

Together with Love, we can Inspire, Discover and Thrive

21st January 2022



MESSAGE FROM MISS KENNEDY

It was great to see the return of Miss Katie this week, she certainly brings a great deal of energy into school. I hope the children enjoyed their dance classes. Miss Coon came into school today to visit the children, she is on placement at Veryan school until half term but is missing Grampound road so much that she popped in on her day off. Miss Coon is looking forward to coming back after half term to complete her placement. Mrs Prins and Mrs Maker are doing a great job in Tater Du and we would like to plan a 'meet the teacher' very soon. It would give parents an opportunity to meet Mrs Prins and to discuss some of the learning that will happen in Tater Du class. Restrictions are easing shortly, which is a relief, but we still need to be cautious as we have a few cases of Covid within our school community.

Mrs Maker and I are planning to run a reading club, we are looking for six KS2 children to join us on a Monday 3.15-4.00pm to run the library, check the books are all organised and add levels to new books. The reading leaders will also audit books to find out which AR books we need when the library van visits next month. It will give the children an opportunity to become reading ambassadors and for them to take on some responsibilities in school. This is an exciting opportunity, for the children to play an active role in the running of our library.

Mrs Wright has set this up on www.grampoundroadparentseveningsystem.co.uk if your child is interested, please book a place.

Happy weekend everyone!

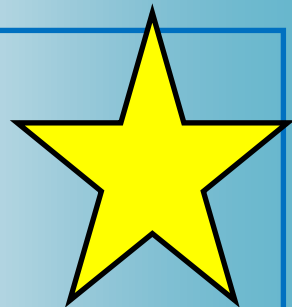
Head of School Stars of the week

Pupil Star of the week

Edith, Charlie and George D for some wonderful reading to Miss Kennedy.

Staff Star of the week

Mrs Prins for her hard work and positivity. It is much appreciated. Thank you!





Pendeen

Birthday wishes to
Alfie and Lizzie

This week in Pendeen class we have been learning all about The Three Billy Goats Gruff. The children have been making story maps and sequencing the story. They have been able to retell the story that we have been learning both with the actions that we have learnt and with stick puppets in our story telling area. The children have used different materials to make bridges for the goats to walk across and have been making bridges with blocks outside.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Wilton and Miss Kennedy



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| Wednesday 26 th January PE Kit | Friday 28 th January Normal school uniform |
| Wednesday 2 nd February PE Kit | Friday 4 th February Wild Tribe clothes |
| Wednesday 9 th February PE Kit | Friday 11 th February Normal school uniform |
| Wednesday 16 th February PE Kit | Friday 18 th February Wild Tribe clothes |

Happy birthday to

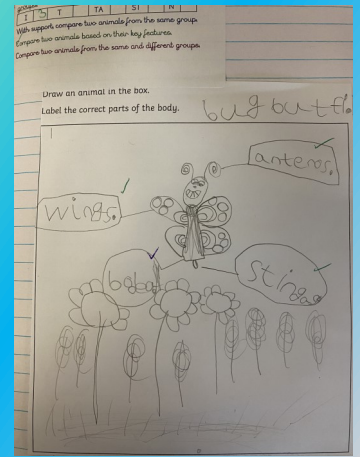
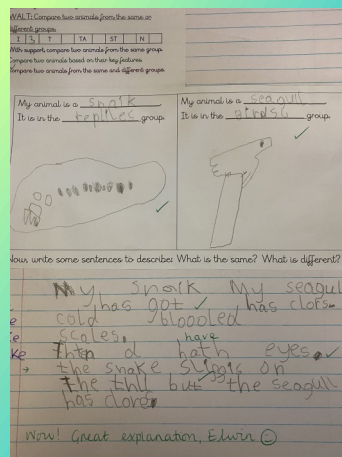
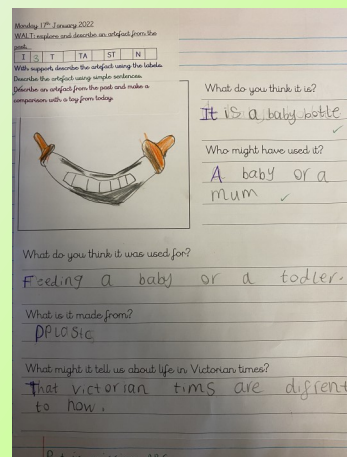
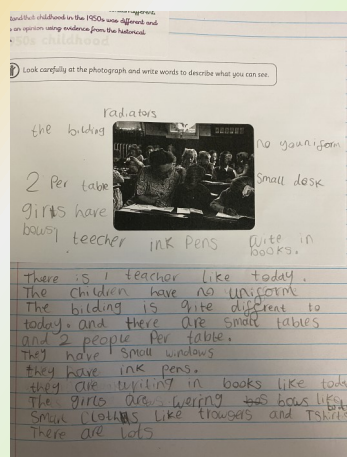
Freddie and Macey

Trevose

This week we have been delving into History and learning about changes over time. We have learnt what a decade is and have counted back on a timeline to the 1950s. We have looked at different artefacts and pictures from the past to find out what life was like. We have enjoyed learning about how jobs, homes, entertainment, and shops were different in the 1950s and have shared our opinion about what we think it would have been like to grow up in the 1950s.

