

RIVERBRIDGE REVIEW

Autumn Term

Week 7

20th October 2023

'Patience is a virtue' is an old proverb that many Riverbridge families may already be aware of. Patience is certainly something that children need to understand and recognise as things don't always happen when we want them to.

For parents and carers there is always a degree of patience required at the beginning and the end of the day – particularly around driving to school and parking around the school site. This week I had a lengthy conversation with a parent from our neighbouring school who recounted an incident which occured towards the end of Park Avenue where she was verbally abused. Obviously, this could have been a parent from either Our Lady of the Rosary or Riverbridge or indeed a resident of the road. Either way, being aggressive and abusive is not an effective way to communicate. I advised the parent to share her concern with the police and I am sure that I will hear more of this over or after the half term.

Parents were certainly patient on Thursday at Park Avenue as there was a delay in opening the gates at the end of the day. This would have caused frustrations no doubt so thank you for your understanding here. This can happen from time to time especially when staff are ill or redeployed and we are sorry for the inconvenience.

Another need for patience is when picking up from the classroom doors on both sites. Class teachers will recognise the vast majority of parents and carers quite quickly but there are times when the password list needs to be referred to. The class teacher has a responsibility in this instance to do this job carefully and accurately. The priority is not to do this so quickly that mistakes are made. I am sure that all parents, carers and extended families will understand the safeguarding implications here.



1L's close encounter with a shark







Being Active - One of Our 8 Great Ways Of Being Our Best

The PTA have worked hard to help fund The Blue House

Today has been a positive day of celebration. The gold leaves were shared as normal as well as this half term's Being Our Best Awards. The children can be rightly proud of their efforts and I hope everyone enjoys reading the reasons for the awards that are attached to this week's Review.

As we are reaching the end of the half term – we are saying goodbye to a number of children who are leaving to attend school's elsewhere. We wish them well. We are also welcoming Miss Osborne who has joined the team at KGB. We are sure she will settle in quickly and have a positive impact on the Riverbridge community.

Please remember that the first day after half term is an Inset Day. The children return to school on **Tuesday 31st October 2023**. We look forward to seeing you all then.

Dropping children to school

Please can we remind parents that children should be dropped at the school gate at Knowle Green and Park Avenue unless you have a very specific reason to go to the classroom door. Building the children's independence is an important life skill that we are encouraging with this process as well as ensuring teachers are able to focus on welcoming the children to class and starting the school day.

Annual Parental Survey

If you haven't already, please could we ask you to follow this link to share your views of Riverbridge. All feedback will be used to help develop our provision https://forms.gle/ff85dX5ngQuTYrXg6

Learning



The children in Year 1 have enjoyed observing and examining a reallife Tiger Shark jaw in class! The children were very inquisitive and were asking lots of guestions about what animal it belonged to. They then researched Tiger Sharks and created their own fact pages!

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Football

Following the recent football trials for Years 5 and 6, we are pleased to announce an A and B team for both girls and boys to represent Riverbridge in Spelthorne events. The selected children will have the opportunity to play against local primary schools in the borough. If your child has been chosen to be in one of these teams you will receive separate correspondence from the office after half term.

Training will take place at Wednesday lunchtime for the boys' A and B teams and Thursday lunchtime for the girls' A and B teams. Please ensure that the children bring the correct kit to school on this day after half term, including trainers or moulds and shin pads.

We are lucky enough to now take part in intra-trust competitions for a range of sports, therefore, there will be other opportunities for a range of children and year groups to represent Riverbridge.

We would like to remind children and parents that team selection is dependent on green behaviour being shown both at school and whilst representing Riverbridge.

Stay, Play & Learn Sessions

During the week of the 20th November we would like to invite parents to come into the Nursery to participate with your child's learning and activities. Unfortunately, due to space in the Nursery, we are only able to invite one parent per child and kindly ask you to make alternative childcare arrangements for siblings.

These sessions are a great way for you to spend some time experiencing how your child is learning in the Nursery and for you to join in with some fun activities. Dates do book up quickly so please sign up as soon as possible using one of the Eventbrite links that were emailed this week.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact any of the nursery team. We look forward to welcoming you into the Nursery soon. We will be holding more sessions in the summer term.

