Benwick Primary School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

During the week of 9^{th} – 13^{th} March, we will be celebrating British Science Week. This year's theme is 'Our Diverse World'.

Over the course of the week, the children will have opportunities to participate in a range of activities linked to this theme. They will be investigating diverse places, diverse people and the world around us.

We would like to ask for donations of materials for the children to use for investigations. For example:

- Ice cream/margarine tubs
- Rolls of wallpaper
- Junk modelling materials e.g. foil, bubble wrap, cardboard.

I would like the children to develop their knowledge and understanding of STEM subjects (science, technology, engineering and mathematics). If you work in a STEM career, and would like to either host a workshop or discuss the career opportunities for your area of expertise, we would welcome this. Please contact either myself or the office to discuss possible dates/timings and what you would like to contribute.

In addition to this, we are going to be working towards developing our school garden. During the week, we would like the children to have the opportunity to contribute towards this by planting some seeds that they can observe growing over the remainder of the year. If you work in a profession that can contribute to this and are able to dedicate your time/materials/expertise, please contact the school office. We would gratefully appreciate your help and kindness in helping us to improve the school.

I am sure the children will have a fantastic week, immersing themselves in all things STEM related.

Miss Baker (Science co-ordinator)