

Newsletter

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OAKFIELD ACADEMY
BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE



New Oakfield Academy Email address:-
Oakfield@oakfieldacademy.org.uk



Secondhand Uniform Sale

Thursday 6th June at 3pm

All items £1

Donations welcome

NEW ATTENDANCE EMAIL

attendance@oakfieldacademy.org.uk

Please note that from Monday the 3rd June the old email address will not be monitored.



FREE

From Toddler Tantrums to Teen Angst: Understanding your Child's Emotions

Learn more about your child's emotional life with this short, in-person, course.

Designed to enhance your understanding of your child's emotional development, this short course will help you feel more in control, with strategies to support your child's wellbeing and manage their big emotions.

Join us in a supportive and inclusive group with personalised support from an experience wellbeing practitioner.

What do I need to know?

- ✓ For anyone from beginners to more experienced learners
- ✓ Booking essential. Please use QR code below.

*Please see our website for eligibility information.

Thursday 6th and 13th June: 12:30pm – 2:30pm | 2 Sessions
@ Frome SS&L Centre, Palmer Street

Call Somerset Skills & Learning for more information / book online

0330 332 7997 sslcourses.co.uk

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PUPILS WILL RETURN ON
MONDAY 3RD JUNE 2024



Oakfield Academy, Oakfield Road, Frome BA11 4JF

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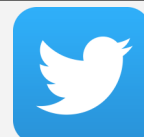
E-mail: oakfield@oakfieldacademy.org.uk

Web: www.oakfieldacademy.co.uk

Attendance E-mail: attendance@oakfieldacademy.org.uk

If you would like further information on any of the items in the newsletter, please contact the school office.

Follow us on Facebook and Twitter via our website.



Could you be a Blue Influencer?

We're looking for **10-14 year olds** across Somerset to **champion our Blue Spaces.**

Set up by the educational charity Ernest Cook Trust and match-funded by the #iwill Fund, the Blue Influencers Scheme is a **youth-led program** which supports young people to **take action on tackling environmental and climate issues in the sea, rivers and estuaries.**

Grants from £360 are available for Blue Influencers to design and deliver projects that will benefit the local community and the natural world.



For further information, please contact Blue Mentor **Thibaud** by email thibaud.sulzer@somersetwildlife.org or by phone **07756 876295**



Family activities

EXPLORE SCIENCE AND NATURE TOGETHER



Family pond dip and allotment explore
Sunday 9th June, 10-12

Family bug hunts and pond dips
Wednesday 10th July, 1:30-2:30
Wednesday 10th July, 3:15-4:30

Rocket launching (at Children's Festival)
Sunday 21st July, 11am-1pm



BOOK FREE TICKETS:



@scienceboostic



With thanks to:



Well done Tilly Hughes why created this fantastic teddy bear from scratch. Mrs Brooks her Tutor was very impressed with her sewing.



Newspapers needed!

Please donate your Frome Standards or other papers for use in the art room. Thanks for your support, Ms Mundy, Head of art

REMEMBER



The last day of the Summer Term is Wednesday 24th July. On this day the academy will close at 12.15pm. Pupils who use school transport will be collected at this earlier time.



Congratulations to our very own
 Ms Parsons who completed the 100km Jurassic Coast Ultra Challenge



FREE FAMILY PARTY
BARCELONA STREET MUSIC
FREE ART & CRAFTS - WORLD MUSIC DJS
FRIES & NACHOS A LA 23 - TABLE FOOTBALL - RETRO GAMES

KID HYENA ARE A MUSICAL CULTURE CLASH, BREAKING BOUNDARIES OF GENRE WITH THE URBAN FOLK SOUNDS OF FOOT STOMPIN' SING ALONG TUNES, FIERY PERCUSSION, TAP DANCE BEATS & A BUNDLE OF POSITIVE VIBES!

SATURDAY JUNE 1ST
BOOK A FREE TICKET
TO GUARANTEE ENTRY
 23 BATH ST, FROME. 3PM TIL 7PM



RIVER FESTIVAL



Join us for fun at the river

- 10 - 2 Stalls, activities and river dipping
- 10:30 and 1:00 Frome Big River Watch and nature activities
- 11:30 River storytelling adventure

Bring a picnic!

