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Trenance Learning Academy



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ATTENDANCE UPDATE

Week beginning 6th June

Best Attendance: Green, Purple & Amber Classes - **100%**

Lowest Attendance: Crimson Class - 92.4%

Week beginning 13th June

Best Attendance: Sapphire Class - 99.7%

Lowest Attendance: Crimson Class - 93.4%

Week beginning 20th June

Best Attendance: Green Class - **100%**

Lowest Attendance: Aqua & Lime Classes - 91.3%

Week beginning 27th June

Best Attendance: Purple & Amber Classes - **100%**

Lowest Attendance: Aqua Class - 91.7%



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★ June Data—Year Groups Top Attendance Award

Foundation Year

Green class with 99%

Y1

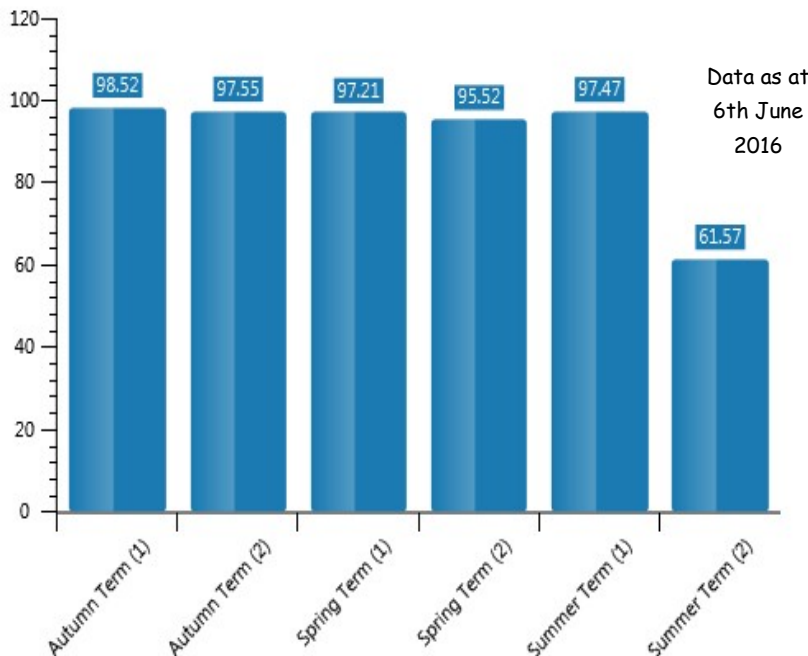
Amber class with 98.4%

Y2

Gold class with 98.9% ★

Percentage Session Attendance by Half Term

The percentage of session attendance by half term



Sports Days the results

FOUNDATION:

- 1st: Davy & Lander (joint) with 170 Points
- 2nd: Glanville with 130 points
- 3rd: Trevithick with 110 points

YEAR 1:

- 1st: Glanville with 240 points
- 2nd: Lander with 190 points
- 3rd: Davy & Trevithick (joint) with 160 points

YEAR 2:

- 1st: Davy with 250 points
- 2nd: Glanville with 210 points
- 3rd: Trevithick with 170 points
- 4th: Lander with 160 points

Thank you very, very much! I am sure you will join us in thanking Jason Ross of Polgannel Solutions for donating 390 printed House Team 'T'-shirts for House Team events. The children were delighted with them and all looked wonderful at Year Group sports day. We are keeping the 'T' shirts in school and will reissue them for the children to wear at future House Team events.



LIBRARY BOOKS - Y2 LEAVERS - We kindly remind all our Y2 leavers to return any outstanding Library Books **NO LATER THAN MONDAY 11th July**. Library deposits will be refunded with end of term reports (15th July 2016). All other outstanding Library Books in YF and Y1 to be returned by Monday 18th July 2016. **THANK YOU**



Questionnaire for parents and carers - Out of a possible 387 we received 92 back (last year we had 100 responses). Thank you to all those who completed the questionnaire. We assume that the remaining 76% are also happy! The results of the returns are below.

My child is happy at Trenance

Strongly Agree: 84% Agree: 15% In between: 1%

My child feels safe at Trenance

Strongly Agree: 88% Agree: 9% In between: 2%

My child is making good progress at Trenance

Strongly Agree: 80% Agree: 20%

Trenance ensures my child is well looked after

Strongly Agree: 85% Agree: 15%

My child is taught well at Trenance

Strongly Agree: 85% Agree: 15%

Trenance makes sure its pupils are well behaved

Strongly Agree: 84% Agree: 13% In between: 2% Disagree: 1%

Trenance deals with any case of bullying effectively

Strongly Agree: 63% Agree: 36% In between: 1%

Trenance helps me to support my child's learning

Strongly Agree: 74% Agree: 21% In between: 1% Disagree: 3% Strongly Disagree: 1%

Trenance responds well to any concerns raised

Strongly Agree: 78% Agree: 19% In between: 2% Disagree: 1%

Trenance keeps me well informed about my child's progress

Strongly Agree: 77% Agree: 17% In between: 3% Disagree: 3%

I would recommend Trenance to another parent

Yes: 99% No: 1%

Thank you to those parents who have raised points of concern in their feedback. We take all feedback very seriously and will be using these points to consider and plan our school improvement for next year. Points included:

- communicating with parents about their child's learning and how parents can help at home
- behaviour at playtime

Thank you also to those parents who took the time to write such wonderful comments about your child's time at our school. Your support is really appreciated.

