

GRAMPOUND

Welcome back! We hope you have had a fantastic summer break and that your child has settled back into school as positively as possible. We warmly welcome our families who have joined our school community this week and a special mention to our youngest pupils who have started school for the very first time. It has been a pleasure to see them settle so quickly and build all important positive relationships with members of our school community.

Today you should have received confirmation of your child's extra-curricular club choice. Clubs will commence next week and these will run up until the end of the Grampound with Creed

We hope to see as many of you as possible at next week's 'Meet the Teacher' sessions which will be held in classrooms and will take place from 3:30pm. This will provide you with opportunity to meet your child's new teacher and hear about the learning taking place this half-term. We hope to also be joined by Mrs Westland who is our new school SENDCo covering for

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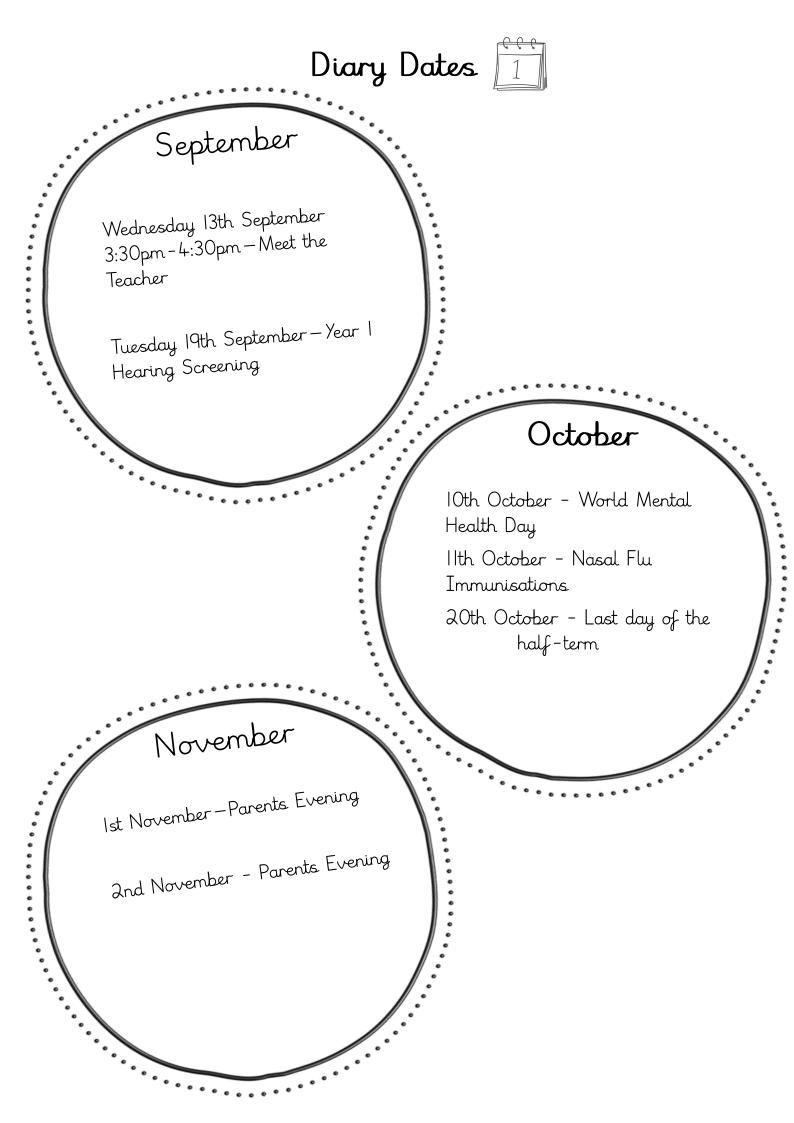
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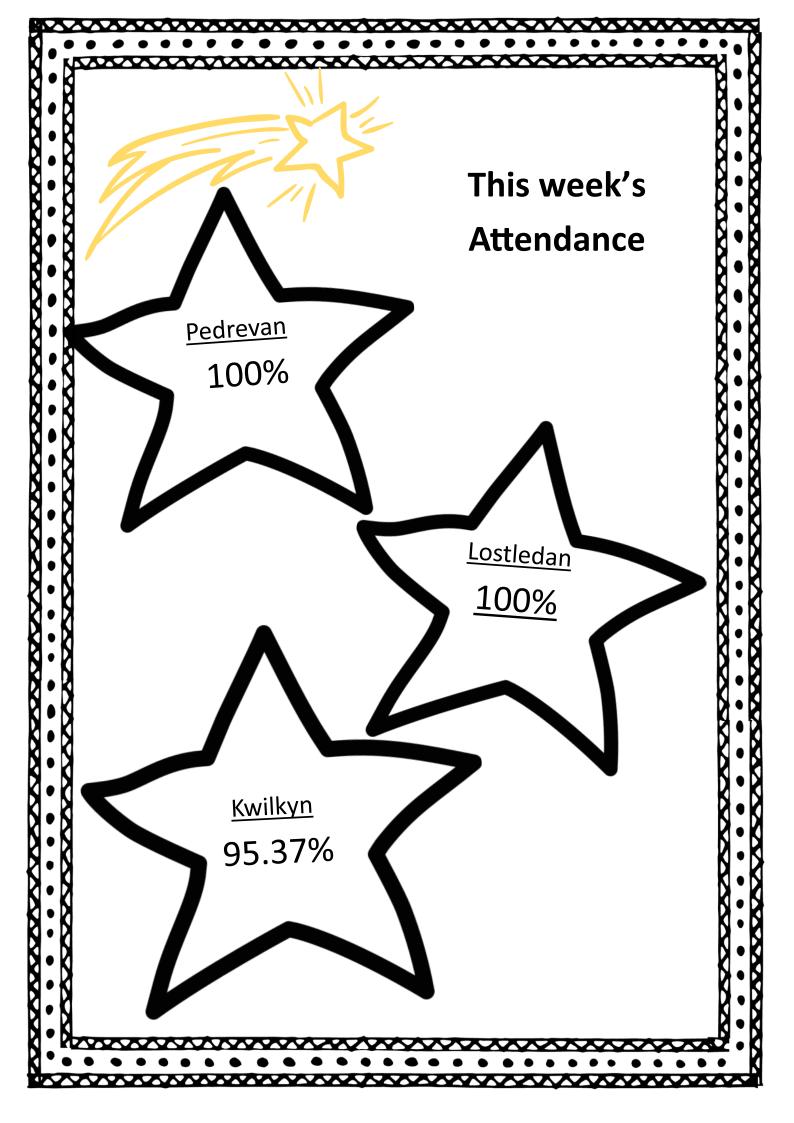
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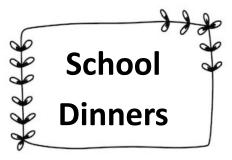
Finally, I'd like to offer huge congratulations to Elijah who has been awarded a "Distinction" in his recent music examination. Well done, Elijah a great example of how you've shone your light over the summer holidays and certainly an achievement to be

