



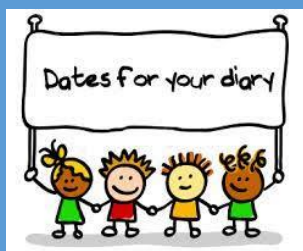
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Mr Ellis Office Hours

Tuesday- All Day
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If you would like an appointment, please contact Miss Hicks

1st November



NEXT WEEK

In Class one:

- They have launched their new topic about Animal all sorts, and welcomed their new fish into class.
- They will continue to recognise and name 2 D and 3 D shapes as well as thinking about position and direction.
- In English they will be writing questions, and learning about classification through our topic.
- In music they will be sorting instruments and learning songs for the infant production.
- Class 1 were delighted to start gymnastics, and are eagerly looking forward to working on the apparatus next week.

In Year two, they will be:

- Writing a report on the history of flight, as part of their new topic on Flying High.
- Whilst in Maths, they are learning about the properties of both 2D and 3D shapes. So, any extra help in identifying 2D and 3D shapes in their daily lives, would be a great support to their learning in class.
- During the afternoons, they will be learning about the location of Cornwall in relation to the rest of the country, and the wider world.
- In Science, Year Two will start to learn about the impact of friction of movement.
- In reading, they will be starting to look at how to answer comprehension questions.

Next week in Class 3 they will be:

- Discovering more about Alfred the Great and writing a biography.
- Researching the Anglo Saxon's invasion of England and their settlements.
- Year 3 will be counting in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100.
- Year 4 will be counting in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000.

Next week Class 4 will be:

- Delving into the age of the Ancient Egyptians.
- They will be exploring their culture, and beliefs as well as their historical significance.
- In Maths, the focus will continue to be addition, and subtraction as they look at solving multi-step, mixed operation calculations.

Thursday November 7th- Y5/6 football home against Treggy 3.45 Kick Off
Thursday 14th November- Y5/6 Football away at Tregadillett 3.45 Kick Off
Sunday 24th November-Community tree planting
Wednesday 27th November- Music Assembly
Friday 6th December- last swimming session
Tuesday 10th December- Matinee performance for KS1 and Class 3 productions.
Wednesday 11th December- Evening performance
Thursday 12th December- School closed for polling station
Wednesday 18th December- Carol Service
Friday 20th- Christmas party and lunch LAST DAY OF TERM

School Closure & Winter play date change

With the news of a general election being held, the community hall has been requested for a polling station on December 12th. As such we have made the decision to close the school on this day.

As this was the date for our evening Winter play performances, we have moved everything forward a day.

The matinee performance will now be held on Tuesday 10th December, and the evening performance on Wednesday 11th December.

Attendance

98.1%

This is down 0.2%

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments

0	6	15	19
DAYS ABSENCE (190 school days)	DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE	DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE	DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE
100%	96.3%	92.3%	Below 90%
EXCELLENT ATTENDANCE <i>Best chance of SUCCESS</i>	SATISFACTORY ATTENDANCE <i>Harder to make good progress</i>	REQUIRES IMPROVEMENT <i>Less chance of success</i>	Persistent Absentee CAUSE FOR CONCERN <i>Serious concern Possible Court Action!</i>



This week our Y5/6 football team played a tournament game against St Anthony's and they won 6-5. Well done to all who took part. Thank you to Mr D Uglow who kindly refereed in Mr Griffith's place.

This week our year 5/6 football team have a football match at home against Tregadillett school. Kick off will be at 3.45pm all welcome to come and support.

We have entered the local X country league for runners in Yr 4,5 and 6. The competition is held at Wadebridge Secondary School. All abilities are welcomed. If interested, please speak to Mrs Sobey. Races will be held on the following dates at approx 3.30 pm

18.11.2019

05.03.2020

There is a swimming competition coming up on the 28th November in Wadebridge for Y5/6 boys & girls. Mrs Sobey will be in contact regarding teams and arrangements.



This week garden club were very busy potting up the Spider Plants for the Classrooms.

We can definitely say Class 3 has the biggest plant, Class 1 had the most spider babies, and...well...Class 4...let's just say we worked our magic!

Garden club also gave their Pumpkin (grown from seed) to the kitchen to make a delicious pumpkin cake.

Congratulations to this months GC Photo Competition winner - Ollie Webb



Well done to everyone else who entered.

2 months left to enter your pictures before we make our calendar.

FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

In response to parents wishing to know more about what they can do to support their children's learning, the most pressing and important thing is to read with children. With that in mind, please take time to read the below information and start to make constructive comments in their reading record books. Improving our communication will help improve our children's reading from Reception to Year

6. Thank you for your support

Mr Ellis

Reading at Warbstow Primary Academy

Reading fluency and comprehension can be improved by teaching children specific strategies that they can apply to both check how well they comprehend what they read, and overcome barriers to comprehension. These include:

- **prediction;** (What do you think will happen next?)
- **questioning;** (Who is the main character? Where is the scene set?)
- **clarifying;** (What do you mean by that? Let me explain further)
- **summarising;** (What just happened in the text/chapter/story?)
- **inference;** and (Why do you think that the character feels like this?)
- **activating prior knowledge.** (What do you know already about this type of story/text/character?)

When reading use a mix of these strategies (2 or 3) each time you read to your child. Try and use a different variety each week.

Make a record of what strategy you used and how well your child did.



Warbstow Wonders

To share our children's achievements we are going to publish the names of pupils receiving special certificates. This week congratulations go to:

Kind & Helpful

Jaydan
Ollie W
Theo

Club 99

Emily
Lexi
Lily Oliver B
Beau-Jac
Freya
Peter

Working Hard

Tommy
Eli
Mia
Emilia
Scarlett