"Wow! What brilliant 3 years my daughter has had at Trenance. She has come on leaps and bounds. Trenance has totally brought the best out of her, Thank you."

"Fabulous school; I don't want my son to leave!" Fantastic School, cannot fault it!" "This school has been so amazing!"

"Great school - thanks to all staff who support the children so well academically and pastorally, Thank you"

The School Council will hold their final meeting for the year on Thursday 14th July - all topics discussed throughout the year are recorded in the Minutes of the Meetings - these are published on the Academy website under the 'Your School' Tab. We wish all our 'retiring' Councillors all the very best at their new school and thank them for carrying out their roles so diligently - they have helped make our school even better this year!



The Trenance Voice - coming soon....

The Summer Term edition of the Trenance Voice will be on sale during the last week of term—don't miss it!



Staff News.....



At the end of this term we shall be saying a fond farewell and Happy Retirement to both Heather Byrne (Amber Class Teacher) and Val Morris (Higher Level Teaching Assistant). Heather has been teaching at Trenance since 1992 and Val Morris started in 1977, a staggering 39 years! They have both dedicated their careers to Trenance and have given your children and thousands of others the best start in their educational journey. Both have promised that they will remain in close contact with our school.

We also say goodbye and good luck to Verity Hooper (Aqua Class Teacher) who leaves Trenance to take up a teaching post closer to home at Mevagissey School.



From September we have a number of teachers relocating to other schools within our Trust. Christian Cotton (Yellow Class Teacher) will be relocating to St. Merryn Primary School to be their Foundation Stage Leader. Tom Hughes (Turquoise Class Teacher) is moving to Foxhole Learning Academy and Charlotte Dolbear (Crimson Class Teacher) is moving to St. Newlyn East Learning Academy. Between them they have given Trenance 27 fantastic years. They will all continue to work closely with us here at Trenance and we wish them lots of luck in their new posts.

We welcome new staff to our Teaching Team; Charlotte Banks in Yellow Class, James Altoft in Amber Class, Sian Bates in Emerald Class, Jamie Cameron in Gold Class and Alison Downing in Crimson Class. All of our new teachers know Trenance very well and have been working closely with us this year.

We are also delighted to welcome back to Trenance; Louis Keveren and Jenna Lean who are returning to teach at Trenance after their secondments at Foxhole Learning Academy



The children will be spending time with their new teachers over the next few weeks and you will get to meet the class teacher at our 'Meet the Teacher' event on Monday 5th September 2016.

Newquay Carnival - Saturday 9th July 2016

REMINDER:

You and your child are invited to come and parade with us:

- Please be at the Barrowfields from 5.00pm for judging
- The parade will start from the Barrowfields at 6.00pm
- You will need to walk with your child - please dress in the colours of the sea (blues and greens)
- Your child will need to bring their fish they have made in school to carry as part of the parade

SEE YOU THERE!



End of Year Celebrations

Be sure to come and celebrate the end of another busy school year and see what your child has been up to!

Y1 Beach School Celebrations on:

Friday 15th July

Crimson, Amber and Aqua Classes - 9.15am in the Hall

Lime and Turquoise Classes - 1.00pm in the Hall

Y2 Leavers Concert on:

Thursday 21st July - 9.00am in the Hall - all Y2 classes

Foundation Year Class Assemblies on:

Friday 22nd July - 1.15pm in Foundation Classrooms

FOTA Fundraisers



As the weather warms up watch out for our 'flash' ice-cream sales on the playground on hot afternoons! We will text before pick up time so you know when to bring your pennies with you.



Tuesday 12th July

Transition Day for Foundation Year and Year 1
Y2 visit Newquay Junior to watch Y6 Production (during school time)

Thursday 14th July

Foundation Year - Parent/Carer 'pop-in' session (re reports)
Football Tournament at St. Newlyn East Learning Academy - from 4.00pm



Friday 15th July

Y1 Beach School Celebration
Crimson, Amber and Aqua Classes - 9.15am in the Hall
Lime and Turquoise Classes - 1.00pm in the Hall
KS1 - End of Term reports distributed

Monday 18th July (all day)

All Foundation Classes visit the Beach (Tolcarne)

Wednesday 20th July (all day)

All Y1 Classes visit the Beach (Great Western)

Thursday 21st July

Y2 Leavers Concert in the Hall - 9.00am
Y2 Leavers Party - afternoon

Friday 22nd July - last day of term

WHOLE SCHOOL Teddy Bears Picnic - don't forget to bring in your Teddy Bear!
Foundation Year - Class Assemblies (in classrooms from 1.15pm)

Monday 5th September

Start of the Autumn Term

1.00pm to 1.30pm: Children & Parents meet the Teacher
1.00pm to 3.15pm: Children to remain at school with their new Class Teachers.
Please note school uniform is not required until the first full day on
Tuesday 6th September

School Term Dates 2016/2017

The complete calendar of School Term Dates (with Inset dates) can be found on the Academy website

Please follow the link below:

http://www.trenanceacademy.co.uk/website/academy_term_dates_20162017/75013