

# Together with Love, we can Inspire, Discover and Thrive

15th October 2021

## MESSAGE FROM MISS KENNEDY

Bodmin jail was a big hit with our Wolf Rockers, they have clearly enjoyed the experience and have produced some pleasing written accounts which Mr Salway has proudly displayed on their topic board. Miss Eastham is planning her first school trip for Trevoise class, all will be revealed soon. Mrs Wilton attended the first meeting of the friends of Grampound road, which is now chaired by Mrs Maker. They had a good turn out and they have already booked some events for fundraising in the school calendar. I am positive Mrs Maker will inject plenty of energy and enthusiasm into the role. Thank you, Mrs Maker, and to all the other parents who have committed to supporting Grampound Road. The last week of term will be eventful, with the nativity and KS2 carol service. We are all looking forward to celebrating Christmas and the nativity with the parents/carers once more. All in all, we have plenty of things to look forward to.

It is with sadness that I must inform you that we are losing Mr Jory, he has decided to have a change of career and move out of education. Mr Jory has been a rock to us all, he has been a dedicated and professional member of the team for several years. He has always gone that extra mile in his determination to support the children and staff. He will be sorely missed by all, but we wish him a very successful and wonderful future. Mr Jory would be an asset to any company, and they will be lucky to have such a hardworking and charming man on the books. Mr Jory you have been an absolute superstar! Good Luck!

We are advertising for a new teaching assistant in KS2 to replace Mr Jory, pretty big boots to fill!

## Head of School Stars of the week

**Pupil Star of the week** goes to Macey and Zachary in Trevoise/Tater Du for being so joyful and full of good energy, it is so lovely to be greeted every morning by two delightful and engaging children.

**Staff star of the week** Mr Jory for being the role model that every child deserves.

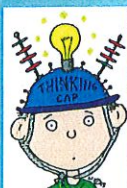
### problem solving

### Abi and Phoenix's Maths problem:

$$\frac{12 + 144 + 20 + 3\sqrt{4}}{7} + (5 \times 11) = 9^2 + 0$$

Doesn't look like a limerick to you? Try this:

A dozen, a gross, and a score  
Plus three times the square root of four  
Divided by seven  
Plus five times eleven  
Is nine squared and not a bit more.



Answer for last week's

Challenge

Did you get the  
answer?

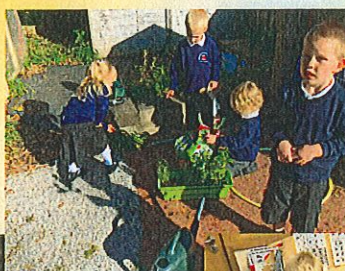
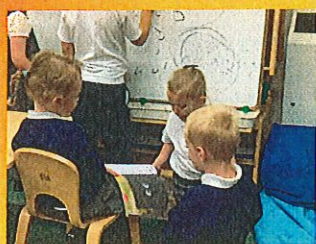
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# Pendeen★

We have had a lovely week in Pendeen class. The children have been busy learning new sounds in their phonics this week and learning to make words with the sounds that they have learnt. In our maths, work this week the children have been learning about times of the day and days of the week. In our topic work this week, the children enjoyed making pictures with Jelly babies to show how to be a good friend.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Wilton and Miss Kennedy



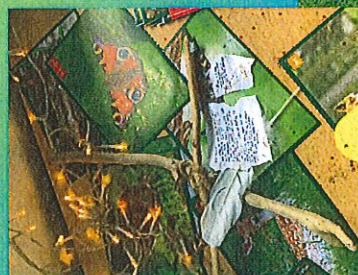
Happy birthday to  
Phoebe Br

## Trevose

Wow! What a busy week we have had in Trevose class. We couldn't believe it when Bluebell the woodland fairy visited on Monday night, leaving a letter for us and covering our classroom in fairy dust! We were all so excited we couldn't wait to write her a letter back and invite her to our tea party on Friday.

We have been busy talking about what we have learnt this half term in our topic lessons and have been reflecting on what key facts we can remember. We enjoyed art on Thursday afternoon, using natural materials to create sculptures inspired by Andy Goldsworthy.

Well done for an excellent week, Trevose.