Sunday 9 June - Rodden Meadow
10:00 - 14:00



fromefamiliesforthefuture@gmail.com

News from the FRIENDS of Oakfield Academy

DIARY DATES

Friday 7th June—O Tutor Groups Cake Sale

Friday 21st June—R Tutor Groups Cake Sale

Friday 28th June—N Tutor Groups Cake Sale

Friday 12th July—S Tutor Groups Cake Sale

All cake sales will take place at 3pm by the red gates

Friday 5th July—BINGO NIGHT—

Doors Open 6pm, eyes down 6.30pm



Street Dance - KS2 (Boys/Girls)

Mondays 3-4pm

Starting after half-term -

first session 10th June/last session 15th July

Sign-up now on Edulink

Street Dance - KS3 (Boys/Girls)

Wednesdays 3-4pm

Starting after half-term -

first session 12th June Last session 17th July

Sign-up now on Edulink

**Asda
Vouchers
for FSM pupils
this Half Term**

**We are pleased to
confirm that £10
Asda Vouchers will be
emailed to parents
next week.**

Beckington Cricket Club



Girls Under-13's Team

Would you like to join Beckington Cricket Club as part of their Girls team?

Enthusiasm is all that is needed, we have regular training sessions with qualified youth coaches, all kit and equipment is provided.

The Girls team had another successful year in 2023, finishing 3rd in our league, and we are keen to build on that as well as increase the number of girls playing cricket.

Training sessions are held on Thursday 5:45pm – 6:30pm (beginning on 6th April).



If this interests you/your child, please get in touch by emailing: girls@beckingtoncricketclub.co.uk.



Parent and Family Support Advisor (PFSA)

Frome Learning Partnership is seeking to employ skilled and motivated Parent Family Support Advisors to join its Child and Family Support team. This post will involve working in a variety of settings, including in schools, the community and family homes. Frome Learning Partnership is comprised of 18 schools in and around Frome.

Working 4 days (30 hours per week - term-time only), the post-holder will carry a caseload of approximately 16 children and will work to support them and their families make positive and sustainable change. Multi-agency working will be at the core of this work, but the ability to work independently is also essential.

The successful candidate will:

- Be prepared to work with children and families within their homes and other venues in and around Frome
- Be able to demonstrate creativity and flexibility in their approach to engaging families, identifying family strengths, assessing their needs and supporting them to make sustainable, positive change
- Have excellent interpersonal and communication skills with the ability to communicate clearly and appropriately with pupils, their families and supporting professionals
- Have experience of working with and engaging children and young people with complex needs
- Be able to work both collaboratively within a team and independently
- Be able to identify unmet needs and risks surrounding pupils and respond to them appropriately, in accordance with local area safeguarding policies and guidance
- Have experience of delivering individual / group-based support and understanding children within the family context is essential, as well as work experience within the education, social services, health, or voluntary sector.

Salary: Grade 12, ranging from £26,421 to £29,777 pro rata per annum

Working pattern: Part-time 4 days (30 hours) a week (Term-time only)

Location: Based in Frome **Contract Type:** Fixed-term 12-month contract (Term-time only)

Closing Date: 4th June 12pm **Commencement Date:** As soon as possible

If you would like more information or to request an application pack, please email office@fromelearningpartnership.co.uk Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

