

Dear families

Thank you for your efforts to reduce the amount of single use plastic in lunchboxes. Last week, on our March Plastic Free Friday, the average number of single use plastic wrappers per packed lunch was 1.5, sadly slightly higher than in February. A special mention must go to Year 3, who had the highest number of packed lunches, but the lowest number of plastic waste items - well done to those children and their families! The next Plastic Free Friday will be on 30th April: will Year 3 beat their record? Or will another class do even better?

A big thank you too, to all who sent in their entries for the pollinator poster competition. The prizewinning entries are now on the Eco board at school, and the talented artists have received pollinator-friendly plant seedbombs as prizes. Mr Wilkins is planting insect and butterfly-friendly plants in the pond area over Easter, and I'm sure we will enjoy seeing the results as much as the insects will enjoy their new food sources!

We look forward to being able to do more Eco-activities next term, and wish you all a very happy Easter!

Mrs Ritchie and Mrs Nevill