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Dear Grazebrook Families,

**Re: British Science Week**

This year, we will be celebrating **British Science Week at Grazebrook throughout March**. The theme of the week is **'Curiosity: What's your question?'**





This theme is all about allowing children and young people to take the lead and encourage them to find answers to the most pressing questions they have about the world. Curiosity is at the heart of STEM and anyone can get involved this year by simply asking a question. This could relate to a traditional science topic or it could be about music, sport or architecture-any interest in fact!

To celebrate science, the children will be asking and answering scientific questions through investigation and research. We will then hold a Science Fair on **Thursday 19th March**, which you will all be invited to. During the fair, children will showcase their knowledge of science through demonstrations and presentations.

There will be a sign up sheet in classrooms for children who wish to present a home learning project or investigation at home at the Science Fair. Please support your child to think about the areas of science they are most passionate about and if they would like to share this knowledge at the Science Fair. The deadline for signing up is **Friday 6th March** with projects needing to be brought to school (**Monday 9th-16th March**).

We are also inviting children to enter into a **poster competition**. They could create a poster showing, **'What makes children's lives positive? What will a positive childhood look like in the future for children your age?'** Give your children the opportunity to think carefully about the main questions and discuss them with you before they create their posters. We are interested in the most original ideas. The more creative the interpretation of the theme, the better! The deadline for handing in posters is **Thursday 16th April 2026**.

Here are some family Science Fair ideas :

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| <p><b>How do different light conditions affect plant growth?</b></p>  | <p><b>How do we assess the health and safety of our water?</b></p>  |
| <p><b>Why are electric vehicles becoming more popular?</b></p>       | <p><b>Why does it get dark so early in winter?</b></p>             |

All projects should be named and given a title that explains what they are demonstrating or what other children can learn from them. Children may also choose to include:

- A question that the project answers
- A hypothesis
- A list of materials
- An explanation of the experiment – what procedures were done to test the hypothesis?
- A presentation of findings
- Data analysis, which may incorporate charts or graphs

If you have any questions about British Science Week, please ask your child's teacher or one of the senior leaders. We can't wait to celebrate these exciting events with you!

Best wishes,

Marantha Cabey

Science Lead and ECO-Lead