Stay, Play & Learn Sessions

On Monday 13th, Tuesday 14th and Wednesday 15th November we are inviting parents and carers to join us for Stay, Play and Learn sessions. This is an opportunity for you to experience a morning in Reception. As we have limited space in our classrooms we can only accommodate one parent/carer for each child and a maximum of 10 people a day. If you haven't already, please sign up using one of the Eventbrite links that were emailed earlier in the week.

Stay & Learn Sessions

Family Learning in Year 1 is a great opportunity for a member of the family to come in and experience a lesson in their child's classroom. You will get the opportunity to watch a carpet time session before engaging in a range of activities with your child. These activities are aimed at supporting your child with

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Year 5 & 6

Year 1

Reception

their phonics knowledge and applying this in their reading. As always, we ask only one parent/carer for each child to attend. If you haven't already, please sign up using one of the Eventbrite links that were emailed earlier in the week. We look forward to welcoming you into our classrooms, The Year One team.

Scouts and Girlguiding – Remembrance Day

On Friday 10th November for Remembrance Day, children are welcome to come to school in their Beavers, Rainbows, Cubs, Brownies, Scouts or Guides uniforms if they'd like to.

New Menus

Attached to the newsletter are our catering company AIP's new menus for the children who order school dinners to choose from for next term. If your child has a special diet menu, this will be sent to you separately.

From Monday the 30th October you will be able to pre order school dinner choices with your child. please login to your Scopay account, before you make your selection funds will need to be prepaid. The daily cost of a school meal is £2.75 per day, £13.75 per week, and £99 for the second half of the Autumn term. You are welcome to upload payment for the whole half term if you wish.

If your child would like to move from packed lunch to school dinners, please complete the form found on our website under the Parents Section and Online Forms or via the link here.

Vacancies

Whole School

Echelford School is recruiting: Your Community Needs You!

Are you friendly, reliable, willing to work outdoors in all weathers and physically fit, to ensure the safety of children and parents? Do you care about your community and have a little time to spare? If the answer is yes, we have the perfect job for you!! Echelford school are recruiting for a school crossing patrol officer. For more information please visit: https://www.eteach.com/job/school-crossing-patrol-officer-1378197

Darley Dene School is recruiting: Are you ambitious and keen to make a difference?

We are seeking to appoint a highly enthusiastic, proactive, flexible and reliable individual for the role of Teaching Assistant. This is an opportunity for an individual who is patient and emotionally resilient to join our friendly, inclusive and inspirational team of teaching and support staff. For more information please visit https://www.eteach.com/job/teaching-assistant-1378206

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Riverbridge PTA is our school's fundraising community. Everyone's welcome to get involved.

Order your child's Christmas card by Tuesday 24th October

Look in book bags this week for details of how to order Christmas cards and other gifts based on your child's design. They make perfect gifts and cards for friends and family this festive season. You can log in directly to the ordering website (www.order.schoolprintworld.co.uk) using the reference and PIN for your child provided on the sample postcard - or scan the QR Code. Each product ordered helps to raise money for Riverbridge. Deadline for orders is midnight on Tuesday 24th October.

Buy your Robin Hood Panto tickets

Robin Hood is this year's fun-filled Riverbridge panto. There will be 2 performances, by professional company Shooting Star Entertainment, at Matthew Arnold School on Sunday 26th November at 11am and 2pm. Tickets are £7.50 per person (2 years old and under free) and there will also be toy and snack stalls available. Buy your tickets now from www.pta-events.co.uk/riverbridge. Family and friends welcome!

Can you help out on panto day?

We need volunteers to help on our toy and refreshments stalls at the Robin Hood Panto on Sunday 26th November. If you can help on the stalls at either the 11am or 2pm shows, please get in touch at pta.riverbridge@lumenlearningtrust.co.uk or select the volunteer option at www.pta-

events.co.uk/riverbridge when ordering your tickets.