In Maths we have been working hard to apply different methods we know to solve problems with money and we have also been sequencing and ordering groups of objects and numbers.

Well done for a brilliant week, Trevose!



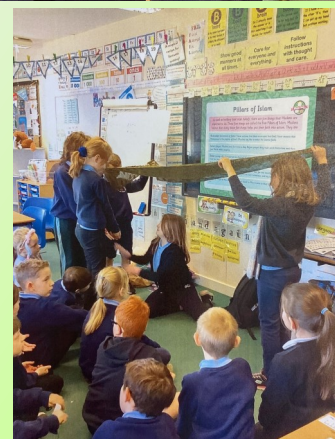
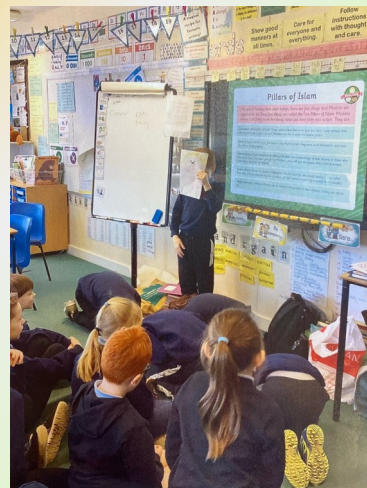
Birthday greetings to
Hugo

Tater Du

What another fabulous week we have had in Tater Du. This week we have been working hard on our story planning in literacy. We continued our marvellous maths work and the children have been working super hard on their division skills. In science we have carried on our plant topic in learning what a plant needs for it to grow, We will be testing out our knowledge of this next week when each table challenges the other for the most well looked after plant. We have a big focus on our reading in Tater Du and the children have enjoyed choosing new books and sharing with us the books they enjoy reading; Fabulous Friday brings PE and during this we are learning high five netball. The children have been practicing their passes and teamwork and enjoyed some fun warm up games.

Thank you for a super settled week Tater Du. We are working very hard and your input to our classroom space makes it such a positive place to learn in.
We are a great team!

Have a wonderful weekend.



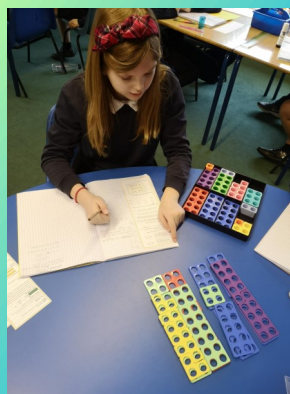
JOKE OF THE WEEK:

Knock knock, whose there? Cows go? Cows go who? No, cows go moo!

Happy birthday to
Ketsia

Wolf Rock

In Wolf Rock this week, we have been learning about Orthodox and Reformed Judaism and the differences between the two. We have continued our William Morris work and created a wall paper design inspired by Morris' work. In History, we have been reasoning why the Industrial Revolution helped to make Britain such a wealthy region during the 1800s and we've started to think about the impact the railways had on this movement. The class have been working super hard to order and compare fractions - where the denominators match and differ and in PE, we have been building sequences which include shapes, jumps and rolls. Thank you everyone for another amazing week. Thanks also to Miss Mills and Mrs Scott for all your hard work. Have a lovely, well-earned weekend.



WILD TRIBE

Hello! It's Fabulous Friday today and Wild Tribe Day!

We were very busy today. It was frosty this morning, and the grass looked like it was covered in glitter.

Firstly, we were looking around the field for any herbs that we know. We found sage, mint and strawberries!

Next, we learnt how to use a veg peeler and made wands and beads out of Elder.

Lastly, we learnt how to use a Kelly Kettle and we boiled a water. Then, we added some herbs into individual cups, so we know, how they smell. Have a great weekend everyone and see you next week! Mrs Mills, Mrs Warne and Miss Warne



Thumbs Up!

Lizzie P in

Pendeen

From Mrs Wilton



THUMBS UP



Thumbs Up!

Evie-Lin for being so brave

From Mrs Godwin

A Big Thumbs Up to everyone in Tater Du class



Thumbs Up!

Leah



Thumbs Up!