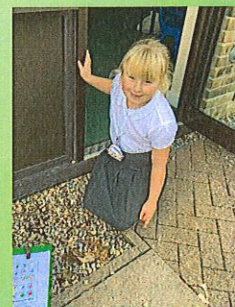
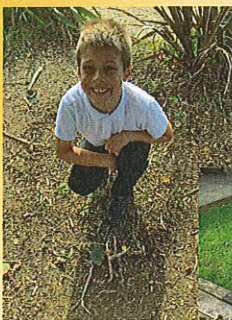


Birthday greetings  
to Maisie

# Tater Du



We have been recounting in Literacy this week and have acted out and story mapped a "Disastrous Day". I was really impressed with the RWInc children as they joined a couple of our Literacy sessions this week and they should be extremely proud of their progress with grammar and writing - well done! We've been exchanging ones, tens and hundreds in Maths and the children are using all the resources very effectively to compliment learning how to write down column addition and subtraction. Mr Jory took us outside for some Forest School activities and they really enjoyed hunting for signs of Autumn and creating Autumnal pictures using their finds. Our throwing and catching skills have really improved this term and we had a brilliant PE session on Thursday. Have a great weekend. 😊



**JOKE OF THE WEEK:** WHAT GOES BLACK, WHITE, BLACK, WHITE, BLACK AND WHITE?

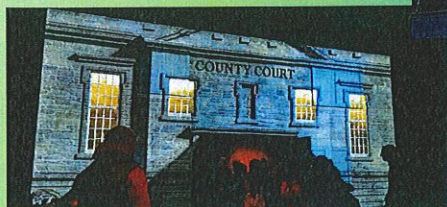
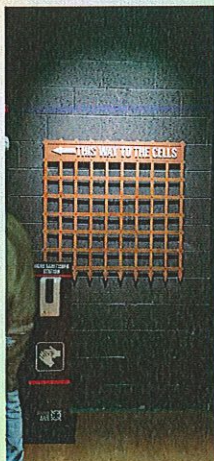
A penguin rolling down a hill.....Oh dear Mr Salway!!!!

Birthday wishes go  
to Oscar who will be

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## Wolf Rock

Wolf Rockers' have been lucky enough to enjoy the first school trip of the year; a trip to Bodmin Jail. The visit complemented the work we are doing in Crime and Punishment very well and lots of the content we have covered in class was mentioned by the guide. Whilst at Bodmin, we followed the story of three people who committed crimes during the Victorian period. We saw the crime being carried out, the court hearing through to the punishment. The trip proved to be an engaging experience for the children which has deeply enriched their understanding of the topic. As a follow up, we have written recounts of the trip which are now on display on our class board. Away from the trip, we are looking at biography writing in Literacy, using Usain Bolt as our model text and have investigated Newton's discovery of a light colour spectrum in Science.



# THUMBS UP GOES TO

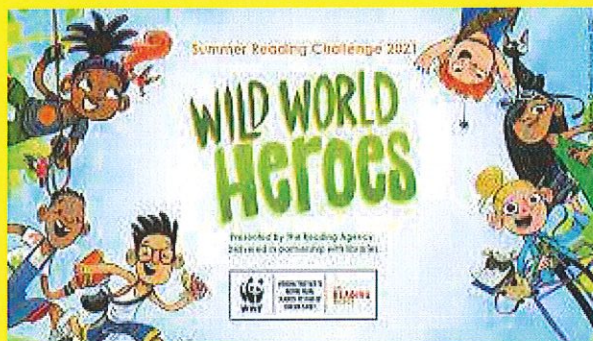


For receiving their Certificates for  
the



Summer Reading Challenge

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LILLY-GRACE

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HARRY

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THOMAS KJ

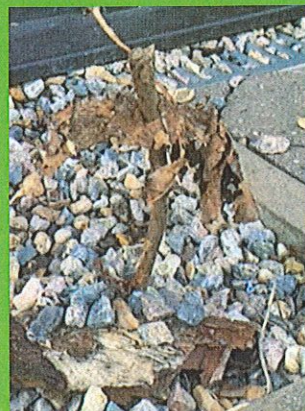
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## Forest School with Mr Jory

On Monday Tater Du (along with Mrs Theobald & Miss Coon) made the most of the sunshine and did a scavenger hunt in the school field. The children also collected leaves and twigs and created their own miniature 'arty' trees. Finally, the children created a word map based on what autumn means to them. There were some fantastic suggestions such as 'days getting longer', 'leaves blow in the wind' & 'you will need warmer clothes', while Beata offered two great words - 'migration' and 'hibernation'.



