



**The Bishops' C of E
Learning Academy**

Weekly Newsletter

Friday 7th February 2020 Spring Term 5
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Faith to Belong, Believe, Aspire and Achieve

This week's focus: St Paul and the Shipwreck

Our collective worship this week focused on the story of Paul and the shipwreck and how it links with our mantra of 'Faith to Belong, Believe, Aspire and Achieve'. The Worship Leaders explained how Paul **believed** that God was with him on the island on Malta and he **aspired** to do the will of God despite the hardships he experienced. Well done to the Worship Leaders for a great assembly.



Bible passage of the week:

Luke 2:29-32

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace according to thy word. For mine eyes have seen thy salvation. Which thou hast prepared before the face of all people. To be a light to lighten the Gentiles and to be the glory of thy people Israel

INSET DAYS 2019/2020

Friday 3rd July
Wednesday 22nd July
Thursday 23rd July

BANK HOLIDAYS

Friday 8th May to commemorate the 75th anniversary of VE Day

TERM DATES 2019/2010

Spring Term

06.01.2020 to 14.02.2020
24.02.2020 to 27.03.2020

Summer Term

14.04.2020 to 22.05.2020
01.06.2020 to 23.07.2020

Swim team success!

Our Y5 girls swim team came 3rd in the Mid Cornwall swim gala today. Well done Amelia, Maja, Chloe and Isabelle. The swimming competition involved five different schools (and we were the only school with four girls). In our school, Amelia did back stroke, Maja did freestyle which is a dive into dolphin kick into back stroke. Chloe did breaststroke and Isabelle did front crawl. Our school came 3rd and the whole team were awarded medals. We then finished with a relay race. **By Amelia and Maja.**



Look at this amazing homework!





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Fistral and Towan



Fistral and Towan have been creating some wonderful rainforest paintings over the last week. We painted a jungle background using lots of green shades and the children explored different tools to apply paint to their pictures. Then we made jungle and rainforest animals using different materials and stuck them onto our paintings. Some children have even chosen to add their own photo, pretending they were explorers in the rainforest. We have also been sharing all the things we have learned about, what it is like in the rainforest and facts about the animals there.



Dates for your diary

11/02 Y2 Teddy Bear Picnic from 2.45pm

11/02 London residential trip meeting for Year 5 parents

12/02 to 14/02 Gannel and Whipsiderry residential trip to Delaware

13/02 Okehampton residential trip meeting for Year 6 parents

14/02 Atlantic and Tolcarne visit Bodmin and Wenford Railway

24/02 Vision Screening by school nurse for Reception children

26/02 and 27/02 EYFS Parent Meetings

27/02 Tag Rugby competition for Y5 /6

27/02 Football match against Newquay Junior Academy

Class Attendance

Whole school attendance is currently 95.4%, This week's attendance award goes to Towan Class with 99% attendance.

School ties

We now stock school ties on site. Ties cost £3.50. Please see the school office for more details.

Perran and Porth

Perran and Porth Classes have been busy making dragons as part of our DT project. We thought carefully about our designs, chose our own media and considered which techniques would support our design brief; a strong and moveable dragon.





