



This week, our school came together in a meaningful and poignant observance of Armistice Day. It was a day of reflection, gratitude, and remembrance, where our students demonstrated exceptional respect and understanding.

Our Year 5 and 6 pupils joined the senior school in a moving Armistice Day service. It was inspiring to witness their solemn participation, reflecting a deep understanding of the historical significance of this day. The respect they showed for those who have fought and died in conflicts past, and present was truly commendable.

On the primary school playground, the rest of our students gathered to pause and give thanks. It was a moving moment as our young learners, paid tribute to the brave individuals who have made sacrifices for the cause of peace. The atmosphere was one of unity and shared gratitude, fostering a sense of community and shared history.

In addition to our Armistice Day observance, we are also looking forward to the excitement of the Autumn Lights display tonight. It will be a fantastic event bringing joy and wonder to our school community. We hope all families have a lovely weekend and enjoy any firework displays they attend.





Below is a picture of our primary pupils, observing a two-minute silence together as a community.



Reception to Year 4 held a 2-minute silence for Remembrance Day whilst Year 5 & 6 joined the Senior School for theirs

Attendance – Week Commencing Monday 6th November 2023

Week Beginning 6th November 2023																				
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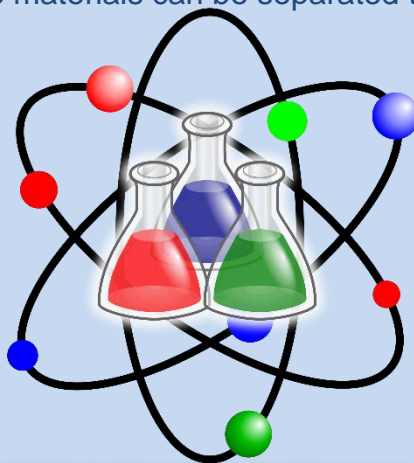


This week's cost of living tips, [CLICK](#) here



Leila and Aryan took the opportunity to showcase their passion for learning and their dedication to going above and beyond. Their projects were a masterpiece of creativity, blending art, science, and research seamlessly to portray the enchanting world beneath the ocean's surface.

Year 5 had a wonderful afternoon starting our Alchemy Island topic, exploring the properties of solids, liquids, and gases. They explored how to make potions, identified acids and alkalis and discussed how some materials can be separated through filtering.



Lost Property

Please could we ask Parents/Carers to check school coats over the weekend to ensure that your child has come home with the correctly named coat.

Could we also ask that uniform is clearly labelled and to avoid using initials. The full name of the child is preferable.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.



Children in Need

Pupils are invited to wear something spotty on Friday 17th November.

Donations can be made via school gateway

Please see this week's sign

Makaton sign of the week.



Fire



Fire



#WeTalkMakaton

Diary

- Tuesday 14th November – Yr 1 Teddy Bear Day
- Thursday 16th November – Yr 3 Greek Day
- Thursday 16th November – Yr 6 Themed Lunch
- Friday 17th November – Children In Need Day
- Friday 17th November – St Barts Choir Singing Day 6:00pm

Sports Fixtures

- Wednesday 15th Nov U9 Football v Yarlet (A)
- Thursday 16th Nov YR 4 Netball v Tettenhall College



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<https://theroyalschool.ovw9.devwebsite.co.uk/boarding-wolverhampton-west-midlands/staff-vacancies>

Parent ICT WORKSHOP

Positive Online Behaviours

Discuss the current risks and harms.
Cut down on online risks to your child.

Who could be involved in online issues?

Do children hide online issues from parents?
How to have open conversations with them..

How to support your child being an independent
learner online.

How to report harmful behaviour online and who
to contact..

The impact of technology on children's mental
health.

**Wednesday 6th
December
09:00 AM
Primary Hall**

 **More Information**
link to booking form



Please book your tickets by clicking the following [LINK](#) here. Scan the QR code below for useful tips on how to keep children safe online.