### Mr Jory's weather predication

On the autumn theme, it would appear the wind and rain/showers will arrive next week. All the best. Mr J.

## Cam and Maisy's Family Fitness Challenge

Go for a family walk over the weekend.

Who can walk the most steps on one day? Can you break 10,000? 15,000? Can you beat 20,000 steps?

Send us your results so we can create a top three leader board.





# STARS OF THE WEEK



Class Name	Star of the week	Values Respect	Whole Class
P E N D E E N	Alfie For persevering when he finds things a little tricky Well done!	Lizzie For showing respect to our classroom equipment and helping to teach others how to be respectful.	To all in Pendeen For doing such a good job of learning the days of the week. Great effort!
T R E V O S E	Lilly J for persevering in her learning and applying herself to challenges with a smile!	Amelia H For always being a kind and respectful member of our class. Thank You!	To all of you in Trevose for your amazing effort in writing. You have all worked really hard. Well done!
T A T E R  D U	Edith For her quick recall of number bonds and good effort in reading and writing this week.	Alice For her maturity and respect towards everyone our school community.	To everyone For using excellent mathematical vocabulary when adding and subtracting this week. Fantastic work!
W O L F R O C K	Oscar You really took to the Jail trip wanting to learn as much as possible. Your curious inquisitiveness really stood out!	Maisy Always incredibly respectful and shows the right attitude in everything she does. It is lovely!	To all of the pupils in Wolfrock for working really well yesterday morning to produce an extended piece of writing on our visit.

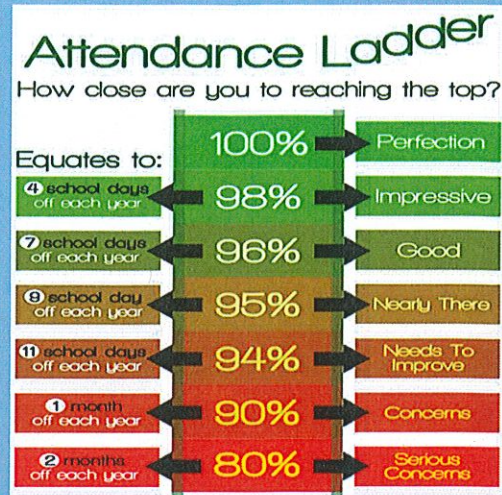
## ATTENDANCE

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

Pendeen: 96.3 % Trevose: 96.9 % Tater Du: 96.1 % Wolfrock: 89.8 %

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](mailto: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

### DON'T FORGET

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRE BOOK ALL WRAPAROUND CARE IN

ADVANCE TO ENABLE US TO HAVE THE NECESSARY STAFF ON SITE FOR THIS PROVISION.

THIS MUST BE DONE VIA PARENTPAY AND PAID FOR AT THE TIME OF BOOKING.

THIS ALSO APPLIES TO SCHOOL DINNERS WHICH MUST BE BOOKED IN ADVANCE.

Thank you

### 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

## October 2021

Tuesday 19th October: Trevoise Class Reading Forum with Miss Eastham at 3.30pm in the Hall.

Friday 22nd October: FOGS— Non school uniform day £1 donation via ParentPay.

Friday 22nd October : Wolfrock Reading Forum 3.30pm -4pm

## November 2021

Monday 8th November and Wednesday 10th November.: Parents Evening

Consultations for Trevoise, Tater Du and Wolfrock class are open for bookings via [grampoundroad.parentseveningsystem](http://grampoundroad.parentseveningsystem)

Friday 19th November : BBC Children In Need Day—Donations via ParentPay Dress code is SPOTS

There will be No Creative Club on Monday 8th November

## December 2021

Wednesday 1st December: Bags2school collection (morning)

Wednesday 8th December: Christmas Shop

Friday 10th December: Christmas Fair 4pm-6pm

Tuesday 14th December: EYFS KS1 Nativity Matinee 10am -11am,  
Afternoon performance 4pm-5pm.

Wednesday 15th December: School Christmas lunch—Christmas jumpers can be worn

Thursday 16th December: KS2 Christmas Carols 5pm-6pm

Friday 17th December: Last day of term - Christmas Break

## Term Dates 2021-2022

Autumn Term: Monday 6th September - Friday 17th December 2021

Half Term: 25th - 29th October 2021

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

Half Term: 21st - 25th February 2022

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

Bank Holiday: Monday 2nd May 2022

Half Term: 30th May - 3rd June 2022

Bank Holiday: Monday 6th June 2022.