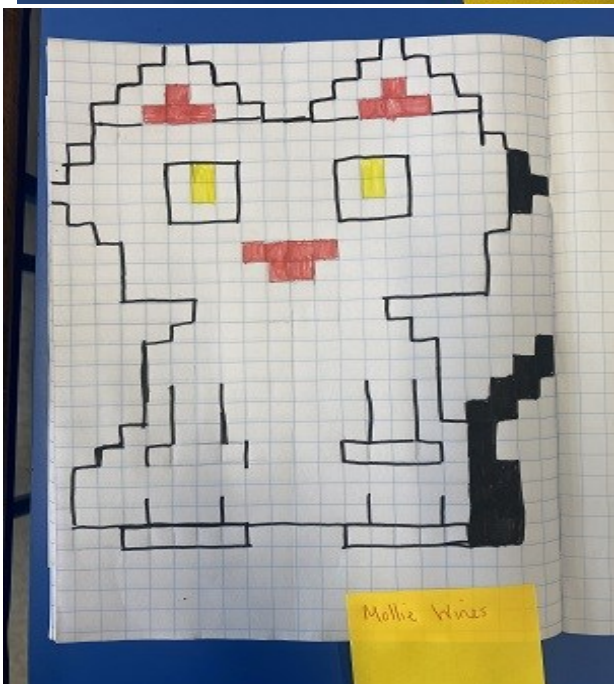
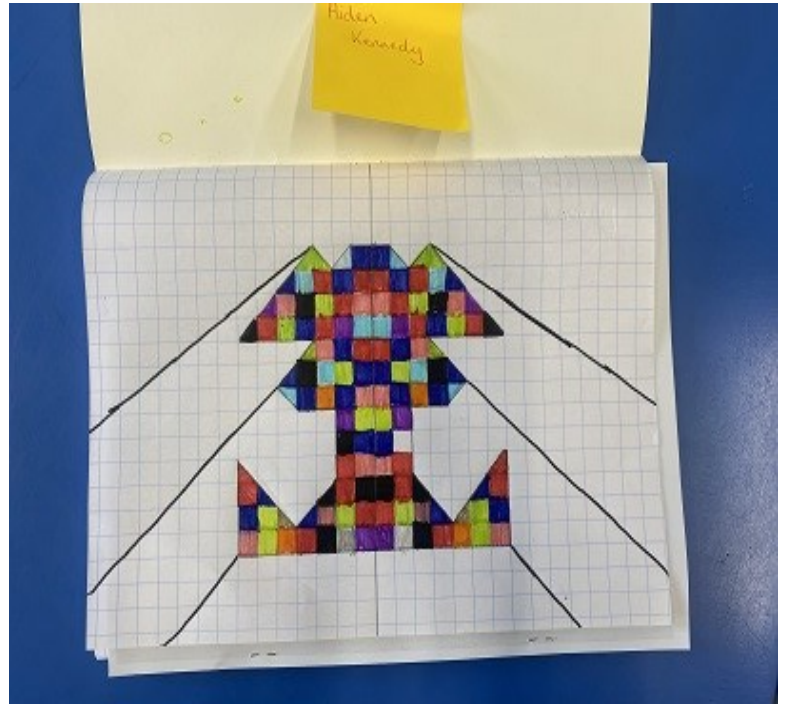
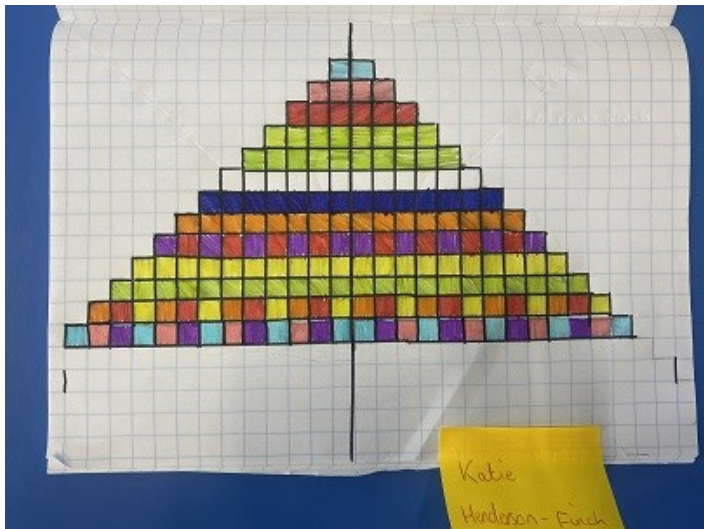
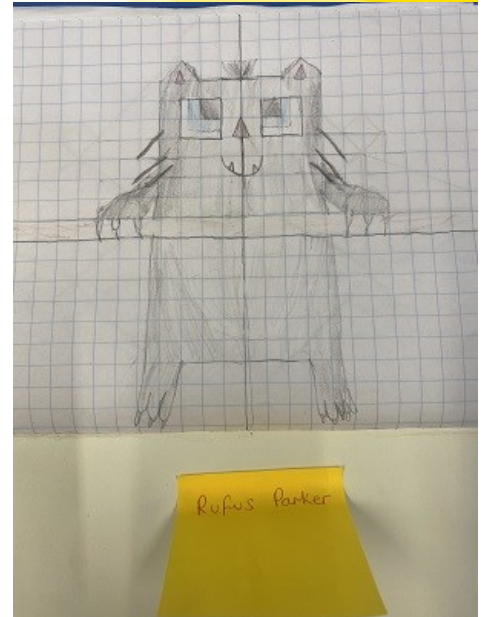
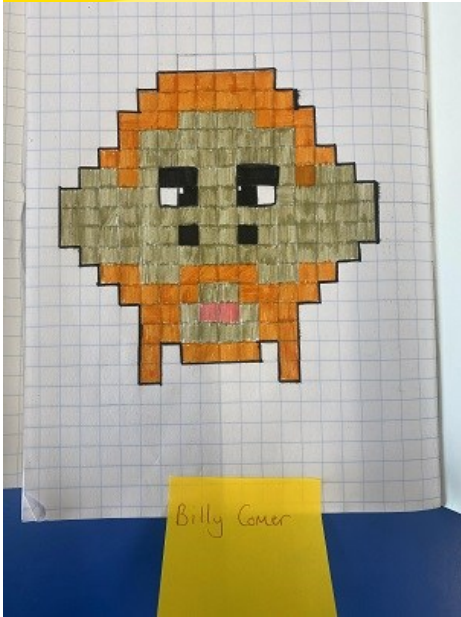
The FLP is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. References will be taken up for all shortlisted candidates prior to interview. An Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check is required for the successful candidate.

