

# Newsletter

Friday 8th September 2023

Autumn term issue 1



## Letter from the Head

Dear Parent and Carers,

**WELCOME BACK !!** If I have not seen you in person yet, I hope you have had a great summer and that you are all refreshed and ready for an amazing year.

**Early start:** Wow - the new start to the day could not have gone any smoother... we know it was only a fractional change, however it was still amazing to see 100% of the school sat down at their desks ready to learn at 8.45 a.m on Tuesday morning. If you are unsure of the drop off and pick up times, please note: Start - Gates open at 8:40 a.m with registration at 8:45. End - Gates open at 3:00p.m with end of day 3:15p.m. If you have any problems, please drop me a line.

**Clubs:** Hopefully, a letter will be making its way to you soon re after school clubs. We have really tried to cater for all this year (especially the younger ones), so fingers crossed there will be something there that your child likes. We will start clubs at the slightly later date of 18<sup>th</sup> October this year. Thank you for your patience with this, the reason for the later date is that one or two clubs were not quite ready to start, so we thought we'd start them all on the same day to avoid any confusion.

**Parent consultation week:** We will be having our parent consultation week on the week beginning the 9<sup>th</sup> October 23. More info re booking to follow soon.

We are all so excited about this year. The teachers are all incredibly positive about their new classes and there is such a lovely atmosphere around the school. A massive well done to all the reception children (and parents) who have skipped into school this week.. there will always be one or two tears (again, children and parents), but rest assured the children are so happy and settled once they are in. It has been so nice for me to pop in and out of all the classes and observe the children in their new settings. They are amazing!

I hope you all have a wonderful weekend - make the most of the sunshine and we look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

Kind regards

Kieran Walsh



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## Lannergrams

Well done to everyone who received a Lannergram this week:

Y1: Nate, Ivy, Harrison

Y2: Emily, Duncan, Martha

Y3: Frankie, Lochlan, Henry

Y4: Oliver, Tilly, Arlo

Y5: Scarlett, Abel, Senara

Y6: Faye, Amelia, Barney



### Attendance Cup

Group	% Attend
Year 1	100.00
Year 2	98.9
Year 3	92.9
Year 4	96.2
Year 5	99.4
Year 6	98.9
<b>Totals</b>	<b>97.8</b>



### Dates for your diary

Friday 6th October—Inset day

w/c 9th October - Parental consultations—details tbc.

Monday 23rd—Friday 27th —half term

### Word

of

### the week

Our word of the week is – **Lavish**

Definition 1—  
being large in amount or expensive; more than enough.

Definition 2 —  
generous in using or spending.

*The film featured lavish costumes and sets.*

Please try and use this word as much as you can with your child.

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## French word of the week




'école'

means  
'school'  
in French.


Please try and use this French word as much as you can with your child.



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Together for Families



The deadline for applications is  
**31 October 2023**

## Transfer to secondary school

September 2024



Applying for a place in year seven at a secondary school

### 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

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## Topic of the week



This week's discussion is:

**Is a white sheet of paper more blank than a black one?**

Please try to discuss this week's question with your child.

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## Neurodevelopmental Assessment Team (NDAT) Parent Information Session

If you are considering or in the process of a Neurodevelopmental Referral (ADHD, ADD, Autism etc). The NHS Neurodevelopmental Assessment Team will be running some information sessions in order to tell you more about:

- The NDAT team – who are we?
- The assessment process:
- What happens in the initial appointment?
- What information we need to gather for the assessment?
- What other factors we might consider during the assessment process?
- What help is available whilst you are waiting for the assessment to occur?

We will also update you on any new developments

They have planned an online video meeting to be held via Microsoft TEAMS on **Thursday 05 October 2023 at 10am.**

To book a place please telephone 01872 246945 or email [cpnr.asdteam@nhs.net](mailto:cpnr.asdteam@nhs.net)



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**Random fun**

**fact of the week!**



It takes 8 minutes for light to reach from the sun to the earth's surface.