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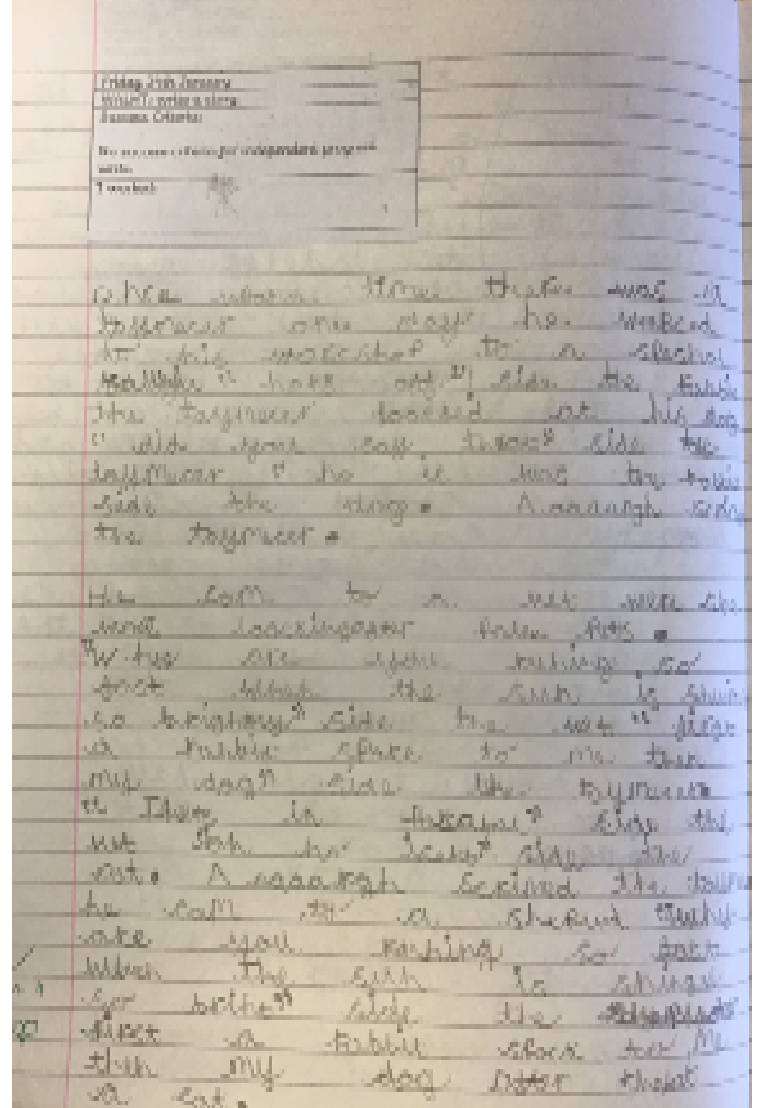
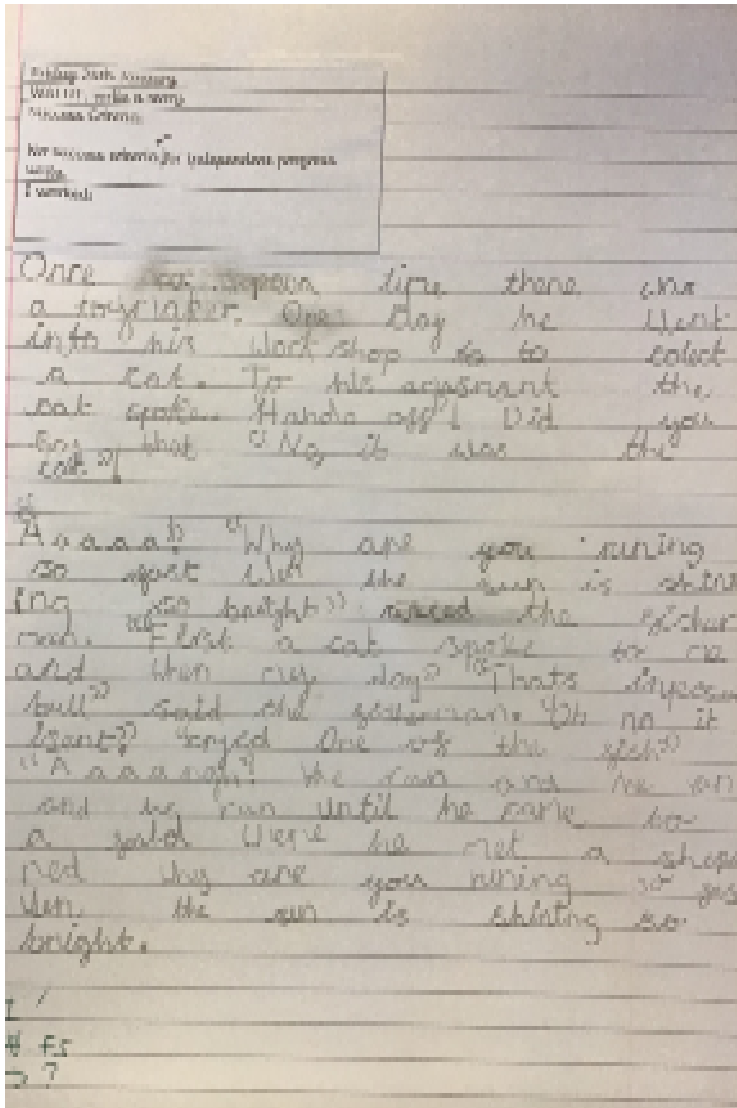
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Harbour and Watergate