Last few sessions available for Autumn family photo shoots

Dont miss out on booking one of the last few sessions left for our Autumn photo shoots with Memory Cake Photography. The fantastic photo shoots for Riverbridge families will take place in Commercial Road Park



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for a booking fee of only £5. After the shoot you will receive a link to an online gallery of images, where you can make a purchase from a range of packages (minimum spend is £45). There are sessions still available on 27th and 29th October and 4th November. To book a shoot for your family, go to <u>www.pta-</u><u>events.co.uk/riverbridge</u>

PTA funds £12,000 of school improvements

Thanks to the fantastic fundraising we achieved as a school community last year, the PTA is delighted to have been able to contribute \pounds 12,000 to the cost of recent school improvements. This includes:

- £4,800 towards the new Blue Room space at KGB
- £5,000 towards the Year 6 outdoor learning area at PAB

• £2,200 to provide each class with £100 for teachers to spend on extra items and resources for their classrooms.

We will also be funding a range of other events, resources and activities for every school year and the nursery over the course of this school year. Thank you to everyone for making this happen!

Stay connected with Riverbridge PTA on Facebook at

www.facebook.com/groups/RiverbridgePrimarySchoolPTA or get in touch at pta.riverbridge@lumenlearningtrust.co.uk

Gold Leaves

Whole School

Today's assemblies were an enjoyable opportunity to once again celebrate the positive choices that have been made by the children this week. I continue to be impressed with the clarity with which they are able to explain their learning and the reasons for getting to gold.

Well done to everyone below and keep it up!

Zachary D	Alfie W	Maryam P
Kenzie R	Lenny S	Remi C
Sofia S	Vedha VB	Jude M
Jake H	Matthias B	Rico CS
Dexter P	Avyan B	Advik M
Elena N	Max F	Elsie B
Daisy L	Romilly O	Alex F
Tomasz J	Hinal K	Martha C
Ollie B	Benjamin SE	João BC
Thomas W	Molly G	Cara O
Leo AJ	Val S	Mimi M
George E	Abbey D	Zachary Y
Harrison SH	Jack B	Thomas D
Ahmad R	Fawz A	Amira A
Darko M	Ishaani J	Chloe S
Reece D	Mason M	Alvina A
Maahi D	Elliot J	Juno C
Kai R	Jasmine F	Darcey A

Rainbow Awards

Very well done to the children in Hedgehogs and Rabbits for their efforts this week.

All the children in Nursery can be proud of themselves for having such a positive half term. I look forward to more of the same when we return after the holidays.

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House Competition

Whole School

The three assemblies today were longer than normal. Not only were there gold leaves to share but also the Being Our Best Awards for this half term. This has been mentioned above and the children's names and the reasons for the award are an attachment to this week's Review.

The Being Our Best Cup has been awarded today also and the first winners of the year were Air House with 17 points. Water came second with 13 points and Fire were third with 12 points. Well done to everyone in Air House

The updated scores are included below:



Oracy Project – Question of the Week!

This week's 'Question of the Week' is...

Oracy Project – Question of the Week!

This week's talk question is:

What fictional world or place would you like to visit and why?

I hope you all have a restful and enjoyable half term holiday.

We look forward to seeing you when school opens again on **Tuesday 31st October 2023**.

Paul Grimwood

Headteacher

Dates for the diary...

Autumn Term 2023		
Mon 23 rd Oct – Fri 27 th Oct 2023	Autumn Half Term	
Mon 30 th October	Inset day 3	
Tues 31 st October	Children return to school	
Tues 31 st October	Deadline to complete the e-consent for the Nasal Flu Immunisation Reception – Year 6 <u>a</u> link to the letter can be found here	
Mon 6 th November	Nasal Flu Immunisation Reception – Year 6	
Tues 7 th November	Nasal Flu Immunisation Reception – Year 6	
Tues 7 th November	Boys football match details to follow	
Weds 8 th November	Volunteers Safeguarding Training Session	
Thurs 9 th November	Prospective Reception 2024 intake Open	

Whole School

Fri 10th November

Mon 13th – Weds 15th November Mon 13th November Mon 13th November

Weds 15th November Thurs 16th November

Fri 17th November

Mon 20th – Fri 24th November Tues 21st November

Fri 24th November

Sun 26th November Mon 27th – Tues 28th November Tues 28th November

Tues 28th November

Weds 29th November

Tues 19th December

Tues 19th December

Morning – booking required please click here

Children are welcome to wear scouting or guiding uniform for Remembrance Day

Reception Stay, Play & Learn sessions

Girls football match details to follow

Individual and sibling school photos – more details to follow

Children in Need – wear a spotty item

Individual and Sibling School Photos – more details to follow

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Nursery Stay, Play & Learn sessions

