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Treverbyn

Academy Newsletter.

Menabilly Class

This week we have been getting to know our Dear Zoo with our story map, practising our story and actions altogether. We have also been practising our story song! We shared this song in assembly as part of our literacy week celebration. In our phonics lessons we have working hard on our sentence writing, and blending skills with some wonderful writing about some Zoo animals.

Reception have been making the most of the lovely dry days and have been very creative, constructive and imaginative in our outside area

Porthpean Class

Year 1 have been scientists this week, predicting then investigating the speed of ice melting. We have also started our new writing unit, learning and exploring a set of instructions for making bird feeders. In maths we have been exploring addition to 20 using lots of different resources, such as number lines and tens frames. We have been looking at the wind and how the wind is useful to us, and we even made our own kites which we tested in the playground! What a great week we have had. Next week we will be starting to look at subtraction in maths and starting to write our own instructions in English!

Pendower Class

Year 2 have had a busy week with some exciting visitors! We were lucky enough to be visited by the one and only Ernest Shackleton who talked about his journey and significance linked to the Polar Regions. We have also taken part in a healthy relationships workshop with Barnardos.

During maths we have enjoyed looking at dividing into equal groups and we will continue this learning into next week. We are excited about performing our Lost and Found story to the rest of the school tomorrow also!!

Next week we will be looking at different spelling patterns, adjectives, adverbs and nouns!

Thanks for your continued support with spellings and reading also.

Charlestown

In maths we have been learning how to divide 2 digit number by a 1 digit number using different strategies and our times tables.

We have continued looking at Louis Braille as a significant person and created some signs for our class room, WE have used our sense of touch to feel the letters and tried to find our names we looked at the history of Captain James Cook and talked about diaries.

We have been reading a new book 'The Magic Carpet Slip-

pers' and can't wait to see what happens next.....

Whipsiderry Class

This week Year 4 have been working on their understanding of division of 2 digit numbers. Our times tables knowledge has been a great help here.

This week is National Story Telling week and we have been working really hard to learn our story off by heart to be able to tell to others. (Biased I know, but we are awesome at it!) We have been innovating our story 'Dangle' we have been trying to think carefully about our vocabulary choices to really make our stories as dramatic as possible.

We are reading a great book called The boy who biked the World and have been riding out about lots of different places in the world. We have been identifying these locations similarities and differences and locating them on our world map

Please could you ensure that you child reads at least 4 times a week at home and this is record in their reading record. Our hockey skills are going from strength to strength in PE, please could you ensure your child has a PE kit (Trainers, white t-shirt and black shorts, black tracksuit bottoms or sports leggings are great for winter too) in school every day.

Porthcurno Class

Porthcurno have been learning how to multiply fractions and simplify them this week. Several pupils have become much more confident calculating fraction sums and problems. Ask your child if they can recall three different ways to multiply two fractions together. (Clue for 1 method: butterfly) In English we are continuing to read Goodnight Mister Tom and the class have written a diary entry independently to demonstrate what text and punctuation features they can remember. We have also started to design our own Anderson shelters which we will soon be constructing. Please continue to send in items from home that will be useful for this project. Thank you

Pentewan Class

This week in maths, Year 6 have been exploring and classifying 2D shapes as well as calculating missing angles in triangles. In English, they have been identifying the features of instructional texts and innovating a set of instructions about how to escape from quicksand! Next week, they will be writing an invented set of instructions in English and consolidating our arithmetic skills in maths. In science, we will be concluding our work on the human respiratory and circulatory systems by writing an explanation of their functions.

Year 4 Multiplication check!

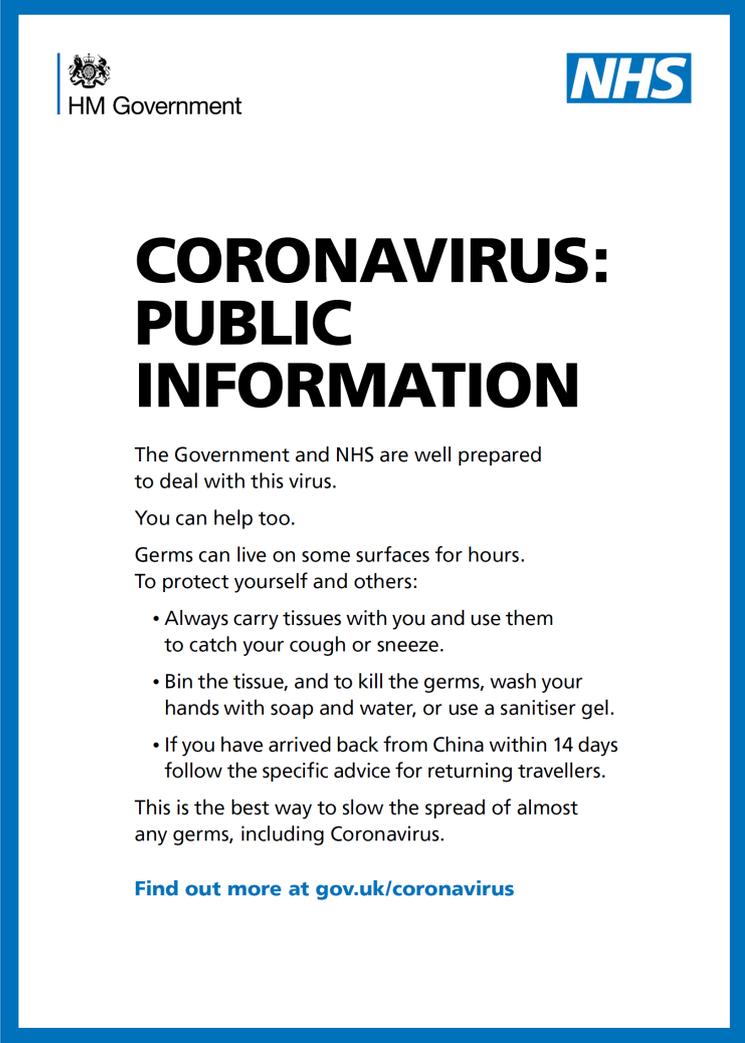
You may have heard that year 4 will be taking part in a compulsory multiplication check this year. We would like to invite you to our class on Thursday the 13th February at 2:40 to explain more about this and show you how you can support your child. We look forward to seeing you next Thursday, thanks for your support, the Year 4 Team

