

Falmouth
primary academy

Newsletter

To our Parents and Carers....

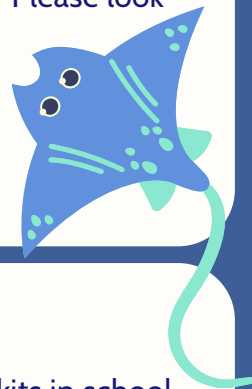
A huge warm welcome back to all our children and families! It has been a joy to meet you over the last fortnight and to see the children settle into their new classrooms so happily. An extra special welcome to all our new families and children in Reception and other year groups. If you have any concerns or questions, please just pop in and ask at the office. Alternatively, one of us will be on one of the gates in the morning and after school. If you think you need time or privacy, please just ring / email the office and we will arrange a meeting for you. We are excited for the year ahead and working closely with you to ensure our children are happy, thriving and learning.

Finally after weeks of IT support and glitches, MyEd is now working. This means you can make your bookings including for school dinners. I am sorry it took so long and thank you so much for your patience. Please let us know if you need help with MyEd - we are happy to guide you through it.

Next week our teachers will be holding a 'meet the teacher' session just before pick up time. Please look out for details on Dojo as due to siblings, each class will be on a different afternoon.

I wish you and your family a wonderful weekend.

Jess Mills



Uniform Update

In order to increase the length of PE lessons, we are no longer changing in and out of PE kits in school. When your child has their PE days, please can they come to school in their PE kit. Please note this must be the school PE uniform which is:

Red t-shirt | Navy shorts | Trainers

The school jumper can be worn over the PE kit and black leggings or tracksuit bottoms in winter.

If your child would like to wear trainers on days that are not their PE day, black trainers are allowed with the normal school uniform.





Jellyfish Class

Jellyfish have really enjoyed sharing the book 'Mirror' by Jeannie Baker. They were fantastic at talking about the similarities and differences they noticed and relating them to their own experiences.



Dolphin Class

Dolphin class has our motivator day we learnt plenty of maps skills and even drew contour lines on potatoes.



Reminder

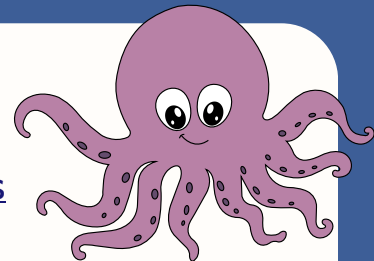
EYFS/KS1 School Day Timings

8.50- 3.20

KS2 School Day Timings

8.45 – 3.15

If your child arrives late, please bring them to reception to sign in.





Basking Shark Class

We had our topic motivator day, where we learned map skills. We used the 8 points of a compass in games, learned how to pinpoint locations using 4 and 6-figure grid references and learned how to measure the real life distance between parts of Falmouth using a map, scale and piece of string. We also learned to plot the relief of the land using contour lines by making potato mountains!



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Shout Out

Well done Jaylan, his football team won a league cup! The final match was against Redruth and they won 4-3!





Falmouth Primary Academy Athletics Festival

Please come along and cheer, we would love you all to join us!



After School Clubs

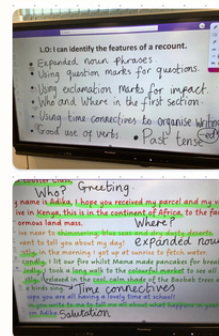
Our after school clubs are starting next week!

Keep an eye on dojo for further details. Spaces are limited for each activity and are allocated on a first come first served basis; please book swiftly to avoid disappointment.



Lobster Class

We had a letter from Adika, the character in our story 'Mama Panya's Pancakes.' We are preparing to write one back to him recounting our first days back at school!



We worked as a class to create a checklist of all of the features we could identify in the recount letter!

- We settled on:
 - Expanded noun phrases.
 - Using question marks for questions.
 - Using exclamation marks for impact.
 - Including information about who and where in the first paragraph.
 - Good use of verbs.
 - Using time connectives to organise our writing.
 - Past tense. -ed





Limpet Class

Limpet class enjoyed a fantastic motivator day for their new topic 'How can I find my way around Falmouth' this week. They were tasked with coming to school dressed as something related to Falmouth! The children were fantastic geographers and were able to use map skills to place important landmarks in Falmouth and use compass points to explain where these were!



Dates to Remember

Autumn Term

4th Sept - 19th Dec

Half Term 23rd - 27th Oct

Spring Term

4th Jan—28th Mar

Half Term 12th—16th Feb

Summer Term

15th Apr—24th Jul

Half Term 27th - 31st May

Inset Days

30th Oct, 19th Feb, 15th Apr

Bank Holidays

25th & 26th Dec, 1st Jan, 29th Mar, 1st Apr, 6th & 27th May, 26th Aug