Come and see Harbour's wonderful writing. The children wrote stories about a toy that spoke to a toymaker when he went to his workshop one day. Here are two examples. The first is from Evelyn B and the second is from Macy C.

Atlantic and Tolcarne

Year 3 have enjoyed learning about forces this week focusing around using magnets. We have loved completing a Science challenge to find out which magnets were the strongest .

Miss Burnett and Miss Dolbear have been blown away by the quality and quantity of homework this half term. Well done children!

We are really excited about our trip on the steam train at Bodmin and Wenford Railway next week . It's going to be a lovely way to finish our topic 'Full Steam Ahead' .



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Gannell and Whipsiderry

In Gannell and Whipsiderry we have been learning about the religion, Hinduism. We enjoyed a workshop with Daya who taught us lots of new things about this interesting faith. We got changed into Indian clothing which had lots of jewels and danced to Hindu music. We role played being in a mandir which included meditation. Daya wrote our names in the Hindi language. We really enjoyed it. It was fun and interesting. By Imogen and Amira.



Crantock



We have been learning about Emotive Language and Rhetorical questions in English, ready to write a letter of persuasion. This has linked to learning about amazing people; our focus this week has been Mother Teresa, Florence Nightingale and Eva Crane. On Wednesday, we have done a SPAG test (which we did ok in) and in the afternoon, had our second to last swimming lesson. We will be erupting more volcanoes tomorrow as more of our friends have been working hard with their home learning.

By Pheobe and Tegen.



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Holywell and Lusty Glaze



In music we have been making our own rhythms in Morse code. A very famous compose called Baecowicz made a rhythm in Morse code, she wrote her orchestral piece when hiding from the Nazi's in World War II.

We used all types of instruments like drums, shakers and maracas.

By Joseph



Lusty Glaze

In Lusty Glaze Class this week, we have been creating model WW2 Anderson Shelters using lots of different materials. In writing, we have been preparing to perform our flashback stories with a green screen background and writing informal penpal letters to schools in Manchester and America - describing why we love living in beautiful Cornwall!





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Crossing Patrol Vacancy

There is a vacancy for a School Crossing Patrol person at our school starting after half term. Hours will be Monday to Friday during term time, 8.30am to 9.05am and 3.05pm to 3.35pm. The vacancy is advertised on the Cornwall Council job page.

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School Crossing Patrol vacancies in this area

Do you have time to spare or know someone that does?

Concerned about children's safety, and would like to do your bit for the community?

Then becoming a School Crossing Patrol may be for you!



For more information please email schoolcrossingpatrol@cormacltd.co.uk

Tel: 01872323313



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THE CORNWALL MUSIC EDUCATION HUB PRESENTS...

SONGFEST 2020

SPECTACULAR SONGS FOR THE HEART AND SOUL!

Wadebridge Town Hall
23rd & 24th March 2020 -7pm

TICKETS
£8 for adults and £2 for under 16's (plus booking fee)
Tickets available from the Minack Theatre Box Office:
01752 610167 or <https://www.minack.com/songfest2020/>

Logos for Cornwall Council, Cornwall Music Education Hub, and Arts Council England.