“A” CLASSES CAKE SALE RESULTS



**Congratulations to the
“A” Tutor Groups who
raised £46.60 for
the Oakfield FRIENDS at
last Friday's Cake Sale.**

Year Six



After completing their SATS exams, Year 6 pupils were encouraged to wind down by creating some symmetrical drawings. We think you will agree they are really interesting.

Diary Dates

w/c 27 May	Half Term Holidays
4 Jun	5C & 5N visit Stonehenge
5 Jun	5R Catch up Swimming
6 Jun	Yr 6 Heights & Weights
6 Jun	Second hand uniform sale 3pm
7 Jun	Yr 8 visit Bath Uni
7 Jun	"O" Tutor Groups Cake Sale
w/c 10 Jun	Activities Week
10 & 12 Jun	Yr 6 visit Wiltshire Outdoor Learning, Chapmanslade
10 Jun	Yr 8 Professional Darts Contest
10-12 Jun	Yr 7 Charterhouse Camp One
12-14 Jun	Yr 7 Charterhouse Camp Two
10-14 Jun	Yr 8 trip to France
12 Jun	Yr 8 Take Your Child to Work Day
12 Jun	FLG visit Longleat
13 Jun	Yr 5 Summer Trip to Longleat
14 Jun	Remaining Yr 8 pupils visit cinema
18 Jun	Frome College Heads of House meeting Yr 8 pupils
20 Jun	Academy Emergency Lock Down practice
20 & 21 Jun	Yr 3 Taster Mornings
21 Jun	"R" Tutor Groups Cake Sale
27 Jun	SEND Coffee Session (subject tbc)
28 Jun	"N" Tutor Groups Cake Sale
28 Jun	Welcome Session for Yr 4's
1 Jul	Welcome Evening
2 Jul	Yrs 5 & 6 Sports Day
3 Jul	Transfer Day Yr 5 -> Yr 6 Yr 6 -> Yr 7 Yr 7 -> Yr 8 Yr 8 -> Frome College
9 Jul	Yrs 7 & 8 Sports Day
10/11 Jul	'One Love' Summer Show
12 Jul	"S" Tutor Groups Cake Sale
12 Jul	Public Consultation Meeting - School Streets—details tbc
18 Jul	Parent Book Look
19 Jul	Yr 8 Take Your Child to Work Day



The focus
w/c 3rd June will be
**Learning
Expectations &
Routines**

Can you help our Science Department

If you have any unwanted CDs
please donate them for Science
projects
(not the covers)