INSET DAYS:

Don't forget 01/11/21, 25/07/22, 26/07/22.



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## Bicycle Maintenance Workshops & Road Safety Advice

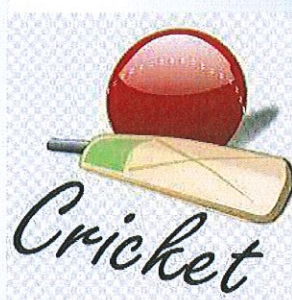
Do you know how to repair a puncture or oil the gears? Let **Halfords** help you learn how to take the very best care of your bikes. A demo bike will be provided, but any bikes in need of a little TLC are welcome to come along too!  
**St Austell Fire & Rescue Service** will also be on hand to give road safety advice

**St Austell Library**  
**Monday 25th October**  
**11am-12pm & 12pm-1pm**

For under 15s. Booking is essential for these FREE Workshops. Please book your place in person at the Library Help Desk, by calling 0300 1234 111, or by emailing [staustell.library@liscornwall.org.uk](mailto:staustell.library@liscornwall.org.uk)  
FB: @StAustellLibrary

On Monday 25<sup>th</sup> October during half term, St Austell Fire & Rescue service will also be on hand to offer Road Safety advice.

The workshops are free and for under 15's. There is limited spaces, so booking is essential to guarantee a place and to book early to avoid disappointment.



**Cornwall Cricket** **WUP** **GRAY-NICOLLS**

**OCTOBER HALF TERM CRICKET CAMPS IN CORNWALL**

**WHERE?** CORNWALL (INDOOR) CRICKET CENTRE

**WHO?** MIXED & GIRLS ONLY CAMPS • CAMPS FOR 5-15 YEAR OLDS

**WIN!** A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO HAVE THE KIDS ENTERTAINED AND TO IMPROVE THEIR CRICKET SKILLS AND MATCH PLAY

**WHAT?** SOFTBALL - EQUIPMENT PROVIDED  
HARDBALL - BRING OWN FULL PROTECTIVE GEAR

**GRAY-NICOLLS** ALL PARTICIPANTS TO RECEIVE 20% OFF GRAY-NICOLLS ONLINE SHOP & CORNWALL CRICKET CERTIFICATE

**BOOK HERE** [HTTPS://CORNWALLCRICKET.CO.UK/JUNIOR-CRICKET/HOLIDAY-CAMPS.HTML](https://cornwallcricket.co.uk/junior-cricket/holiday-camps.html)

**WWW.CORNWALLCRICKET.CO.UK**

## Celtic Cross Education Initial Teacher Training School Direct

### Open Information Sessions for 2022-2023

Have you thought about training to be a teacher?

Already have a degree or currently working on one and considering teaching for the future?

Want to stay local or within our Trust?

Then why not find out more about the School Direct process for teacher training offered by CCE in

conjunction with Plymouth Marjon University.

Join us on one of our Open Information Sessions and find out what the process entails and what CCE can offer.

The sessions are on:

Tuesday 19th October 2020 – 5.00 – 6.00pm

Thursday 25th November 2020 – 4.00 – 5.00pm

Wednesday 8th December 2020 – 6.00 – 7.00pm

If you are interested in joining one of our Zoom Information sessions, please email:


[karen.holmes@celticcross.education](mailto:karen.holmes@celticcross.education) stating which session, you would like to join.

We look forward to meeting you.

## FRIENDS OF GRAMPOUND ROAD SCHOOL—FOGS



Friends are back up and running, we have some very enthusiastic team members with some great events on the way but are super keen to have more parents come and join us so to come over to the Facebook page Friends of Grampound Road C of E school and drop us a message or come and speak to myself (Kerri Maker or Mel Stephens at school pick up and we can introduce you to the friends members personally.



### CAR PARK

Polite request

Can you please be mindful of where you park your car at drop off and pick up times. Please leave the crossing free so the children walking to school unaccompanied can see clearly and drivers can see in order for them to pull out of the car park. Children **MUST** be supervised at all times and we kindly ask them not to run-around the car park or vehicles. We do not want any accidents! Thank you.

## Libraries


### welcoming families!

Pop in to your local library and have some fun!  
There's something for the whole family to enjoy

Join us for some special story times and activities, collect stickers and collectables and vote on your favourite book.

