



DEVORAN NEWS

Message from the Head

Dear Parents and Carers

Devoran School has been a hive of activity this week with lots of wonderful learning going on in each classroom; Year One really enjoyed trying Welsh cakes as part of their learning about the four nations of the United Kingdom and created some beautiful daffodils to make links with their art learning.

The lunchtime routine is working really well at the moment and the children have coped brilliantly despite a few wet-play days which is undoubtedly harder with the current COVID restrictions in place. We continue to be so proud of our children and the resilience they show. We are getting the children outside as much as possible – your child is very welcome to bring in a pair of named wellies to leave in school should they wish to. A raincoat has certainly been a necessity this week!

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Miss Lock

Staff news

This term we welcome our SCITT student Miss Fabienne Rosevear into Year 2. Miss Rosevear has enjoyed getting to know the children over the past week and will be with us until December.

Harvest Donations – final week!

Thank you to everyone who has already brought in items from the list below for our Harvest celebration. Next week will be the final week to bring your donations into school. Thank you in advance for your continued support.

Your child can bring their donations to their classroom and we will ensure all items are quarantined before passing them on to the foodbank in time for half term.

The children will take part in a virtual assembly to learn about the foodbank and the work that they do at some point over the next couple of weeks.

At the moment the foodbank would gratefully receive any of the following:



Tins of veg / potatoes / tomatoes	Rice
Custard	Pasta
Rice pudding	Shower gel
Tinned meat	Laundry liquid
Tinned fish	Toilet rolls

Hand soap / hand moisturiser

A number of parents have been asking if their child can bring in their own hand soap / hand cream to use when washing their hands. We are very happy for your child to bring in a **named** soap / cream that will then remain in school and be positioned by the sink in the classroom.

It is vitally important that all soaps and moisturisers are **seed and nut free**. Please check the label before allowing your child to bring a product in. Anything with nuts or seeds cannot be used by children in school.


HAIRE – Healthy Ageing through Innovation in Rural Europe

Please read the information from Bex below about a project that Devoran School are proud to be a part of. Please pass the information below to members of the community as well as to grandparents and neighbours:

Hi, my name is Bex Rawbone and I am the project co-ordinator for a health & wellbeing project, known as HAIRE (Healthy Ageing through Innovation in Rural Europe), running in Feock Parish Council in association with the University of Exeter. Feock Parish was chosen as one of two pilot sites in the UK to take part in this part EU funded programme, so it's a fantastic opportunity for the local area.

Over the next few months the HAIRE team would like to speak to Feock Parish residents who are age 60+ and not in employment to enable people to make use of what the Parish has to offer through local activities and services, create new ideas, build social networks to reduce isolation and loneliness in the community. Our target is to speak to 75 people, so we are working hard to raise public awareness and engagement.

In the upcoming weeks, I will be training local HAIRE volunteers who will make contact with residents to have a conversation around health and wellbeing topics and the local area. All information given will be anonymised and dealt with in strict confidence for the sole purpose of the project. Please feel free to spread the word about this exciting new project and feel free to get in touch.



HAIRE

**HEALTHY AGEING
IN THE PARISH
OF FEOCK**

Are you 60+, not working and feeling more could be done to support you and your local community?

Could you spend a little time talking to our friendly, trained volunteers about how you can make the most of what our parish has to offer, and how new activities could be developed to improve your quality of life here?

We are ready to listen to your views, ideas and concerns with living in this area.

To express interest in taking part and for further information, contact:

Bex Rawbone, HAIRE Project coordinator
on 01872 863333 | 07988 106432
or by email on bex@feockparishcouncil.co.uk

Visit our website for updates: www.feockpc.com/wellbeing

If you know anyone who would like to talk to us about their situation, please pass on our details to them.

A Feock Parish Council Initiative in
association with the University of Exeter

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HAIRE





Early Help Parenting Worker Advice Line

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Our regular parenting courses are currently being delivered virtually due to Covid-19 restrictions.

Do you need some support and advice to understand your child's needs and behaviour?

- Advice on positive parenting and how to keep your child safe
- To understand the importance of routines for your family

To get in touch with your questions please send an email to Myra Whitney, Area Parenting Lead, myra.whitney@cornwall.gov.uk or call 01209 310000 and leave a message mentioning Parenting Worker Advice Line with your contact details and the best time for us to contact you.

A member of the Parenting Team will contact you back by phone within two working days.

West Cornwall Autumn Term Virtual Parenting Programmes							
Being passionate about the Early Years	10:00-11:30	Thursday	8/10/2020	15/10/2020	22/10/2020		
BPAP 5-11	1:00-2:30	Tuesday	6/10/2020	13/10/2020	20/10/2020		
TAKE 3 (5 weeks)	6:00-8:00	Wed	4/11/2020	11/11/2020	18/11/2020	25/11/2020	2/12/2020
BPAP with an awareness of ADHD	Evening 6:30 - 8:00	Tuesday	6/10/2020	13/10/2020	20/10/2020		
BPAP with an awareness of the Spectrum (4 weeks 1.5 hours)	Evening 6:30 - 8:00	Wednesday	4/11/2020	11/11/2020	18/11/2020	25/11/2020	
Teenage Brain	Date to be confirmed.						

