

Dear Parents/carers,

We wanted to share our good news with you all! After 2 years of lots of hard work from staff and children we have been awarded a quality mark for science (PSQM).

We have made many changes to the way science is taught across school, we have raised the profile of science as a core subject and created lots of opportunities for children to engage in fun practical lessons. We have seen a huge difference in the children's attitude towards the subject, the range of scientific vocabulary used and overall they have a better knowledge and understanding of the different stands of scientific enquiry.

To celebrate our great achievement we are hosting whole school science investigations that will be taking place over the week beginning 12th July. The investigations are:

The Heaton Park Dunking Challenge- to investigate which biscuit is the best to dunk!



The Heaton Park Spaghetti Bridge Challenge- to see who can make the strongest bridge out of spaghetti.



We will be looking at the science behind these challenges and having lots of fun with it too, so look out for the photos on Twitter.

We have seen some fantastic science experiments and home learning over this past year so thank you for your continued support, it really makes a difference!

The Heaton Park Science Team.

**During the biscuit challenge children will be allowed to have a biscuit, if this is something you do not wish to allow please speak to your child's teacher.*