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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am excited to inform you that this year, we will be celebrating British Science Week during the week commencing 10th March. The theme for this year is 'Change and Adapt', which promises to inspire our children to think creatively about the world around them.

To mark this occasion, we will be holding a Science Fair on **Wednesday, 12th March**. We encourage all children to participate by creating their own science-themed projects at home. This is a fantastic opportunity for your child to engage with science. We suggest this could be a wonderful project to undertake together with your child during the half-term break, making it a shared and enjoyable experience for the whole family.

Projects could align with the theme of 'Change and Adapt', which can inspire a myriad of ideas – from exploring environmental changes and adaptations of wildlife to investigating how technology has changed our lives. Or perhaps exploring concepts they have learned this year or even something from the previous academic year. (See below for information on their science learning this year and the previous academic year).

We welcome entries in various formats; whether it's a hands-on experiment, a creative model, a poster presentation, or even a demonstration, every contribution is valuable. It is important that whatever project your child chooses, they are able to safely transport it into school on the morning of **Wednesday, 12th March**.

The Science Fair will be open for viewing in the hall between **3.30 and 4.30 that afternoon**. During this time, families will have the chance to admire the creativity of all participants and cast their vote for their favourite project in each year group. One winner will be chosen from each year, making it a great way to encourage and recognise your child's efforts.

Thank you for your continued support, and we hope that you and your child enjoy this opportunity to celebrate science together!

Warm regards,

Miss T Boucher

Science leader

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| Previous year science learning: | EYFS – The natural world, seasonal changes, the weather and plants |
| Taught already this year: | Animals – habitats, classification and features of birds, reptiles, mammals, amphibians and fish. Humans – parts of the body and senses Materials and their properties – inclusive of glass, wood, metal, plastic, fabric and rubber |

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