plan**?

Make a new year's resolution to help your community with **Helping Hands**. jointhepod.org/helpinghands



February

2nd World Wetlands Day

Join the Pod's BTO campaign **What's Under Your Feet? Investigation Two**

13th-20th National Nest Box Week

Book a **Science into Schools** collection ready for **Waste Week**.



March

Waste Week: Use the Pod's activities and resources to encourage students to reduce, reuse and recycle:

jointhepod.org/wasteweek

11th- 20th British Science Week

22nd World Water Day



April

Celebrate the new season with the Pod's **Spring lesson plan**

11th-17th National Gardening Week

Learn how to make a bottle garden with the Pod's **Bottle Gardening quick activity**



May



2nd-8th Compost Awareness Week

Learn about composting with **Will the Worm**.

16th-20th Walk To School Week

22th International Day for Biological Diversity

June

1st-7th National Volunteers Week Raise the profile of your **Helping Hands** team

It's time for **What's Under Your Feet? Investigation Three**

15th Global Wind Day

20th-26th Recycle Week



July

Sign up early for **Energy Month** at the Pod and request your free campaign pack

4th-8th Oxfam Water Week Find out how to save water with our **Flushed with Success activity**



August

Summer holidays!

Find quick activities, take it home worksheets, bug hunts and more on the Pod to send home with students or to use in holiday clubs over the summer