Join us:  
10:30 on...  
October: 9th, 12th, 16th, 23rd & 26th  
November: 2nd, 6th, 9th, 13th, 20th & 23rd  
(Saturday and Tuesdays will be the same story)

At **Camborne Library**

ARTS COUNCIL ENGLAND 



**Together for Families**

The deadline for applications is  
**31 October 2021**

## Transfer to secondary school

### September 2022

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

**Need help with your application?**  
Contact the Family Information Service on 0800 587 8191





**Together for Families**

The deadline for applications is  
**15 January 2022**

## Starting school

### September 2022

Applying for a place in a reception class for children born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018

**Attending a nursery or pre-school**  
You will need to apply even if your child attends a school's nursery or pre-school class. Please note that if a school is oversubscribed the fact that a child attends a school's nursery or pre-school, or a local nursery or pre-school, does not automatically guarantee a place at that school. The school's oversubscription criteria will be used to allocate places. Visit our website or contact us for more information.

**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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**15 January 2022**

## Transfer to junior school

### September 2022

Applying for a place to transfer from an infant school to year three at a junior school

You will need to apply for a school place even if your child currently attends the linked infant school.

**Information and guidance**  
Website and application form: [www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions)  
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ONE & ALL  
**SPORTS**  
KEEPING CORNWALL ACTIVE



Football Fun Sessions  
With Mr Webb!



All you need to know:

Where: Tresillian Playing Field

When: Saturday Mornings 9am-10:30am

Ages: 5-7 years

Cost: £4 a session

Who: Mr Webb (Primary School PE Coach)

Booking: To book your child's place you will need to visit my website below!

Contact Details:

Email - [rorywebb@oneandallsports.com](mailto:rorywebb@oneandallsports.com)

Website - [www.oneandallsports.com](http://www.oneandallsports.com)





# 'Have a Go Days'

A FREE and friendly activity for children with additional needs or disability and their siblings or friends, aged 6-17

Bodmin Leisure Centre  
Lostwithiel Road,  
Bodmin, PL31 1DE

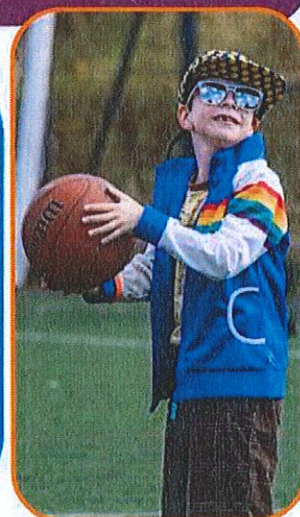
Wednesday 27 October  
10am-12pm

Cornwall College,  
Trevenson Road, Pool, TR15  
3RD (Astro)

Wednesday 27 October 2-4pm  
or  
Friday 29 October 2-4pm



Booking is essential. For more information and to book contact Katie on 01736 751924 or email [katie@disabilitycornwall.org.uk](mailto:katie@disabilitycornwall.org.uk). Find us on Facebook by searching "Have a Go Days Cornwall".





Adult  
Education



## **\*\*Free Online Award in Supporting Teaching & Learning**

Date **17.11.21** Time **7 – 9 pm** Course Code **NNQ1028**

**Course description:** Do you enjoy working with children and young people? Fancy a career change? Are you looking for employment that fits with family needs? Then this qualification may be just for you, and will enable you to apply for teaching assistant, learning support and special needs assistant jobs.

*With a reported local shortage of teaching assistants, this could be the **PERFECT** time for you to embark on a new career path and gain the necessary qualification.*

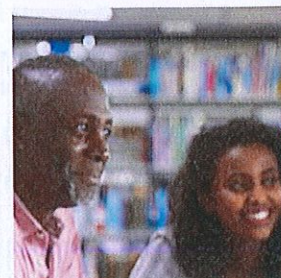
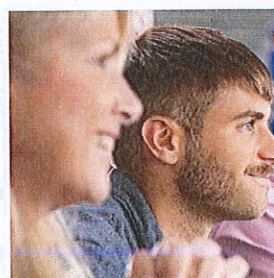
This course will be funded for those eligible, as part of the European Social Funded "Widening Participation through Skills Project" (number 05S16P00538)

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### Find out more

For more information or to apply, visit  
[www.cornwall.gov.uk/adultlearning](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/adultlearning)  
or call **0300 1231 117**



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