You should not be unduly worried about the possibility of your children catching the Coronavirus.

There is no reason why your children should not continue to attend their early years, school or further education setting as normal.

We recognise that some families or children may be planning to travel to China during the forthcoming half term period. If so, please refer to the FCO's latest travel advice :

- <https://www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice/china>
- <https://www.gov.uk/government/news/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-and-avian-flu-advice-for-travel-to-china>



The poster features the HM Government logo (Crest) and the NHS logo in the top left and right corners respectively. The main title is 'CORONAVIRUS: PUBLIC INFORMATION' in large, bold, black capital letters. Below the title, the text reads: 'The Government and NHS are well prepared to deal with this virus. You can help too. Germs can live on some surfaces for hours. To protect yourself and others:'. This is followed by a bulleted list of three points: 'Always carry tissues with you and use them to catch your cough or sneeze.', 'Bin the tissue, and to kill the germs, wash your hands with soap and water, or use a sanitiser gel.', and 'If you have arrived back from China within 14 days follow the specific advice for returning travellers.'. The text concludes with 'This is the best way to slow the spread of almost any germs, including Coronavirus.' and a blue link 'Find out more at gov.uk/coronavirus'.

HM Government

NHS

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The Government and NHS are well prepared to deal with this virus.
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Extreme Reading Competition:

In addition to the activities on World Book Day (we will be celebrating this on Friday 6th March), we are inviting all children to take part in an 'extreme reading' competition!

Category one:

Take a photograph of yourself reading in an unusual place.

Category two:

Take a photograph of your pet enjoying a book.

Remember to stay safe! Extreme does not mean dangerous and you should not put yourself, your pet or your book in danger in the quest for the perfect photo. Please read responsibly!

To enter the competition, photos should be submitted via the school office **by Friday 28th February 2020.**

Please make sure they are in an envelope labelled extreme reading competition and that you include your name and class. Alternatively, you could email your photograph to secretary@treverbyn.org.uk put 'Extreme Reading Competition entry' as the subject. The winners will be announced and book-themed prizes awarded during our assembly on Friday 6th March!

Attendance

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	School
86.5%	87.%	92.5%	95.7%	88.7%	92.6%	98.3%	91.6%

Please remember to check the term dates at Cornwall.gov.uk before you or any family members book holidays for your children—Cornwall's term dates often differ from the rest of the country!

Dates for your diary:

14th February	INSET day
17th-21st February	February Half Term
27th March	Last day of Spring Term, school finishes at 1:30pm
14th April	First day of Summer Term
8th May	Bank Holiday—School closed
25th-29th May	May Half Term
21st July	Last day of Summer Term, school finishes at 1:30pm



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We are closed for half term Friday 14th and back again Monday 24th Feb

Dragonflies

This weeks stars of the week are Archie and Ollie well done to you both.

Rosie bear is going home with Keris. We hope Rosie bear is well-behaved for you Keris!

Next week our story will be “Guess how much I love you”. You should all have received a paper heart and all we ask is that you decorate it with your child. Ask them who is special to them and why and then return it to nursery for us to all share.

Damselflies

Benjamin bear has gone home with Madison, we hope Benjamin is well-behaved for you Madison!

Tapestry

We would really appreciate it if you could regularly check Tapestry and comment. This is your child’s learning journey and should be a collaborative journal between nursery and home. A great way to share what your child does at home and view what they do at nursery and being aware of their next steps in their journey.

All children should come to nursery with named belongings, e.g. coat, closed toe shoes, socks, wellies, packed lunch box, drinks bottle, sun hat etc.

Please can I remind you to bring in nappies, wet wipes and it is always good to have plenty of changes of clothes.

Elaine Taylor

Nursery manager