

## A message from our Head Teachers.....

Dear Parents and Carers,

What an exciting couple of weeks we have had in school! We have had trips to the art gallery, swimming lessons, watersports with Elemental, dance workshops and a science week filled with investigations and workshops to name just a few of the fantastic opportunities the children have shared. Basking Shark and Seal classes are very busy putting the Year 6 production together and all children have been preparing for their sports days next week. It is lovely to see the children throwing themselves into all aspects of school life with such enthusiasm!

The children in Year 1 need a special mention this week as they have completed the phonics screening check, a national assessment of phonic levels across the country. The children have been amazing and made the most of the opportunity to show off their fantastic skills – we couldn't be more proud of them and of the excellent progress they have made.

We have been very lucky with the sunny weather recently and hope it may continue! Please make sure children come to school with a full water bottle, a hat and suncream on that they can enjoy it safely.

Thank you for your continued support.

Ms Smith and Mrs Bennett



### Attendance

**Please note that you need to complete an exceptional leave form for any planned absence. No holidays are authorised and will be subject to a penalty. Please ensure that you follow the latest government guidance for Covid-19 and report to school immediately if your child or anyone in your household has symptoms/needs to isolate.**

Seagulls – 87.9% Jellyfish - 87.1% Seahorses - 67.2% Limpets - 84.7% Lobsters - 88.8%

Turtles - 81.4% Puffins - 96.3% Octopuses - 91.4% Seals – 86.2%

Basking Sharks – 90.7%

WHOLE SCHOOL - 86.4%

## Turtles Class

Turtles class have begun their half-term of weekly Dance sessions, which they greatly enjoyed even though it was a little warm!



## Seahorse Class

Seahorses based their art day on the Sri Lankan artist Vindya Harshani. They created colorful backgrounds and then mounted their pencil portraits of King Charles on top. They finished off their works of art by adding more colour!



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Encouraging Primary School children to be more active!

Do you have a child that wants to try something new and get more active?

Activity for children should be FUN! In partnership with DT coaching, we aim to increase children's physical activity levels by delivering a range of fun, different and exciting activities every week.

These include – Archery, Kin Ball, NERF Battles, Laser Tag, Ultimate Frisbee, multi-sports and much more!

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## Octopus and Puffin Classes

Octopus and puffins had an amazing day with Fritha, from Spaceport Cornwall, who lead us through a rocket making workshop. We then got to launch our rockets with the help of compressed air. What a great way to help us answer our topic question 'How do forces work?' We've identified gravity and air resistance as forces at work on our rockets.



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## Seagull Class

Reception have been enjoying their topic 'Oh I do like to be beside the seaside ..... in Falmouth!' . They have been taking on roles in our Beach Shop, investigating how suncream helps to protect our skin and learning about the key attractions to visit in Falmouth.



## IMPORTANT DATES

### 2022-2023

### Spring Term

3rd Jan—31st March

*Half Term 13th—17th Feb*



### Summer Term

17th April—21st July

*Half Term 30th May—2nd Jun*



### Inset Days

10th Feb, 5th Jun,  
24th & 25th July

### Bank Holidays

2nd Jan,  
7th & 10th April,  
1st & 29th May