Have a great weekend.

Miss Jane







The cost for School Dinners is £2.41 which you order via Parentpay. If you are having problems, please contact the office.

Breakfast Club - 7:45am to 8:30am (£3.50)

**After School Club** - 3pm to 6pm (£3.00, £4.00 & £6.50) Please book your child either on Parentpay or contact Wraparound Care

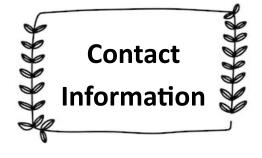


Uniform can be purchased from Cornwall Screenprint who can be contacted on 01726 68689 or email infor@cornwallscreenprint.co.uk

School Office - 01726 882644

**Email** gwc-secretary@rainbowacademy.org.uk

https://grampound-creed.eschools.co.uk/web/home



# **Sickness and Absences**

the school office for half

Please be reminded that all absences must be reported by ringing the school office on 01726 882644. If your child has a cough or a cold they should still come to school unless you feel they are too unwell to be here; in which case they should stay at home and rest until they are well enough to return.

## **Important Notice**

Important Notice! Any clubs or organisations who we advertise through our Newsletter and are not affiliated with Grampound with Creed School are reminded that they must have the necessary insurance, qualifications and DBS checks in place. This is to ensure the welfare of the children and is not the responsibility of Grampound with Creed School.



If you are in need of some uniform we have a range of preloved items available for a donation. Please contact Mrs Warren on 07712262471 to discuss any items you need.



Please ensure that the school is informed before 2.45pm if anyone other than parents are collecting your child/ren.

If you have a number of people who pick up, please contact the office to ensure that we know who they are and that they have permission on that day.

# Autumn Term After School Clubs

Mondays - Mrs Grubb - Netball Tuesdays - Mrs Martin - Sewing Club - Thursdays - Mrs Hayes - Wild Tribe Thursdays - Mr Keyes - Computing and Coding Club (Kwilkyn Class) Fridays - Mr Webb - Sports Club (Lostledan Class)



4th September 2023 24th November 2023 22nd, 23rd and 24th July 2024

### Guidance on infection prevention and control in schools and childcare settings<sup>#</sup>

Remember you can help prevent the spread of infections by checking children have had their routine immunisations, maintaining a clean erwironment, and ensuring good personal hygiene (among staff and children), especially ensuring regular hand washing.

#### UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) Health Protection Team For outbreaks or advice please contact the UKHSA South West Centre HPT on 0300 3038162 or email SWHPT@UKHSA.GOV.UK

| Rashes and skin infections                           | Recommended period to<br>be kept away from school<br>or childcare setting                                                                                                                               | Comments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |
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| Chickenpox<br>and shingles                           | Five days from onset of rash<br>and until all lesions have<br>crusted over                                                                                                                              | Advise pregnant women to contact their GP If<br>exposed and unsure If they have previously been<br>infected                                                                                                                                                                                    |  |
| Cold Sores<br>(Herpes Simplex)                       | Nona                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Cold sores remain contagious until they are<br>completely healed. They are generally mild and<br>heal without treatment (7-10 days) - Avoid kissing<br>and close skin to skin contact of the sore - Don't<br>share kerns that come into contact with the<br>affected areas (cutlery / Ip balm) |  |
| Hand, Foot and<br>Mouth                              | None                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Contact your UKHSA HPT If many children are<br>affected. Exclusion maybe considered in some<br>circumstances                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| Impetigo                                             | Until lesions are crusted over<br>or 48 hours after antibiotic<br>treatment has been started                                                                                                            | Impetigo is highly infectious, and it is spread by<br>direct contact. Antibiotic treatment speeds healing<br>and reduces the infectious period                                                                                                                                                 |  |
| Measles"                                             | Excluded as soon as measles<br>is suspected until five days<br>after the onset of rash                                                                                                                  | Contact UKHSA HPT as soon as measles cases<br>are notified to the school.<br>Preventable by immunisation (MMR x2doses).<br>Promote MMR for all pupits and staff Advise staff<br>contacts who are pregnant, unimmunised or have<br>weakened immune systems to contact their GP<br>immediately.  |  |
| Molluscum<br>contagiosum                             | None                                                                                                                                                                                                    | A self-limiting condition. The lesions will resolve<br>over time without any treatment                                                                                                                                                                                                         |  |
