



## TLA Easter Newsletter - Thursday 1st April 2021



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Happy Easter!

Here we are at the end of another busy term at TLA! Many thanks to our children, parents and staff for what has been a very successful transition back to the full opening of the school. The children have proven themselves to be resilient and determined to get back into their learning, and have thoroughly enjoyed being back together with their friends and teachers. Since we reopened fully, we have been thinking about our school value of Reliability, which for us means being trustworthy, honest, punctual and responsible for ourselves and our school. Well done to so many of our children for showing this value in their learning and play! In addition to all of the hard work in school to celebrate, I know that many of you will be feeling the positivity as society begins to open up and the vaccine rollout continues successfully. I hope that you can begin to enjoy the freedoms as lockdown eases, and on behalf of all at TLA, I wish you a wonderful and safe Easter with family and friends.

Mrs Humberstone

### Staffing update

Our much-valued school administrator Rebecca (Bex) Saunders will be leaving us shortly for a new role within the Aspire trust of schools. Whilst we are saddened that she is leaving us, we are grateful for her unyielding commitment to supporting the children and families here at TLA over the last three years and I'm sure that you will join me in wishing her every success for the future.

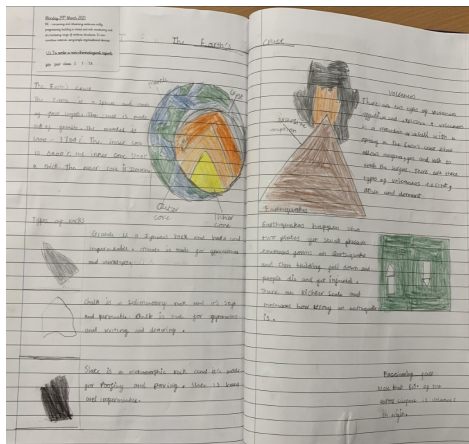
### Consultation on the proposed status change for Truro Learning Academy (TLA) and Nurture Nursery (Malabar)

Truro Learning Academy have submitted an application to the DfE to increase our intake and change our funding agreement to 2-11 years. This means that the current nursery provision at TLA, run by Nurture Nursery, will move to the management of the school. A six-week parent consultation starts today, Thursday 1st April 2021 and ends on Thursday 27th May 2021. We would welcome your feedback so for more information please visit [https://www.truroacademy.org.uk/.../parent\\_nursery.../549957](https://www.truroacademy.org.uk/.../parent_nursery.../549957)

The Year 3 children have thoroughly enjoyed this half term's topic of Rocks, Relics & Rumbles. They have learned how volcanoes, earthquakes and tsunamis are formed, looked at different types of rocks and carried out a soil investigation.

Their learning culminated with writing some fantastic non-chronological reports!

Thank you, Florence for making a wonderful volcano. Year 3 had an exciting time making a volcanic explosion!





Year groups 1, 2, 3 and 4 took part in the Chance to Shine programme with Mr Shaikh from Cornwall Cricket. The classes involved, were inspired and enthused by the Spirit of Cricket during a welcome assembly and clearly understood how to be a 'STAR' during each of the progressive lessons. The children absolutely loved the sessions.

Remember to book your ALL STARS cricket sessions now! [https://ecb.clubspark.uk/AllStars/SearchResults?&gclid=EAlalQobChMlvZ\\_qpOfc7wIVCp53Ch3lBwO1EAAYASAAEgltXvD\\_BwE](https://ecb.clubspark.uk/AllStars/SearchResults?&gclid=EAlalQobChMlvZ_qpOfc7wIVCp53Ch3lBwO1EAAYASAAEgltXvD_BwE)





### The Cove

TLA's new after school provision will be up and running after the Easter break - please see a flyer, emailed through Arbor, on Wednesday, for details of how to book.

We continue to be paper free and you will receive more electronic notifications. No more paper forms and the newsletter will also be going digital.

A polite reminder, to please be patient and courteous with other parents and members of the community along Albany Road and on the school grounds.

Please do not smoke outside the community centre, we have children with asthma and parents do not want to be walking their children through cigarette smoke.

If you have any concerns or witness a situation outside of TLA please report to 111. The parking enforcement team will deal with illegal parking concerns.

**School dinners**-Please remember to add funds to your child's Parent Pay account. You will receive a weekly text reminder when the account goes over £10 for a lunch debt. Please speak with Miss Saunders if you need to set up a payment plan.



Please have a good search at home for reading books, lurking under the bed or in a cupboard, and return any books belonging to TLA. Thank you

Follow us on Facebook and Twitter to see regular updates. Our website also has all the information you need: Free school meals, lunch menus, term dates etc.



Have a wonderful Easter break, we'll see you all on Monday 19th April.

#### Diary dates

##### April

Easter break-Monday 5<sup>th</sup> - Friday 16<sup>th</sup>

19<sup>th</sup> First day back of summer term

##### May

Half Term - Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May - Friday 4<sup>th</sup> June

##### June

7<sup>th</sup> Inset

##### July

22<sup>nd</sup> Last day of term, 1pm finish