

## Pheasey Park Farm Primary School and Early Years Centre

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Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021

### Eco Schools Newsletter

#### The Eco Committee

The Eco Committee Team are a team of pupils and staff who make decisions about the actions we can take as a whole school in order to reduce the impact that we have on the environment.

Pupils are known as Eco Warriors and members are:

#### Pupils:

Robyn K  
Shelby F  
Toby B  
Leo O'C  
Henry W  
Millie S  
Niamh M  
Lilly K

Elle-Mae O'H  
Codie B  
James C  
Brandon C  
Ryce T

#### Staff:

Mrs A. Welter  
Mrs L. Eveson  
Mrs J. Colman  
Mr P. Godwin  
Mr P. Jackson  
Mr T. Orbell

#### Eco Warrior Meetings

Eco Warriors have been very busy this term with their first meeting focused on the Environmental Review, Action Plan and creating bright and engaging posters highlighting the Eco focus topics for this academic year.

Look out for these on the Eco display board!

Eco Warriors have also been trained on how to undertake Energy Monitoring by Mrs Welter. They have been committed with adhering to their lunchtime slots on the rota and checking if classroom lights and projectors are switched off.

#### What's Under Your Feet? Campaign

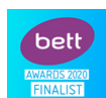
During November, selected pupils from Reception to Year 6 alongside the Eco Warriors were going to take part in a campaign called 'What's Under Your Feet?' linked to one of our focus topics, 'Biodiversity' but due to the weather this was postponed. During the Spring Term, the dig will be rescheduled to see what impact the weather has on the invertebrates.

#### Green Flag Assessment

The Green Flag assessment, organised to determine whether our school can be awarded the prestigious Green Flag award, will take place during the Summer Term.

We hope to inform you of the outcome of the rearranged Green Flag assessment in the Summer Term Eco Schools Newsletter.

**Keep updated via the School Website.**



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### Eco Code

This term, the Eco Code competition was launched. An Eco Code is a mission statement that identifies our school's environmental values.

Thank you to all pupils who used technology to design an Eco Code using Purple Mash (KS1) or Microsoft Sway (KS2). Congratulations to the winner of the Eco Code: Niamh Murphy, Year 4.



### Switch Off



In November we took part in 'Switch Off'. All pupils learnt about the importance of switching off lights and electrical appliances when not in use.

During this week all staff and pupils made a greater effort to reduce the energy we use in school, which was recognised by the Eco Warriors during their energy monitoring duties each lunch time.

During 'Switch Off Week' a poster competition was launched via Purple Mash. Pupils were asked to highlight the importance of switching off.

It was a very hard decision for our Eco Champion to choose one winner so he chose four! Congratulations to Iman, Ranbir and Victor from Year 6 and Darija from Year 3

### A Massive Thank You!

Thank you to all staff, parents, governors and community friends for your support with the 'It's Good to Grow' Morrisons campaign.



We have 2286 tokens to spend on free gardening equipment.

