



Newsletter

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CLASS NEWS

Kynance Class— Next week we will be continuing our topic - 'All About Me'. We will talk about and record what we like - to do; to eat; to play. We will explore some aspects of Autumn, especially through poetry. We will also start to learn an Autumn/Harvest song. In maths, next week is all about counting - chanting numbers in order up to 10 and then 20, counting items into a set, counting items taken from a larger set, matching a number of items to a numeral, matching written and spoken numerals. We will continue talking about healthy food choices. If you have any magazines you can give us with food pictures in that we could cut out for sorting and discussions - that would be great!

Gwithian Class— Next week in English for Gwithian we will be focusing on seasonal poetry. In Maths we are looking at 1:1 correspondence and identifying numbers to 10 and 20. In Topic we are learning new geographical vocabulary and will be comparing farms from history and now. In Science we are identifying common British wildlife.

Sennen Class— Next week in Sennen class we are having a poetry week starting off with a workshop with local poet Sally Crabtree! We will be thinking about poems surrounding the season Autumn, learning a poem called 'Little Leaves' off by heart and then using it as a basis to create our own poem. In Maths next week we are continuing with Place Value and thinking about counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. Our Science will be thinking about baby and adult animals, looking at the similarities and differences between an animal when it is young and when it is older. In Topic we are going to be thinking about what birds need to stay alive.

Fistral Class— In Fistral next week we will be analysing, performing and innovating poems linked to the season 'Spring'. In maths year 3 will be taught to add and subtract facts up to 20, use number facts to add a 1-digit number to a 2-digit number, use number facts to subtract a 1-digit from a 2-digit number and add several small numbers. In Maths year 4 will be taught to add pairs of 2-digit numbers, add two-digit numbers to three-digit numbers, use frog jumps to subtract pairs of 2-digit numbers, count up and use number bonds to subtract two-digit numbers from 100 and choose counting up or back to subtract two-digit numbers from numbers >100. In topic we will be identifying and analysing capital cities across Europe. In science year 3 will be identifying that animals, including humans, need the right types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat. In science year 4 will identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions.

Pentire Class— In Pentire class next week we will be having a poetry week with a focus on the 'seasons'. We will be having a visit from a poet and we will be having the opportunity to create our own poetry based on the season of 'spring'.

In Maths we will be learning about addition and subtraction problems using decimals. We will be exploring some 'real life' word problems using money and we will be continuing to practice and apply different methods of adding and subtracting.

In Topic work, the class will be continuing their topic work on Africa and will be making some African masks.

In Science we will be finding out about different kinds of global habitats and how different kinds of wildlife adapt to living there

Marazion Class— Next week in English for Marazion, we will be studying poetry with a focus on using rhetorical devices. We will be exploring summer poems and will write our own fantastic examples. In maths next week, we will be using negative numbers in context and will solve place value problems. In topic, we will be discussing who the Ancient Greeks were and explain how and why empires grow. In science, Marazion will observe and explain the effects of differing volts in a circuit and use symbols to represent simple circuits.

FOCUS OF THE WEEK: HIGH EXPECTATIONS

OUTSTANDING WORKERS

Gwithian

Freddie for starting the year with a fantastic attitude to his learning.

Sennen

Roxanne for superb writing in Literacy and Science this week.

Fistral

Rochelle for giving 100% effort to improve her knowledge and understanding.

Pentire

Zoe for lovely literacy work this week & Abbie for fantastic attitude to learning.

Marazion

Callum for beginning the year with a super attitude towards his learning and has shown resilience and great determination in his writing.

CLUB CANCELLATIONS

Due to essential staff training all after school clubs have been cancelled on Wednesday 20th September, Thursday 21st September and Thursday 5th October.

SCHOOL TIMETABLE

Can we please remind all parents that school begins at 8:45am and ends at 3:15pm. Children should be dropped off and picked up on time each day.

LOST PROPERTY

We still have a large amount of unclaimed lost property. If your child misplaced any items last year please come to the office to have a look for it. Any items not claimed by Friday 22nd September will become property of TLA.

ROALD DAHL DAY AT TLA

A big thank you to all those who dressed up and donated towards Roald Dahl day on Wednesday.



WEEK COMMENCING **SEPTEMBER 18TH** - WEEK 2 OF THE MENU WILL BE SERVED

DIARY DATES

SEPTEMBER 19TH	National Poetry Day—Guest Poet Sall Crabtree visiting
OCTOBER 13TH	Reception, 1, 2, 3 and 4 - nasal spray flu vaccination
OCTOBER 17TH	British Heroes Day—Children to dress up as their favourite British Hero
OCTOBER 17TH	Parents Evening

INSET DAY 20TH OCTOBER

HALF-TERM HOLIDAYS 23RD—27TH OCTOBER

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS 21ST DECEMBER—3RD JANUARY 2018