| Parvovirus or<br>Fifth disease<br>(slapped cheek)    | None (once rash has<br>developed)                                                                                                                                                                       | Request parents notify the school so that pregnant<br>contacts can be advised to consult GP or midwife<br>following exposure                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| Panton-<br>Valentine<br>Leucocidin (PVL)             | None If they feel well                                                                                                                                                                                  | Individuals should not take part in contact sports<br>or use communal gym equipment until their skin<br>lesion has totally healed. For further guidance<br>contact UKHSA HPT                                                                                                                   |  |
| Ringworm<br>(Incl foot ringworm<br>– athletes' foot) | Exclusion is not required for<br>individuals with athlato's<br>foot, individuals with skin and<br>scalp ringworm can return to<br>school once they have started<br>treatment with anti-fungal<br>agents | Treatment is required                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |
| Rubella<br>(German Measles)*                         | Sk days from onset of rash                                                                                                                                                                              | Preventable by Immunisation (HMR x2 doses). See<br>UKHSA document above. Advise pregnant staff<br>contacts to seek prompt advice from their GP                                                                                                                                                 |  |
| Scables                                              | Until after the first treatment<br>has been completed                                                                                                                                                   | Household and close contacts require treatment<br>at the same time. In the event of 2 or more<br>suspected cases, contact UKHSA HPT                                                                                                                                                            |  |
| Scarlet Fever                                        | Exclude until 24 hours of<br>appropriate antibiotic<br>treatment complete                                                                                                                               | A person is infected for 2-3 weeks if antibiotics<br>are not administered. In the event of 2 or more<br>suspected cases, contact UKHSA HPT                                                                                                                                                     |  |
| Warts and<br>Verrucas                                | None                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Verrucas should be covered in swimming pools,<br>gymnasiums and changing rooms                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |  |
| Respiratory<br>Infections                            | Recommended period to<br>be kept away from school<br>or childcare setting                                                                                                                               | Comments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |
| COVID-19                                             | Until temperature has<br>resolved and they are well<br>enough. If tested positive,<br>child should stay home for<br>3 days.                                                                             | Report outbreaks in line with local policy                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |  |
| Flu (Influenza)                                      | Until recovered                                                                                                                                                                                         | Report outbreak to your local UKHSA HPT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |  |
| Tuberculosis*                                        | When diagnosed with TB a<br>treatment team will assess<br>whether other people are at<br>risk of infection and require<br>screening                                                                     | Requires prolonged close contact for spread.<br>Only pulmonary TB is infectious to others.<br>Always consult your local UKHSA HPT before<br>disseminating information to staff(carers                                                                                                          |  |
| Whooping<br>Cough"<br>(Pertussis)                    | Until they have had 48 hours<br>of a propriate antibiotic<br>treatment and feel well<br>enough to ardurn.<br>OR after 21 days from onset<br>of liness if no antibiotic<br>treatment but here baken      | Preventable by vaccination, After treatment,<br>non-infectious coughing may continue for many<br>weeks.<br>Your UKHSA HPT will organise any contact<br>tracing necessary                                                                                                                       |  |