Being Passionate about Parenting the Early Years

A 6-hour workshop for Parents / Carers of children aged 1 to 3 years (pre-reception). It is an introduction to strategies and incorporates golden threads from our other Parenting programs. The aims include: - To build relationships with our toddlers. To develop top tips for positive behavior management. To give support and confidence to Parents/ Carer. Topics in this workshop include: - child led play, special time, praise, limited choices use of language, routines etc. This workshop is delivered on a need led basis. Ideally it will be delivered on a monthly in each Locality across the County.

Being Passionate about Parenting 5-11years

A 6-hour workshop for Parents / Carers of young people aged 5 to 11 years (primary up to year 6). It is an introduction to some top tips and strategies and incorporates golden threads from our other Parenting programs. It is an introduction to positive behaviour management that often gives those who attend confidence to engage with other support on offer.

Being Passionate about parenting with a basic introduction and awareness to ADHD

A 6-hour workshop for Parents / Carers of young people aged 5 to 11 years (primary up to year 6). It is an introduction to some top tips and strategies and incorporates golden threads from our other Parenting programs. It is an introduction to positive behaviour management that often gives those who attend confidence to engage with other support on offer. The ADHD element of the workshop includes: - Fact and Fiction about ADHD, definition of ADHD and possible areas that may be a challenge, the use of language and effective communication, seeing behaviours from your young person's perspective and supporting them with practical strategies and top tips.

Being Passionate about parenting with a basic introduction and awareness of the Spectrum

A 6.5-hour workshop for Parents / Carers of young people aged 5 to 11 years (primary up to year 6). It is an introduction to some top tips and strategies and incorporates golden threads from our other Parenting programs. It is an introduction to positive behaviour management that often gives those who attend confidence to engage with other support on offer. The elements which are about the Spectrum includes:- Fact and Fiction about the Spectrum, looking at definitions/challenges and strategies to support your young person, sensory challenges, basic social scripts to support situations that may be difficult to understand, the use of language to support positive communication, and to understand behaviours from your young person's point of view.

TAKE 3

A 10 hours workshop parents and carers of teenagers. Whether you have current worries about your teenager or would just like to understand your child better, this programme will have something for you. How to encourage, motivate and support young people. Helping parents look after themselves. How to negotiate boundaries that work

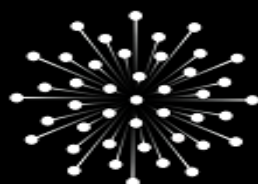
Being Passionate about the teenage Brain

A 6-hour workshop for Parents / Carers of young people aged 12 to 17(Secondary years 7 to 11). It is an introduction to strategies and incorporates golden threads from our other Parenting programs. The aims of the workshop include: - To build relationships with our young people. To develop positive strategies to support behavior management. To provide support, information and confidence to Parents/ Carers. Topics in this workshop include: -Boundaries and communication, emotions, keeping calm, praise, the teenage brain, parenting styles etc. This workshop is delivered on a need led basis. Ideally it will be delivered on a monthly basis in each Locality across the County.

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INTRIGUED?
FIND OUT MORE AT OUR OPEN EVENTS



NEXUS

For more information, go to our website
nexuscsia.co.uk/openevent



We invite you to our
Nexus Virtual Tour
Wednesday 14th October
– Online at 6pm –

Presentations from
Nexus' Leadership Team & Staff.



After taking part in our virtual school tour,
you can attend the school in person for a
Covid Secure Campus Tour
19th, 20th, 21st & 22nd October

Book a tour on our website nexuscsia.co.uk

BESPOKE CAMPUS

Next to Camborne Railway Station, 10
mins from A30 and 5 mins walk from
Camborne Bus Station

NO FEES
State Funded

**UNRIVALLED
EDUCATION &
OPPORTUNITIES**
Exceptional Results

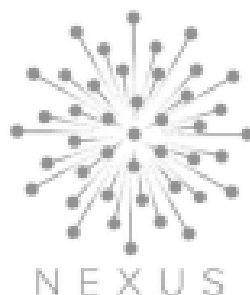


Albert Einstein's General Theory of Relativity, 1916.

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An inspirational quote by Nelson Mandela.

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Home of the Gifted STEM Programme

October 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

This letter is to introduce the Nexus Gifted Programme. Nexus is unique in Cornwall, providing a state-funded specialist education to able young people. Nexus, part of Camborne Science and International Academy, is situated on a separate campus next to the train station and 5 minutes from the bus station. As a consequence, Nexus attracts students from all over Cornwall from St Just to Padstow.

Students join the programme in Year 7 following a rigorous assessment and interview process. There is a strong focus on academic achievement, alongside a bespoke curriculum aimed to engage and challenge our students.

Please find enclosed with this letter information about our programme and upcoming dates of socially distanced events and online tours.

If you are interested in the Nexus programme, I would also like to invite you for a personal tour between 10th – 23rd October for yourself and son/daughter, led by a member of the Nexus Leadership Team who will also be able to answer your questions.

Due to current Covid guidelines we can only offer this to one family at a time, so booking is essential by emailing reception@nexuscsia.co.uk

From all of our team here at Nexus we hope you are inspired to find out more

Yours Sincerely,

Thomas Platts – Lead Practitioner for Primary Outreach