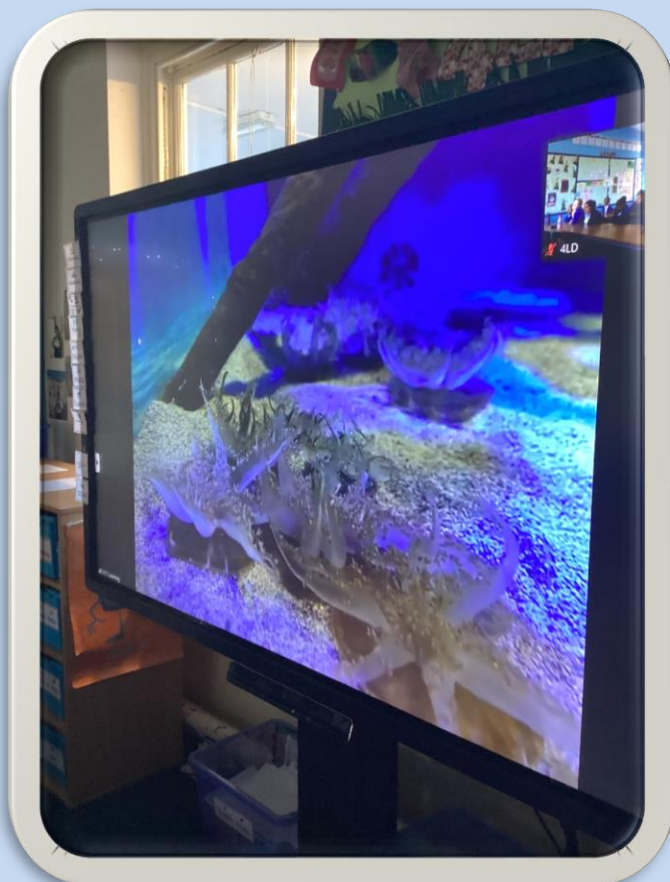
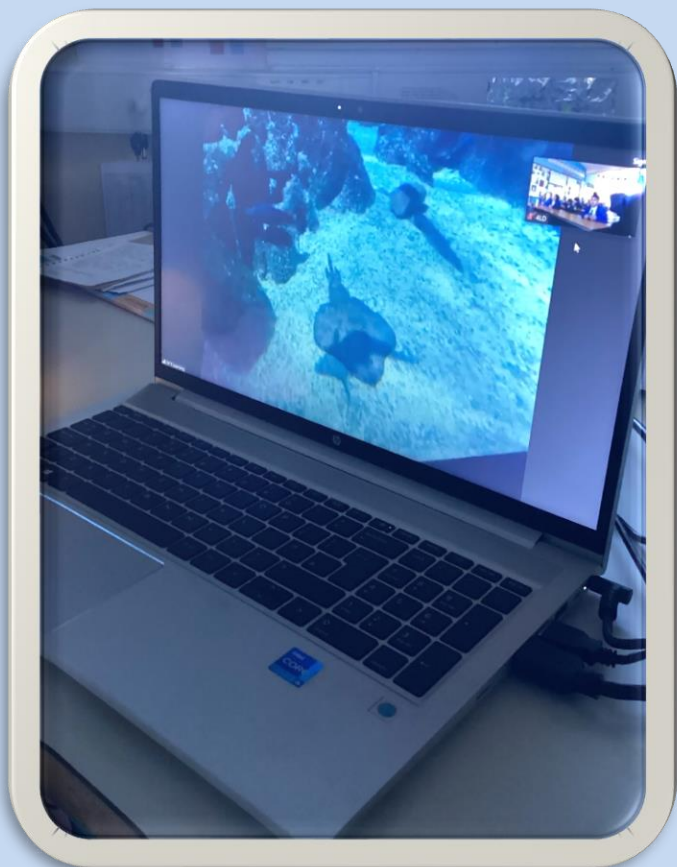
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Guides on how to help keep
your children safe online

Year 1 Autumn Walk.

On Monday, Year 1 were very excited to explore the new Royal School Woodland Area for our first 'Autumn Walk'. Before we went outside, we spoke about what Autumn is and the different things we could find on an Autumn Walk. We got wrapped up warm, headed outside and started to explore. We loved looking around the new woodland area and had a lot of fun!



Year 4 had an exciting start to their new topic, 'Blue Abyss'. The children engaged with an online aquarium tour of the National Marine Aquarium in Plymouth, allowing them to virtually explore the range of marine life and habitats. Students were also given the opportunity to ask questions and do an observational drawing of the coral reef. A great time was had by all!



Has your hot water bottle expired?

Did you know rubber deteriorates over time and old hot water bottles can break and cause serious burns? Check your hot water bottle for signs of wear and tear and **not use one if it's more than two years old.**


Link: [Hot water bottle safety: Preventing burns and scalds \(capt.org.uk\)](https://www.capt.org.uk/hot-water-bottle-safety-preventing-burns-and-scalds)

Safe from burns

“Everyone in the burns unit was there because of an accident. In a split second their whole life changed.”

Mum of little boy burned by a hot drink


A small child's skin burns really easily as it's so thin. Here's how to prevent serious burns:

 **Hot drinks** – can stay hot enough to scald even after 15 minutes. 8 to 18 month-olds are most vulnerable as they love to grab.


- Watch out for fast little fingers when you're making a hot drink. Push your mug to the back of the worktop before you reach for the milk
- Look for out-of-reach safe spots to put your hot drink down
- Make it a habit to put your child down before you pick up your drink.

 **Hair straighteners** – can get as hot as your iron and can still burn 15 minutes after they are switched off.

- Keep hot hair straighteners and wands out of reach
- Put them in a heat-proof pouch or on a high shelf to cool.


 **Button batteries** – if a child swallows a button battery and it gets stuck, it can burn a hole and cause internal bleeding and even death.

- Keep any loose batteries out of reach and dispose of 'flat' batteries quickly and safely
- Keep objects with easy to access button batteries out of reach.

 **Magnetic toys** – high-strength magnets in toys can rip through the gut if your child swallows them.

- Buy from a reputable retailer or a brand name you know. Avoid online marketplaces.



 **Cooking** – young children won't always pull away from something that's burning them. They may forget the rules about not touching hot things.

- Push kettles to the back of the worktop and use the back rings of the cooker first
- If you're able to, keep children away from the kitchen when you're cooking. Or try to keep them in a highchair and away from the cooker if not.

 **Bath water** – these scalds are really nasty and can happen in seconds.

- Put cold water in first then top up with hot.
- Test the temperature of the water with your elbow before putting your child into the bath
- Stay with your child in the bathroom in case they fiddle with the hot tap.

 **Staying warm**

- Move cots away from radiators. Then your baby can't get their arm or leg trapped against the heat
- Fit fireguards around fires and heaters
- Check your hot water bottle for wear and tear. Replace every two years.

After a hugely successful October Half Term Camp, STRiVE will be returning to offer some Christmas creativity and fun.

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CHRISTMAS
CREATIVE Break

8am - 4pm

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As we approach the weekend, our hearts are filled with warmth and excitement as we prepare to celebrate the Festival of Lights – Diwali. This is a time of joy, togetherness, and the triumph of light over darkness. We extend our heartfelt wishes to all the families in our school who are celebrating this special occasion.

