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PARK VALUES

Courage

"You have brains in your head.
You have feet in your shoes. You
can steer yourself any direction
you choose." — Dr. Seuss

JOKE OF THE WEEK

How do you stop an
astronaut's baby from
crying?

You Rocket!

Word of the Week

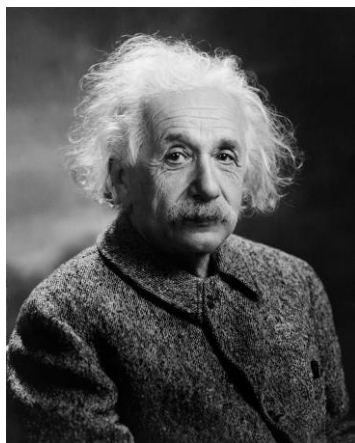
Word: Provoked

Definition:

to cause a reaction, especially a ne
gative one.

Word: Morose

Definition: unhappy, annoyed,
and unwilling to speak or smile.



Monday 9th March 2026

Every March we celebrate **British Science Week**, a time to explore amazing discoveries and the people behind them. It's also the birthday month of one of the most famous scientists ever — **Albert Einstein**, who was born on **March 14, 1879**.

As a child, Einstein wasn't known as a genius. In fact, he was very curious and loved asking questions about how the world worked. One of his biggest ideas was the **Theory of Relativity**, which helped scientists understand space, time, and gravity in new ways. His work changed physics forever and even helped lead to technologies we use today.

Einstein once said, "*Imagination is more important than knowledge.*" He believed that asking questions and thinking creatively were the keys to discovery.

During British Science Week, why not be like Einstein? Ask big questions, try fun experiments, and let your imagination explore the universe. Who knows — the next great scientist could be sitting in our school right now!

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday 9 th	Tuesday 10 th	Wednesday 11 th	Thursday 12 th	Friday 13 th
9:20am – Assembly		Hill End - Group 8		

British Science Week is an annual UK-wide celebration taking place every March to promote science, technology, engineering, and maths (STEM). Coordinated by the British Science Association, it aims to highlight the role of STEM in daily life and encourage careers in these fields.

Each year features a new theme, last year was 'Change and adapt', this year the theme is 'Curiosity', focusing on how questions can be used to expand our knowledge of the world around us.

This year, the emphasis is on the importance of research and innovation in society. In school, we have a **STEM competition** taking place using resources from the James Dyson Foundation containing challenges to be completed this week. For example,

Can you design and build a helicopter using only paper and paperclips?

Can you make and race a balloon powered car?

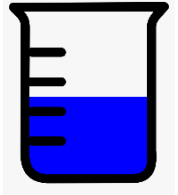
Can you construct a boat to support weights without sinking?

Can you make a paperclip float on water?

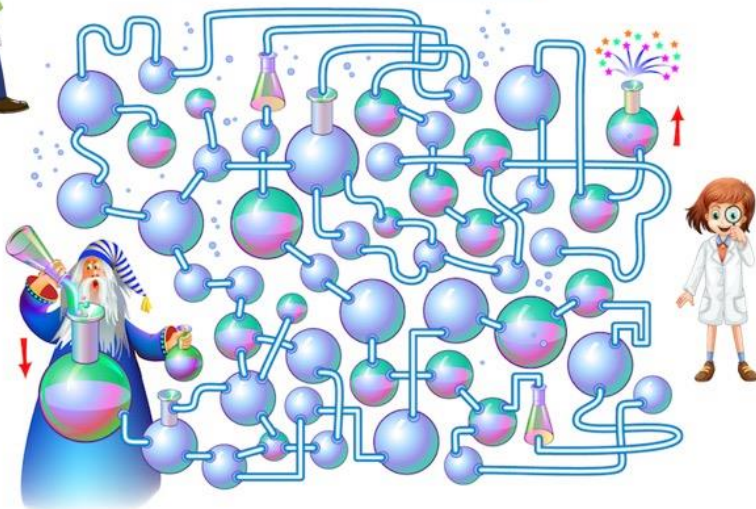
Can you create a liquid that turns into a solid using cornstarch and water?

Please come and get the resources you need from Group 1 in Suite 6.

50 points are up for grabs for each completed challenge, and you can spend these in the points shop.

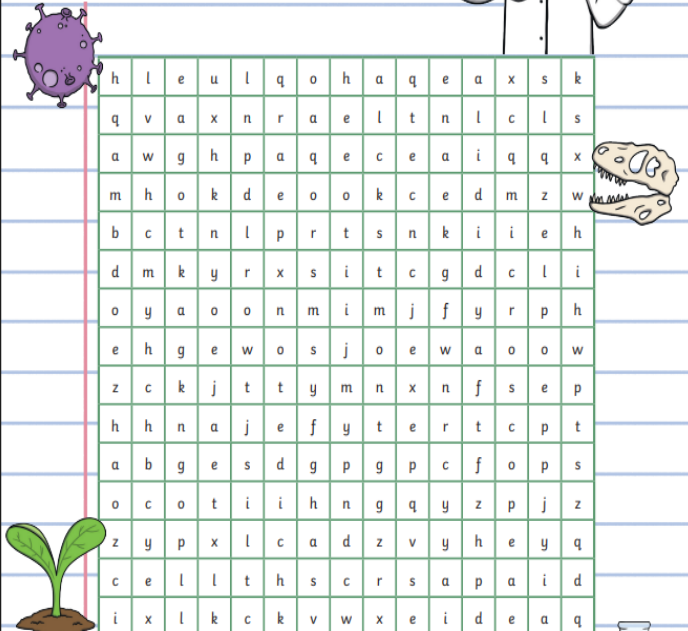


Science maze



Can you find all the hidden words? Make sure to tick them off as you find them!

Words can be read in any direction.



Word List

- science
- world
- atom
- cell
- experiment
- microscope
- scientist
- learn
- data
- people
- change
- idea

DID YOU KNOW?



The Sun makes a sound but we can't hear it.