



# Cusgarne School Bulletin

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Dear Parents

The children had a lovely day last Friday when they showed their spots for Children in Need Day and I hope that you made an on-line donation if you were able.

We were also delighted that the children engaged so positively and took part in the Aspire Sumdog Challenge. Across the Aspire Schools, a total of 327,390 questions were answered correctly. A huge well done to Starling class who came first out of 125 classes in Thursday's daily competition, scoring 175 points! WOW – great result Starlings! We have now signed up to the full package which gives the children access to many more games and activities.

It is lovely to have our Kingfishers back and school has a gentle hum of activity. We would normally be looking forward to the Christmas light parade in Truro since it starts our journey towards Christmas. We are still awaiting some details, but we will be making our last week of term, all things Christmassy!

You have all hopefully had details of the Christmas dinner that Caterlink are providing on Wednesday 16 December, so please make sure you fill out your on-line order form. Please contact the office if you have any difficulties with this form.

With the growth in on-line learning and the increased use of Twitter and Facebook , we have emailed families asking for updated media consents. Please make sure you log onto your Arbor account to update your consents and preferences. At the same time, please do check your contact information is still correct and let us know of any changes.

Breakfast Club: Please remember to book your children into breakfast club. We need to know in advance so we can ensure we have staff on duty.



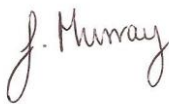
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Tempest : On Monday 23 November, Tempest are coming into school to take individual photos and the proofs will be sent home to your as soon as possible. Remember that this year, you will have to place your orders direct with Tempest. Nationally, the topic of free school meals has been highlighted and we know that there are families who are probably entitled. Please have a look at the Cornwall Council webpages where you can also submit an application.

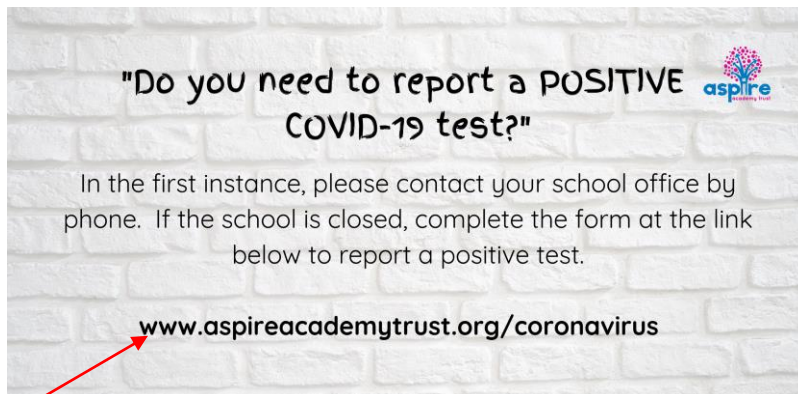
<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/schoolmeals>

Have a super weekend.

Yours sincerely



Julia Murray  
Acting Head of School



Please keep a note of this email address and remember to notify us even if it is out of hours.

**Diary Dates:**

23 November	Tempest photos
16 December	Christmas dinner day and wear a Christmas jumper
18 December	Last day of term – school closes at 1pm
4 January	Inset day – school closed to pupils
5 January	Spring Term begins



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And finally, if you know an any child who will be starting school in September, please remind them that applications need to be made by 15 January 2021.



Together   
for Families

The  
deadline for  
applications is  
**15 January  
2021**

# Starting school

## September 2021

Applying for a place in a reception class for children born between 1 September 2016 and 31 August 2017

### Attending a nursery or pre-school

You will need to apply even if your child attends a school's nursery or pre-school class. Please note that if a school is oversubscribed the fact that a child attends a school's nursery or pre-school, or a local nursery or pre-school, does not automatically guarantee a place at that school. The school's oversubscription criteria will be used to allocate places. Visit our website or contact us for more information.

### Information and guidance

Website and application form: [www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions)

Email: [schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk](mailto:schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk)

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

Telephone: **0300 1234 101**

### Need help with your application?

Contact the Family Information Service on **0800 587 8191**



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