

Friday 25th September 2020

Dear parents/carers,

We have had a busy and exciting week in school.

Social distancing

Thank you for your ongoing support with our social distancing measures. As previously mentioned, we are constantly reviewing these measures and are making amendments as necessary. Please note that we have made a change to the drop off and collection arrangements for Year R and Year 6 children.

Time	Location	Route
Year R 8:30 am	Main Year R classroom door.	Through large green gates, across playground, up ramp and to classroom door.
Year R 3:10pm	Main Year R classroom door.	As above.
Year 6 8:30am	Main front door	Through the top gate and directly into the school building
Year 6 3:25pm	Main front door	Down through the car park and out the bottom gate.

Please could I kindly ask all parents/carers, when entering and exiting the site to adhere to the 2m social distancing measures. Thank you.

Please could I also remind all parents/carers and children that our school day begins at 8:30am. Please do not arrive on site before this time as staff will not be available to supervise your children.

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Year 6 transition to Year 7

Whilst we have only just begun our new autumn term, Year 6 children and their parents/carers will already be thinking of their transition to secondary school in Year 7. Please could I remind all parents/carers to apply for a place in year 7 at secondary school by the deadline of 31st October 2020.

Information and guidance can be found at:

Website and application form: www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

Email: schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk

Post: School Admissions Team, County Hall, Truro, TR1 3AY

Telephone: 0300 1234 101

Reporting Positive COVID-19 Test (out of hours)

If you receive a positive COVID-19 test, in the first instance please contact the school office by phone. If the office is closed, please complete the form at the link below to report a positive test.

<http://www.aspireacademytrust.org/coronavirus>

<u>Attendance</u>		
Our school target for attendance is 96%		
1 st Place	Year 4	100.0%
2 nd Place	Year R	99.6%
3 rd Place	Year 2	96.6%

Shine celebrations

As we are unable to come together as a school to celebrate our shine assembly in the hall, we have this week, celebrated our shine nominations through a Teams call to each class. The children were delighted to see one another via Teams and it was wonderful to celebrate together with the support of technology!

Please see below our Shining Stars for this week.

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Year R – Jack

For being a kind, polite and hardworking friend, without exception. Jack is an absolute joy to have in Year R and has amazed us with his fantastic learning this week.

Year 1 – Joseph

Joseph has read every evening above this target. Well done Joseph, please keep up this amazing reading.

Year 2 – Tino

For an excellent start to Year 2 and outstanding writing.

Year 3 – Kian

Kian has had a wonderful start to the new term. He has shown amazing effort in all his work, demonstrating real perseverance when the going was hard.

Year 4 – Zac

Zac has made a super effort to settle into his new class, giving it his all, particularly during the daily mile where he never gives up. Zac sets a wonderful example to his peers by completing his work quickly and quietly. Such a lovely addition to the class.

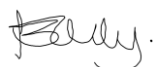
Year 5 – Kitty

For her phrase of the week – palace of isolation.

Year 6 – Eloise

For outstanding effort in literacy. Eloise has worked so hard to improve her handwriting resulting in a superb evacuee report. Well Done!

Kind Regards,



Mrs Eddy
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