To Eboni





STARS OF THE WEEK



| Class Name | Star of the week | Values Wisdom | Whole Class |
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| P E N D E E N | Wynter for some amazing work and behaviour this week. Fantastic! | Ellie for using her wisdom in her Maths this week. Great work! | To everyone For doing such a good job of learning the story of The Three Billy Goats Gruff |
| T R E V O S E | Amelia H For her beautiful handwriting and presentation in all of her work and her wonderful attitude to learning | Alayah For sharing her ideas in Literacy and Topic and showing others how to solve a problem in Maths. | To everyone for working hard to solve a problem independently before sharing with others. |
| T A T E R D U | Arlo for his amazing focus and effort in all of his work. You are amazing! | Isaac W for your fantastic Wisdom in Maths. It was magic! | Well done to everyone for a positive attitude in all your learning.  |
| W O L F R O C K | Fearne. You have worked incredibly well this week in all areas of the curriculum. Well done! | Ketsia For working so hard in trying to grasp fractions. Great effort!  | To everyone Your routines this week in PE have been superb.  |

ATTENDANCE

Expected average attendance for a child is 96.1%. Our attendance figures for last week were as follows:

Pendeen: 93.2% Trevose: 95.1 % Tater Du: 94.3 % Wolfrock: 94.1 %

In accordance with our attendance policy we will be sending some children home with attendance letters during the term to help keep you informed of your child's attendance in line with the new RAG (red, amber, green system). Below are the band widths, as a reminder, if your child falls into one of these coloured bands a letter will be sent home.

GREEN Band 96% to 93% **AMBER** Band 93% to 90% **RED** Band Below 90% (PERSISTENT ABSENTEE) This is a government definition.



How to contact us:



The office is open Monday-Friday 8.30am-3.30pm (lunch time is 12.30—1pm)

Outside these hours, please leave a message on the answer machine or email **grampoundroad.secretary@celticcross.education**. We will endeavour to answer your emails during office hours.

Contact the class teachers through dojo or if you would like to speak to the class teacher or head of school please call to make an appointment. Dismissing pupils at the end of the day is a very busy time, if you would like to discuss something in detail please call the office between the above hours and we will pass the message onto the teacher. We thank you for your patience and understanding.



Supporting young people, and their families, with positive mental health
We recognise that this time of national lockdown may be difficult for children and young people. How a child or young person reacts to being away from school, and their normal routine, may vary according to their age, understanding, their previous experience of lockdown and how they typically cope with stress. Addressing the mental health of your child, and those in your family, can be supported with some of the following resources:

Public Health England have produced the following set of guidance for parents and carers: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-on-supporting-children-and-young-peoples-mental-health-and-wellbeing>

Every Mind Matters: A website that explores expert advice and practical tips to help you look after your mental health and wellbeing: <https://www.nhs.uk/oneyou/every-mind-matters/>

May we remind you that, if you have concerns about your child's wellbeing, or the wellbeing or safeguarding of another pupil, please contact the school immediately on: Miss S Kennedy 01726 882646

VACANCIES

Please check out the following link

Any vacancies at our school will be found on the Celtic Cross Education website:

<https://www.celticcross.education/web/vacancies/581005>

ASTHMA REGISTER



If your child has asthma please let us know, you will need to fill a form in and return to school along with an in date inhaler IN A CLEAR BAG WHICH IS NAMED.

Drop off and pick up times:

8.45 am—All children dropped to pedestrian gate teachers will line children up and take them to classes.

3.10pm Trevose collected from pedestrian gate.

3.15pm Tater Du and Wolfrock collected from pedestrian gate.

Pendeen will have their own transitional plans next week.

12-12.30 Pendeen & Wolfrock eat in the Hall then go out to play.

12.30-1pm Trevose and Tater Du eat in the hall.

Pin me on the fridge

Term Dates 2022

Spring Term: Tuesday 4th January - Friday 8th April 2022

Half Term: 21st - 25th February 2022

Monday 28th February—Health screening Reception and Year 6

Thursday 3rd March—World Book Day

Wednesday 16th March 2022—Class photographs

Summer Term: Monday 25th April - Friday 22nd July 2022

Bank Holiday: Monday 2nd May 2022

Tater Du Swimming Mon 16th-Fri 20th May

Wolfrock Swimming Mon 23rd-Fri 27th May

Half Term: 30th May - 3rd June 2022

Bank Holidays: 2nd and 3rd June 2022

Bikeability Years 5 & 6 (6th, 7th & 9th June) 2022

Residential Barton Hall Years 5 & 6 22nd June—24th June 2022



INSET DAYS:
25/07/22, 26/07/22.

Reporting an absence

Can we please remind Parents/Carers to call school each morning by 9am if your child is absent to give us an update. This is a legal requirement.

Thank you.

DO I NEED TO KEEP MY CHILD OFF SCHOOL

Please check out the link below which informs you what to do when your child is ill. <http://www.publichealth.hscni.net/publications/do-i-need-keep-my-child-school-english-and-translations>



IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING BREAKFAST CLUB

1. If you require BC please book the day before—before 3pm. 2. Our staff are booked the day before and will not be in the buildings if we do not have any bookings, so if your child is NOT booked in we cannot accept them. 3. This club is run by TA's not teachers. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

