



Warbstow Primary Academy

Head of School: Mr S Ellis

12th March 2021

Dear parents/carers

It has been wonderful to see all the children back this week. Classrooms are full and the playgrounds are awash with happy shouting, running, chatting and excited little people (and some not so little as they have grown!).

With that said, we have also noticed that children have felt the strain of the return. They have had to re-establish friendships, relearn how we do things, get used to the length of the school day and ultimately find their feet again. These challenges are emotionally and physically draining, and we have seen a few tears and anxious children.

As Friday ends and a restful weekend approaches, know that we are working on supporting all the children and easing their return.

Next week, we will continue to ease back into the swing of things and keep a close eye on any, and all children and their wellbeing.

In other news, Warbstow school are now third time winners of the SumDog online Aspire maths challenge competition. This competition is open to all schools in Aspire and pits classes against each other. The results showed Class 3 in 1st place, Class 2 in 2nd place and Class 1 in 7th place. Well done to all who took part, another trophy on its way.

I would like to thank all those who have sent messages of thanks and support recognising the efforts made by all staff at Warbstow over the lockdown period. The provision and support has been excellent I agree. Special thanks to the cakes sent to the staffroom from the Uglow's and the Shute's!

The kitchen is running at full speed and I am pleased to see so many children taking up the school dinner option. Sam is always open to suggestions and looks at the popularity of meals and will adjust menus that children do not like. So let us know what your children think.

Can I remind parents of children in class 1 and 2 (R,Y1,Y2, Y3 & Y4) that back packs are taking up too much space on the coat hooks. Book bags are being wedged into these packs and books are being damaged/creased. A PE bag for the week, book bag and coat would really help reduce the mass of baggage building up.

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Launceston College have forwarded us with transition dates for Y6-Y7.
Please see below.

Y6 - Y7 Evening - Thursday 15th July

Transition/Induction Days - Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th July

Summer School - Monday 9th August - Friday 13th August

More information should be on their website.

Lastly, can you all please ensure that lunch options are completed by Sunday evening and any ParentPay balances are cleared each Sunday too.

Have a marvellous weekend and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

Best regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Stuart Ellis', written in a cursive style.

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