



Autumn Newsletter

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Star pupil & Outstanding learner of the week

Kynance Star of the week:
Isaac, for focusing so well in phonics and for communicating his feelings, with his peers, in order to solve conflict independently. We are very proud!

Gwithian Star of the week:
Morwenna
Outstanding work:
Kitty

Sennen Star of the week:
Rose always being ready to learn, kind and respectful.

Outstanding work:
Reegan for an incredible description of a castle.
Logan for a super drawing of a castle.

Fistral Star of the week:
Roxanne for her story map.
Alysia for her thoughtfulness and kindness.

Outstanding work:
Jo for her story writing

Pentire Star of the week:
Charlie
Outstanding work:
Max and Antony

Marazion Star of the week:
Abbie for always giving 100% effort to complete her learning.

Outstanding learner:
Josh for improving her understanding in maths.

Class news - what's happening

Kynance:

This week Kynance have really shown their amazing progress - especially in their name writing! We are all so proud of the children. We have been introduced to the doll family for our home corner. The children now know how to correctly hold, feed and burp a baby and are looking after the family so well. We have also done a super job at learning The Rainbow Fish story off-by-heart. Ask your child to recite it. A reminder to please send your child in with a spare change of clothes as the weather is getting wetter. Another fantastic week again - the children are showing themselves to be resilient, caring learners. We are an open door classroom, so any worries that you have, please communicate these with us. Thank you

Gwithian:

This week have enjoyed beginning our learning about the Queen. We have thought of things we would like to find out and used the internet to search for facts. We have even found an address for the Queen and have decided, that next week we will write her a letter. In maths, we have begun to focus on subtraction and this will continue to be a focus next week. Next week will see the start of our learning about 'The Great Fire of London'.

Sennen:

Sennen have had a super week learning about castles and towers. They wrote a fantastic explanation of a castle, come and see them on our display! In English, we learned how to use inverted commas and punctuate them correctly. In Maths, we have been solving money problems, we will keep going with this next week - help your grown-ups with the weekly shopping and practise at home!

Fistral:

Fistral have loved learning all about Theseus and the Minotaur this week! Next week we will be finding out about the everyday lives of the ancient Greeks. In maths, we are subtracting 3 digit numbers and English we are continuing story writing. **Please don't forget swimming kits on Monday, PE kits on Wednesday and wellies and coats on Friday.**

Pentire:

This week the children in Pentire class have worked hard to grasp the concept of perimeter during our maths lessons. We will be moving on to multiplication and division next week. As part of our topic work we have explored a variety of deep-sea creatures, in particular those that produce their own light, and learning about the depths of the world's oceans. We have also completed a range of activities based around our new class text 'Ottoline at Sea' and we will continue to read further chapters next week.

Marazion:

During Literacy, in Marazion class, we will be analysing our class novel 'Blood Heart'. In maths, we will be continuing to focus on multiplication and division. In science, we will be learning about the changes as humans develop to old age. During topic, we will be looking at different blood groups.



A polite reminder not to park in the school car park/grounds at drop off and collection times unless by prior arrangement. This includes the drop off bays. Thank you.

Attendance
Congratulations to Gwithian class with 98.4% attendance this week..

Wet weather
Can you please ensure your child has a coat and a change of socks/shoes (if they walk to school)

Family hub

Don't forget, there is a free coffee and cake morning **Tuesday 13th November 8.45-10am in the family hub.** Its an opportunity for you to put any ideas you have across or just to meet and chat with the support staff available to our local community. We will also be able to give more information on local groups and upcoming groups we may be holding at the family hub. Everyone is welcome, even if their children don't attend the school!

There is a free direct line to Universal Credit in the Truro Library based in town, Union Place.

Sickness reporting

When leaving a voicemail can you please state the reason for your child being recorded as absent through sickness. E.g.; vomiting, upset tummy. Thank you.

'Bags of Help' scheme

TLA has successfully been offered a place in Tesco's (Truro) 'Bags of Help' scheme. Please vote for the school (using the blue tokens), as we would like to create an outdoor classroom to support our passion of children engaging with the natural world. Thank you. Miss Guy

Wilderness club -Tuesday 3.30-4.15pm

There are still a few spaces available. A change of clothes, waterproof coat and wellies are essential as we are an outside club. Miss Wall

Diary dates

November:

9th-14th-Book Week. **In the hall each day from 3.30pm, correct money would be appreciated***
16th-Children in Need ***children can wear non uniform (spotty themed) £1 suggested donation for the charity***
16th-FOTLA meeting from 9 am in school Hall
12th-Anti Bullying Week
26th-Nasal Flu vaccination Reception, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 ***please complete the consent form***
26th-Road Safety

December:

12th-Christmas lunch menu will be served
13th-EYFS and KS1 Nativity 2pm and 6pm performance in the school hall ***details to follow***
14th-FOTLA Christmas fair from 2.30pm in school hall
18th-KS2 Carol service from 2pm at All Saints Church
19th-Individual Class Christmas parties ***boys bring in savoury and girls bring in sweet food please***
20th-Last day of term - 1pm finish