SUGAR SMART Fizz-Free February!

- Sweet fizzy drinks can contain up to 22 sugar cubes!
 - Too much sugar in drinks can have a negative impact on our teeth and cause decay.
 - Fizzy drinks can make up a large proportion of our recommended daily maximum of free sugar, before we consume anything else.
- Water is an excellent alternative to fizzy drinks because we need water to...
- Carry nutrients and remove toxins
 - Send messages from your brain to the rest of your body
 - Regulate your temperature
 - Digest food and drink
- If we don't drink enough water we can really become dehydrated, which could cause headaches, dizziness, poor concentration, dizziness, and nausea.



The challenge for this Fizz-Free February is to drink 8 glasses of water every day for a month (1 glass = approx 200ml).

Use the marker below to track your progress. In the notes section you can think about how you feel and how you are finding the challenge. Work out your average number of glasses this week. You can do this by adding up the number of glasses in the week and dividing by 7. Can you improve each week? Or do you need to ask an adult for help!

Logos for Cornwall Cricket and Cornwall County Cricket.

FEBRUARY HALF TERM CAMPS

Cornwall Cricket Centre
Tynna College
10am - 4pm
Softball: 17 & 18 Feb 2020
Hardball: 19 & 20 Feb 2020

All participants will be entered into a prize draw to win 1 of 2 CCL Shovelays bats. Draw to take place in April 2020.

Softball Camp
School years 1-4 - £20

Hardball Camp
School years 5-7 - £30
Bring protection gear

Bring a packed lunch & drinks for the day

Booking & details
www.cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/activities-camps/
Tel: 01872 347116 info@cornwallcricket.co.uk



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Sporting Events

Year 1 Multiskills



Some of the children in Year 1 this week took part in an exciting multi-skills event at Newquay Sports Centre. They had a fantastic time taking part in lots of activities and making new friends from other schools. You can see by the big smiles what a great time they had.

Tag Rugby



On Tuesday evenings we are now running a Tag Rugby club to build our team for the forthcoming season. Children from year 3 and year 4 are now welcome to join the Year 5/6's and will need sports kit (not school PE kit) and football boots. The club is coached by Mr Elford and Mr Richards and finishes at 4pm. If your child is interested, please sign up in the office with Mrs Roberts.



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The Bishops' Awards!

At The Bishops' we are very proud to celebrate achievement, improvement perseverance and effort. Each week we will award for each class a star of the week, a Head teacher's award and also a reading award for Year 1 upwards.

CLASS	STAR OF THE WEEK	HEAD TEACHER'S AWARD	READING AWARD
FISTRAL	Finn J	Freddie S	
TOWAN	Annabel F	Arlo E	
PERRAN	Layla-Rose L	Joel R	Angel W
PORTH	Cory L	Dominik O	Florence W
HARBOUR	Reece G	Benji W	Franek P
WATERGATE	Adam F	Oliver P	Jacob D
ATLANTIC	Jack T	Harry R	Francine A
TOLCARNE	Izak L	Rhia-jae M	Adam D
GANNEL	Savannah C	Bentley M	Oscar W
WHIPSIDERRY	Boyd O	Oliver M	Nikita L
CRANTOCK	Austin H	Liam H	Isabelle L
HOLYWELL	Amelia C	Susannah M	Lara E
LUSTY GLAZE	Shane B	Marley P	Darryl B

Well done to everyone, you are all superstars!



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'Have a Go Days'

Free to attend. A fun and friendly activity for children with additional needs or disability and their siblings or friends, aged 6-17

Wednesday 19 February
10am-12pm
Bodmin Leisure Centre
Lostwithiel Road
Bodmin, PL31 1DE

Wednesday 19 February
2-4pm
Cornwall College
Trevenson Rd, TR15 3RD

Booking is essential. For more information and to book your free place(s) contact Katie on 01736 759500 or email katie@disabilitycornwall.org.uk. Find us on Facebook by searching "Have a Go Days Cornwall".

