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## **British Science Week Competitions**

Wednesday 12 March 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

We have been learning about British Science Week this week and thinking about the importance of science and scientists and how science helps us in our everyday lives. We have been focusing on the concept of this year's theme, which is 'change and adapt' and observing how many things around us change and adapt in order to function or survive. We thought about how animals 'change and adapt' for their habitats, the climate and seasons.

## British Science Week competition - Thursday 3rd April 2025

The theme for 2025 is 'Change and adapt, – there are loads of STEM topics to be explored. Pupils could create a poster showing how plants and animals adapt to changing seasons or surroundings, or how humans have adapted to changing technology. They could look at climate change and how we can adapt our behaviours to protect the environment, or their favourite science experiment and how it shows change. The more creative the interpretation of the theme, the better!

The link to this competition and how to enter is here. The deadline to complete your entry is the 3rd April - <u>https://www.britishscienceweek.org/plan-your-activities/poster-competition/</u>

## Explorify Art competition - Competition deadline Monday 31st March 2025

Explorify are also doing an art competition where they are able to use their creativity to turn science learning into art. Can they create something that will spark a conversation about science among other children that look at it? The details for this competition are here with how to enter and the prizes for the winners: <u>https://explorify.uk/teacher-support/helpful-reads/explorify-art-competition-2025</u>

Both competitions have been shared and explained with the children this week, as part of their class assemblies.

I hope you enjoy being creative and it is a wonderful opportunity for the children to explore science!

Mrs Attwood



