

# TWERTON INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2022



*Tom Ellis, Miles Reid and Ruaridh McConnachie from Bath Rugby joined Robyn, Poppy, Lucas, Joseph and Jack to plant a tree to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.*

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# Dear Parents and Carers

## Easter Competitions 2022

In the run up to Easter this year, we are running three creative competitions for children to work on at home, possibly with a little help from other members of the family.

**Reception** – Decorate an egg (*preferably hard-boiled*);

**Year 1** – Decorate a hat;

**Year 2** – Make a miniature spring or Easter garden.



Completed entries can be brought into school from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April (two weeks).

**Closing date for entries: Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April**

There will be a prize for the winners in each category of a £10 Book Voucher, which can be used at most Booksellers, including Harry's on Moorland Road. There will also be Runners Up prizes on each category.

The winners will be announced on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April** and published on our Facebook page.

Due to the high number of cases of COVID in the community, we will not be holding an Easter Celebration together with parents.

We hope that we will be able to welcome back parents to join Class Assemblies in the summer term.



## Parents Evening Next Term

Next month, teachers will be available to meet with parents after school on two occasions. This is an important time to meet to discuss the progress your child is making and the ongoing support both in school and at home that will you're your child to thrive.

On the first evening, **Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April**, we will offer the opportunity for parents to come in to school to meet with their child's teacher in the classroom.

On the second evening, **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May**, the meetings will be online using MS Teams, as we did in October, which will require a smart device (smartphone, iPad, tablet, laptop). This may be easier for some parents to attend as they can do so from home.

- **Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April – In school Parent Consultation Evening**
- **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – Online Parent Consultations**

Please use our quick survey, please indicate which afternoon and a time-slot that you will be available to meet with your child's teacher.

Click this link to begin: <https://forms.office.com/r/XtQZeMf3T3>

## Parent Governor Vacancy

There is currently one **vacancy** on our governing body for a **parent governor**. We have two parent governors, Damien Sawyer and Hannah Sell, but would like to recruit a third parent.

**GET  
INVOLVED!**

Parent governors provide a vital perspective on how the school is working. You do not need to have any specific qualifications or

experience to join the board of governors, just an interest in the school and desire to make sure it is working as well as it possibly can.

If you would like to find out more, please tell Mr Samios, Mrs Langan or child's teacher.

## Volunteers Wanted to Support Reading

We are still very keen to recruit a number of parent volunteers to support children with reading in the afternoons across the school. This is something that has not happened over the last 2 years and we have really missed it. If you can spare an hour or two, once a week, please do let us know.



Either tell your child's teacher, Mr Samios or Mrs Langan.

**Please help if you can.**

**Spending time listening to a young child to read is one of the most important things you can do to help them now and in the future.**

## Have you ever wanted to a (Volunteer) Librarian?

In which case, you're in luck. We have an opportunity for a parent (or two) to help to keep our library in good order. This will involve keeping our books organised and adding new books to the collection.

This could be a commitment of as little as 30 minutes a week. **Please get in contact if you think you could help.** Thanks.



# Key Dates

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- Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April** – **Closing Date for Easter Competitions**
  - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April** – **End of Term 4 – Early Collection 1:15pm**
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- Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April** – **Start of Term 5**
  - Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April** – **Parents Evening #1 – IN SCHOOL**
  - Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May** – **Parents Evening #2 - ONLINE**
  - Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May** – **End of Term 5**
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You can see the dates for the full academic year on the school website: <https://twertoninfant.school/dates/>

The dates for the next academic year, 2022-23, have been agreed by Governors. <https://twertoninfant.files.wordpress.com/2022/02/2022-23-term-dates.pdf>

## School calendar 2022/23

Bath & North East  
Somerset Council  
Improving People's Lives



August 2022							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
31	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
32	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
33	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
34	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
35	29	30	31				

September 2022							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
35				1	2	3	4
36	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
37	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
38	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
39	26	27	28	29	30		

October 2022							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
39						1	2
40	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
41	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
42	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
43	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
44	31						

November 2022							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
44		1	2	3	4	5	6
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46	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
47	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
48	28	29	30				

December 2022							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
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52	26	27	28	29	30	31	

January 2023							
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February 2023							
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March 2023							
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April 2023							
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May 2023							
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June 2023							
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July 2023							
Wk	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
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Key 1 school day 2 weekend 3 school holiday 4 bank holiday 5 INSET day

**Please contact the school if your child is unwell and cannot attend school.**

You can send us an SMS message to: **07786 201170**

School telephone numbers: **(01225) 423526 & 314745**