Freshwater Theatre visit – Year 2 more details to follow

Boys football match details to follow

PTA pantomine

Year 1 Stay & Learn sessions

Individual and Sibling School Photos – more details to follow

Verulamium Trip- Year 4 - <u>link to the letter</u> <u>can be found here</u>

Butser Farm Trip - Year 3 link to the letter can be found here

End of term for children: 1.20pm KGB, 1.30pm PAB, 1.40pm Nursery

No After School Club

Christmas Holidays

Spring Term 2024

Thurs 4 th January	Children return to school
Mon 12 th Feb – Fri 16 th Feb 2024	Spring Half Term
Mon 19 th February	Children return to school
Fri 8 th March – Sun 10 th March	Bowles Residential – Year 5 <u>link to the letter</u> can be found here
Thurs 28 th March	End of term for children: 1.20pm KGB, 1.30pm PAB, 1.40pm Nursery
Thurs 28 th March	No After School Club
Fri 29 th March – Fri 12 th April 2024	Easter Holidays
Summer Ter	m 2024
Mon 15 th April	Children return to school

Mon 27th May – Fri 31st May 2024

Weds 20th Dec – Weds 3rd Jan 2024

Summer Half Term

Mon 3rd JuneChildren return to schoolFri 19th JulyEnd of term for children: 1.20pm KGB,
1.30pm PAB, 1.40pm NurseryFri 19th JulyNo After School ClubMon 22nd JulyInset day 4Tues 23rd JulyInset day 5

Being (Dur Best Awards – Αι	ıtumn 1
Hedgehogs		Rabbits
Savannah F		Lucas L
Connector		Thinker
For great participation during our group le using her language at greater		ge learnt during his previous year at nursery th our weekly topics at greater depths. Bonnie C
Junior H		
Compassionate	an of a many lumion . For almost hairs a	Compassionate
For always being a patient and kind memb is always thoughtful of oth		helpful and caring member of the nursery. The is always helping others.
RD	RM	RTA
Angelina C	Ivan B	Evie H
Thinker	Ambitious	Compassionate
For being an excellent thinker in her learning. Angelina is always contributing during carpet time and is keen to share her ideas.	For being ambitious with his learning. Ivan is keen to share his learning with others and always tries his best.	For being so kind and caring towards her friends within RTA class. She sets a great example to others of how to work together.
Aarav V	Rowan S	Tom M
Independent	Inclusive	Ambitious
For always demonstrating excellent independence in his learning. Aarav is always trying his hardest in the classroom.	For always including others in his play. Rowan will ask others if they want to join him, especially if he is playing with trains.	For engaging so well with each week's learning topics and for using questions to extend his understanding further.
1H	1L	1R
Cristina B	Jimmie R	Bianca U
Thinker	Explorer	Compassionate
For thinking creatively in order to create beautiful and well-thought-out artwork this half term. She should be very proud of the art pieces she has made. Well done!	For exploring the classroom and year one area. Jimmie has been very inquisitive about the environment and making links between different areas!	Bianca is always being a kind friend and is always ready to help others in the classroom with their learning.
Danielle M	Millar C	Ella T
Ambitious	Independent	Ambitious
For working hard to become a resilient and confident learner this half term. She has impressed us all with how ambitious she has been. Well done! 2C	For showing a positive attitude when completing learning tasks and for trying his best to be independent for asking for help! 2G	Ella is always on task with her independent learning and is keen on pushing herself to always complete a challenge. 2S
Jaxon S	Tomasz J	Megan G
Ambitious & Compassionate	Independent	Thinker
For always trying your very best in all of your work and being a kind friend to anyone who needs some extra help. Keep it up!	For demonstrating fantastic independence and focus in your learning. You have a growth mindset.	For sharing her ideas in class discussions with enthusiasm and explaining her opinions. Megan always impresses us with her amazing ideas!
Daisy L	Martha C	David A
Explorer	Ambitious	Ambitious
For always trying to find new ways to solve a problem. Your Maths reasoning is lovely to see. Keep it up! 3BH	For being resilient and ambitious. It is clear that you care about your work and always seek to be your best in the classroom. 3H	For always working hard to challenge himself in different subjects. David aims high and solves problems with real determination. 3P
Ayla M	Erin D	Ava W
Compassionate	Ambitious	Independent
For demonstrating kindness and compassion in all that you do. 3BH are lucky to have you!	For aiming high this half term and showing great resilience, particularly when learning new skills in maths.	Ava, you have approached Year 3 with such a positive attitude! You have been an excellent independent learner, working hard to get yourself out of the learning pit and to become confident in your own abilities.

