



OAKFIELD ACADEMY
BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE

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May 2021

Italian Theme Day
in the Canteen



An incredible Italian Theme day took place in the canteen this week, with amazing Italian prizes including Pizza Hats, Bandanas, Pencil Sets, Wristbands and keyrings.

The authentic Pizza and Pasta dishes were also very popular.



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If you would like further information on any of the items in the newsletter, please contact the school office.
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Congratulations to Hugo Lyall from 6S who has recently passed his Grade 3 electric guitar exam with Merit. He has already started working on his next Grade, well done Hugo!

REFUNDS

Message from the Finance Office.

By the end of this week all money that was previously paid for the MENDIP ACTIVITY CENTRE trip that was cancelled recently from last year, will be refunded. If you paid on Parentpay then the refund will appear in your Parent Account tab on the dashboard page, and you can use it to pay for other trips and items or transfer it to your linked bank account. Many thanks.



Peregrine Falcons Nesting

At school, we've been watching some peregrine falcons nesting at Winchester Cathedral. At home, I check them online every night. They hatched three chicks (one of the eggs didn't hatch). Now, the chicks are about to fly. If you want to have a look at them, here is the link:

<https://www.winchester-cathedral.org.uk/the-peregrines-return-in-2020/>

Facts about peregrines:

They are super-fast – the fastest bird on the planet.

A peregrine can reach speeds of up to 242 mph.

Peregrines can see their prey from 3 kilometres away.

By Riley Williamson 50

FROME RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

GIRLS & BOYS RUGBY




2 FREE TRAINING SESSIONS*

*FOLLOWED BY A £30 PAYMENT TO CONTINUE TRAINING UP TO JUNE 2021

- Fully qualified coaches at all age groups.
- Training sessions each Sunday.
- All Government & RFU Guidelines in place.

Prior to attending please get in touch on the email below to book in.



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Parent and Family Support Advisor (PFSA)

Grade 12 – £22,183 to £25,481
pro-rata per annum

37 hours per week, term time only, although some flexibility in hours may be considered for the right candidate

Fixed-term contract to start as soon as possible and run until 31 March 2022

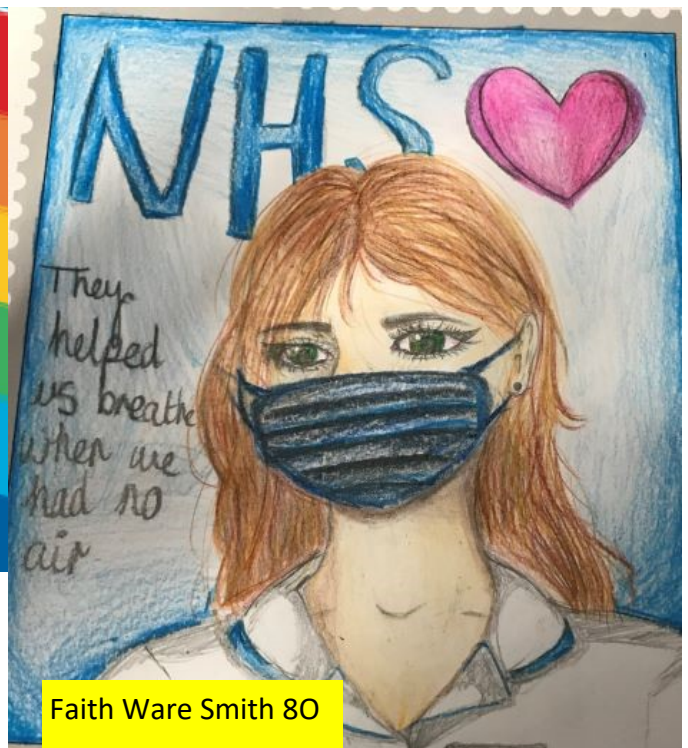
Closing date: 7th June 2021 at 9am Interview date: Friday 11th June 2022

If you would like more information or to request an application pack, please email hmay@educ.somerset.gov.uk or ring 07990 084092.

Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

HEROES

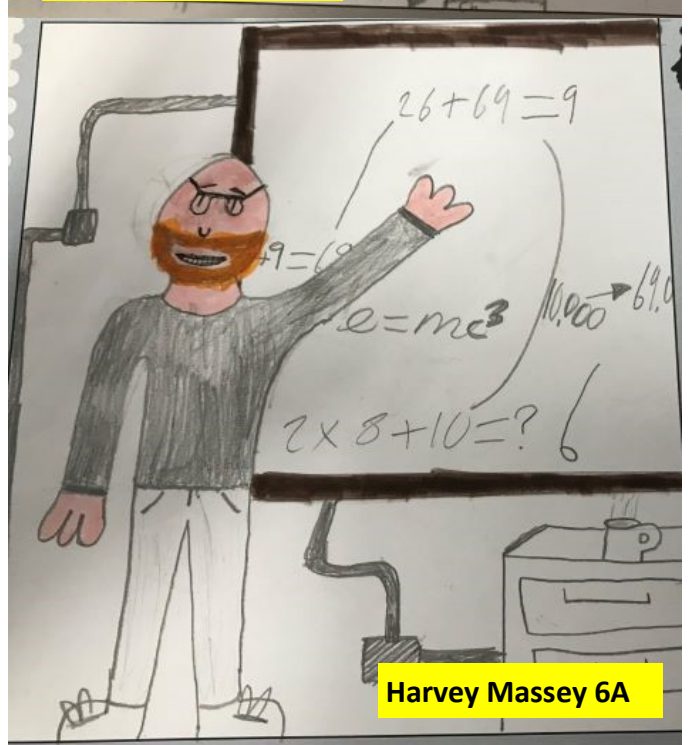
STAMP DESIGN COMPETITION



Faith Ware Smith 80



Iris Chant 5C



Harvey Massey 6A



Poppy Pretlove 7C

Please enjoy some of the incredible entries that our pupils have created for the current Royal Mail stamp design competition "HEROES".

Ms Stewart will soon be sending off all the entries, and fingers crossed Oakfield Academy might win AGAIN !!

Overall winner receives £1,000 - Regional Winners £500—Regional Runners Up £100.

Good luck everyone!

Years 5 & 6

EYFS (Reception) - Year 6 Covid-19 testing



School staff and parents/carers

No symptoms

Twice-weekly testing with Lateral Flow Device tests

If LFD positive

Isolate immediately (along with household). Book a PCR test at a testing site within 48h*. Continue to isolate while you wait for your results.

Adults in a household or support bubble, where children regularly attend educational settings are advised to test twice-weekly.

To find out where to get a Lateral Flow Device test, visit: www.somerset.gov.uk/coronavirus/covid-19-lateral-flow-test/

Anyone with symptoms

Symptoms include a *new* continuous cough, loss or change of taste or smell and/or a high temperature.

Isolate immediately (along with household) and book a PCR test. Only the person with symptoms needs a test. Continue to isolate while you wait for the results.

PCR

Positive

Negative

If PCR positive, continue to isolate (with your household) for 10+ days.

Isolation should start from the date of the positive test or the onset of symptoms.

Back to school or work when better

PCR test: At a testing site or at home (select when booking).

Please book here: www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test or dial 119

Primary aged children (Reception to year 6)

No symptoms

No symptoms? No test!

There's no need to test children in this age group if they have no symptoms. This includes after isolation, when going back to school

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Please do not forget to record positive and negative results on the government website as instructed, as well as informing your school

For guidance on self-isolation, please visit: www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-stay-at-home-guidance/stay-at-home-guidance-for-households-with-possible-coronavirus-covid-19-infection

Years 7 & 8

Secondary school, college and further education Covid-19 testing



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Students

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