NEWSLETTER

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

Dear Parents and Carers.

Ms Smith and Mrs Bennett

It has been fantastic welcoming back everybody after the Easter break and seeing the children get stuck into their new topics. There have been lovely smells coming from the school kitchen as a number of classes have cooked or baked as part of their DT learning, some incredible costumes for themed topic days and some exciting school trips. Turtle class had a wonderful time at Elemental, going in the sea and learning some new skills and Lobster class headed out to do some sketching at Greenbank to support their art learning.



This is a very busy half term with KS2 SATs, KS1 SATs and Year 6 camp all coming up and there will be meetings for parents about these too, so please keep an eye on Class Dojo.

We are having a whole school focus on attendance at the moment and we would really appreciate your support in ensuring that children are here every day, on time and ready to learn. Any missed days in school result in missed learning and this really can add up over time and have a significant impact on attainment and progress. If you face any challenges in getting your child or children to school regularly, please speak to us so that we can work together to ensure that no child is missing out or disadvantaged.

Attendance

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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 – 94.6% Jellyfish - 88.2% Seahorses - 90% Limpets - 93.7% Lobsters - 90% Turtles - 97.5% Puffins - 92.3% Octopuses - 97.6% Seals – 86.6% Basking Sharks – 96.7% WHOLE SCHOOL - 92.8%











Limpet Class

Limpet Class went to The Beacon to investigate the wildflowers and insects. We used pooters and magnifying glass to complete some fieldwork.



Puffin & Octopus Classes

Puffin and Octopus class started their new topic "How did the Greeks change the world?" with a day of making a Greek mezza, including our own dough for pita breads.







Seahorse Class

The Seahorses filled up the marble jar again so they watched The Smeds & the Smoos with movie snacks!













Falmouth Cricket Club

Does your child have an interest in sports? Why not speak to Falmouth Cricket Club about their new program; aimed at giving children aged 5-8 years old their first taste of cricket, sessions start on Tuesday 9th May (16:00 - 16:45) 8 weeks for £40 (which includes all stars kit).

For more information, you can contact the club directly via email: falcricket@gmail.com



Jellyfish Class

Jellyfish investigated the best materials to make a den!



















Lobster Class

Lobsters completed a scavenger hunt in the classroom to find out lots of facts about Ramadan. They were fantastic at working in teams to read and answer the questions.







IMPORTANT DATES

2022-2023

Spring Term

3rd Jan—31st March

Half Term 13th—17th Feb

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Summer Term

17th April—21st July

Half Term 30th May—2nd

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Inset Days

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

Bank Holidays

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