your own abilities.

Molly RW	Evan C	Jessica F
Ambitious	Connector	Compassionate
For aiming high with all of your learning this half term, especially Maths where you have tried hard to challenge yourself. Well done!	For answering and asking lots of questions and making links between his learning in different topics.	Jessica, you have been a kind, caring an welcoming friend to everyone around you and represent an excellent example of being a compassionate member of our school.
4P	4 T	4VP
Asenat N	Sienna F	Amira A
Active	Active	Connector
For always taking initiative to improve your learning. You are an active learner who thinks for yourself rather than waiting for an adult.	You have approached every subject with enthusiasm and an active desire to succeed, well done.	Asking questions and making links between her learning in different subjects. She also works so well in a group and listens to other people's views.
Miguel D	Joseph W	Yusef A
Ambitious	Ambitious	Ambitious
For always being ready to tackle a new challenge! You may be new to English but that doesn't stop you from trying your very best.	Well done, you have challenged yourself in all aspects of learning this half term. You should feel proud of yourself.	Making a super effort this term to always make a green choice even if nobody else sees.
5G	5R	5W
Ioana K	Mia H	Charlotte S
Compassionate	Connector	Thinker
For your positive attitude towards others. You are so kind to those around you, helping your peers to fully understand their learning.	Mia, well done for being a superb connector. You demonstrate brilliance when working with all members of the class, giving support and encouragement to all. Thank you for always helping create a harmonious atmosphere in 5R.	For always using your thinking skills to be your best! You are always thinking how to show your best work and how you can achieve! Well done!
Leo B	Benji WK	Natalie H
Connector	Thinker	Active
For demonstrating your in depth understanding. You explain your knowledge through making connections.	Benji, you are a brilliant thinker. You are excellent at explaining your thoughts during class discussions. You apply this fantastic understanding to your written work which is great to see! Thank you for being so engaged in your learning.	You are such a brilliant active member of 5W. You actively work to a high standar both by yourself and with others - Wel done!
61	6K	6S
Peter T	Lily R	Partameena A
Thinker	Ambitious	Independent
For thinking deeply about the history that we have covered this term and for your insightful comments in class.	This half term you have shown real determination and resilience to improve. Being ambitious in all of your learning well done!	Wow Partameena, you have approache Year Six with such a positive attitude towards your learning. You always striv to work independently, and your enthusiasm shines through.
Kayana B	Hugo M	Harrison D
Compassionate	Active	Ambitious
Kayana, you are unfailingly forgiving and really look after your friends. In addition, your manners are beautiful.	For always taking an active role in your learning. Every lesson you strive to be your best and share your ideas.	Harrison you have joined Year Six with the mindset of being successful. You ar working independently, sharing with th class, and asking for help when you nee it. Keep it up!





Free Online Cookery Courses and Workshops for Families

Do you want to have fun cooking together with your child? From soups to sweet treats - short courses and workshops delivered online for you to take part in after school with your child.

What will I learn?

