



Dear Parents/Carers

12 February 2026

Larchwood British Science Week Celebrations 2026

From Monday 9 March – Friday 13 March, we will be celebrating this years British Science Week at Larchwood! Each year, there is a theme which children across the country will investigate and explore and this year it is 'curiosity: what's your question?'.

British Science Week is also an important opportunity to help all children to see themselves as a scientist by celebrating diversity and breaking stereotypes around the people and careers available within the science community.

Across the week, children will participate in activities around this theme.

Science fair and project

After three successful Larchwood Science Fairs, we are launching this project again but are challenging children from Reception – Year 6 to create a project based around the theme of 'curiosity: what's your question?'. We want you to be as creative as possible when thinking about science and the world we live in and what question you want to answer. To help you get started you could consider the following ideas:

- An interactive project linked to your question- e.g. How does a rocket launch?
- A study on a famous scientist linked to your question – eg. Who is Charles Darwin?
- A model linked to your question.
- A piece of art work linked to your question.
- A piece of writing linked to your question.

The deadline for these projects to be returned to school is **Wednesday 11 March**. Your child will need to take these to class with them and then they will be collected from there. Please make sure their name and class is clearly labelled somewhere on their project.

On Thursday 12 March, we will be hosting an afternoon science fair in the hall where all children who have entered will be able to present their project to the rest of the school.

If your child has created a project, you will then be able to come after school on Thursday 12 March to view their project alongside others from across the school.

We cannot wait to celebrate British Science Week and to see what incredible projects we receive this year.

As always, please check Instagram across the week for updates!

Thank you in advance for your support.

Mrs Holder
Class Teacher/Science Lead

