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Dear Parents/Carers,

Science Week 2018

The week beginning 21st May will be 'Science Week' at Muswell Hill Primary! The theme will be 'Plastic Pollution' and the children will be learning about the impact of plastic on the environment. They will be doing lots of fun hands-on experiments including making their own bio-plastics and exploring which materials decompose quickest. They will be set challenges such as designing an eco-friendly nappy by testing which materials are absorbent, and testing the strength of plastic bags to see which supermarket produces the longest-lasting version.

During the week we have also arranged special workshops and assemblies for all year groups. They will have the opportunity to observe, predict, experiment, collect results and write up conclusions. In English the children will be doing work linked to the 'Plastic Pollution' topic too, for example campaigning against the use of plastic coated coffee cups. In art they will use recycled materials to make new objects such as jewellery.

If you would like to come in and help, or to talk to the children about 'plastic pollution' please speak to your child's class teacher. Not only will this week be exciting and fun but it will give the children a deeper understanding of this fundamental environmental issue.

We ask that you **contribute between £5 and £10 per child via Parent Pay** to cover the cost of the amazing range of workshops and activities that your child will be participating in this week.

Many thanks,

Lucy Sykes

Science Leader

