



Eco-Warriors' Newsletter 2 November 2025



Eco-Committee Action Plan 2025/26 Tackling the Big Issues

This year the Eco-Warriors will be focusing their efforts on work around the 3 themes of

- Energy
- Global Citizenship
- School Grounds (more information to follow)

Energy

We have formed a KS2 Energy sub-committee to monitor the School's use of energy through the Energy Sparks dashboard. The sub-committee will work with Miss Clark and Mrs Moxon on implementing changes designed to reduce energy consumption. The Eco-Warriors monitor the amount of energy the school uses over time via the Energy Sparks dashboard.

In fact, this drive to reduce the amount of energy that the school uses will be supported by all the children, when they take part in 'Switch Off Fortnight' (November 10th - November 23rd). This is a national campaign, that aims to raise awareness about energy conservation and its impact on the environment. The initiative encourages pupils to turn off unused appliances and lights, helping to reduce energy and reduce carbon footprints.

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Y1 Aya and Hubert

Y2 Suheila and Saleh

Y3 Fatima and Stoorai

Y4 Shriya and Beanar

Y5 Maily and Zachary

Y6 Chanel and Aaron

Eco-Code

Porter Croft Eco-Code:
Together We Will Make a Difference

 We switch off electricity and save energy.

 We reduce, reuse and recycle our waste.

 We walk, scoot or cycle whenever possible.

 We look after plants and wildlife.

 We save water and prevent wastage.

 We reuse, swap and/or donate useful items.

 We eat less meat when we have the choice.

Eco-Committee Action Plan 2025/26 Global Citizenship

The committee has agreed that it wants to continue to support access to water and sanitation in developing countries. UNICEF is a charity that supports provision of safe water, proper sanitation and good hygiene for children worldwide and is the charity that the Eco-Warriors have chosen to support this year. We will organise a bake sale in February 2026 to raise funds for this charity - more information to follow nearer the time.



As part of Global Citizenship the Eco-warriors are committed to raising awareness of the effects of climate change and on educating the whole school community on actions that we can all take to reduce our carbon footprints. The committee will be supporting whole school participation of Earth day on Wednesday 22nd April 2026. The theme this year is planet v plastic and children in all year groups will learn about the impact that plastic has on the environment.

We are also going to link our next Careers Day in June 2026 to 'green jobs'. With the government's climate policy target of "Net Zero" many new jobs in sustainability and protection of the environment will be created in the next 25 years and it is important that our children learn about the different types of jobs that this might involve. More information about Careers Day to follow in the summer term.

ACHIEVEMENTS:



At the end of academic year 2023/24 our pupils were invited to enter a poster competition to raise local awareness of global environmental issues. The winning entries, which promote environmental awareness, are now adorning planters at the bottom Rockingham Gate just off The Moor. Congratulations to those children whose posters are now public display – what an amazing achievement for all involved

ENERGY SAVING TIP 1

Y3 Fatima - When you leave a room always switch off the lights.