- Improve your practical family cooking skills
- Create healthy meals and treats on a budget
- Learn how to make healthier choices and food swaps
- New food ideas and tips for fussy eaters

New Three Week Course

Cooking Ideas for you and your child (ADHD, Autism and Neurodivergent)

For course dates, more information and to book your place please click on <u>this link</u> or scan the QR code



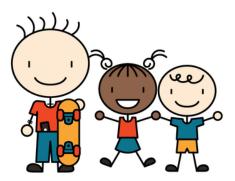


Web: <u>www.surreycc.gov.uk/familylearning</u> Email: family.learning@surreycc.gov.uk Tel: 0300 200 1044





FAMILY LEARNING



Free Courses and Workshops for parents and carers who speak English as an Additional Language (EAL)

Are you new to the UK or did you go to school in another country? These free courses and workshops are delivered online and can help you support your child with school and family life.

What will I learn?

- Understand the education system in England
- How to support your child with schoolwork including reading, phonics, grammar and the language of maths
- Tips on raising bilingual children
- Practise your English language skills

New EAL workshops:

Adapting to Secondary School Let's talk about Life Online How to talk about my Neurodivergent Child

For course dates, more information and to book your place please click on <u>this link</u> or scan the QR code





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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Macaroni Cheese (v)	Pork Sausage and Mashed Potatoes	Main Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Beef Lasagne	Fish and Chips
		Vegetarian		
Mild Veggie Curry with Rice (v)	Vegan Sausage and Mashed Potatoes (v)	Roasted Vegetable Tart with Roast Potatoes and Gravy (v)	Vegetable Traybake with Rice (v)	Cheese Toastie and Chips
		3rd Options		
Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Pasta with Tomato Sauce	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Pasta with Tomato Sauce	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw
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	Deli Option	ı with Ham, Tuna Mayo, Egg Mayo	or Cheese	
		Vegetables		
Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetable
		Dessert	ſ	
Ginger Cake	Shortbread	Cinnamon Toast Bake	Chocolate Brownie	Fruit Yoghurt Fool
Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt
			esh seasonal salad and bread available	e daily. Fresh fruit and yoghurt
		Fre	esh seasonal salad and bread available available daily as an alternative to	the dessert of the day.



FOOD FOR LIFE CATERING MARK SEAFOO





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ALLIANCE # PARTNERSHIP

MONDAY	TUESDAY	, 1st Jan, 22nd Jan, 19t WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		Main		
Tomato Pasta (v)	Meat Feast Pizza	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Bolognese with Pasta	Fish and Chips
		Vegetarian		
/egetarian Sausage Hotpot (v)	Veggie Pizza (v)	Mediterranean Gnocchi Bake (v)	Veggie Enchilada (v)	Cheese and Tomato Pinwheel with Chips (v)
		3rd Options		
Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Pasta with Tomato Sauce	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Pasta with Tomato Sauce	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Salmon Mayo or Coleslav
		Deli		
	Deli Optior	n with Ham, Tuna Mayo, Egg Mayo	or Cheese	
		Vegetables		
Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables	Hot Seasonal Vegetables
		Dessert		
Sticky Orange Cake	Oat Fruit Slice	Apple Crumble with Custard	Fruit Pudding	Chocolate Pots
Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt
SMART			daily. as ar	e seasonal salad and bread availal Fresh fruit and yoghurt available d a alternative to the dessert of the c

Preloved maternity, baby and children's items including clothes, toys, books and much more...



Saturday 4th November 2:15-3:15pm (early entry at 2pm for NCT members)

Buckland Primary School, Berryscroft Road, Staines TW18 1NB

Buy and sell clothes, books, equipment etc for 0 – 9 years.

Major Credit/Debit Cards accepted.



To register as a seller or volunteer visit: linktr.ee/nctsae

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after Halloween using our food waste recycling service

Did you know that your pumpkin could generate power?



In Spelthorne we recycle food waste to generate electricity and make fertiliser.

Every year about 8 million pumpkins are thrown away after Halloween – that's a lot of electricity that could have been generated!

To recycle your pumpkin after Halloween put it out with your food waste bin on your collection day, it doesn't need to be bagged up, just put it on top of the bin.

For more information visit **www.spelthorne.gov.uk/foodwaste** Email: neighbourhoodservices@spelthorne.gov.uk Phone: 01784 446411

If you don't yet use our food waste recycling service, don't worry, you can still put your pumpkin out on top of your normal bin and we will collect and recycle it.

Why not think about giving food recycling a go? It's a free collection that goes every week and we even give you the bins for free too!