| Nanaging specific<br>Infectious diseases<br>Ato Z                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Campaign<br>resource centre                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  |
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| Diarrhoea and<br>vomiting illness                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Recommended period to l<br>kept away from school or<br>childcare setting                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Comments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  |
| Infectious<br>Diarrhoea and<br>Vomiting<br>(Gastroenteritis)<br>Bacteria<br>Campylobacter<br>Salmonella<br>Shigelia (Bacillary<br>dysentery)<br>E.coli 01:57<br>Viruses<br>Rotavirus<br>Small round<br>structured viruses<br>(e.g. Horovirus or<br>Winter Vomiting<br>Disease)<br>Parasitos<br>Cryptosporidium<br>Glardia | Should be regarded as very<br>infectious and must be kept a<br>from school until the diambor<br>and verniting has stopped for<br>least 48 hours<br>They must have been passing<br>normal stools for at least 48<br>hours<br>Some Gastro Infections<br>(Like E.coli 0357) require<br>microbiology clearance and<br>UKHSA will advise on these | and vomiting (gastn<br>way)<br>assad to others.<br>Good hyglene, in pa<br>and informental clean<br>minimise any dange<br>Exclusion from swim<br>weeks after the dian<br>if an outbreak occu<br>Adiambesa and von<br>schools can be foun<br>protection in school<br>above). | Good hyglene, in particular handwashing and<br>andronmental cleaning, are important to<br>minimise any danger of spread.<br>Exclusion from swimming is advisable for two<br>weeks after the diarrhoea has settled.<br>If an outbreak occurs, consult UKHSA HPT<br>Adiarrhoea and vomiting checklist for<br>schools can be found in the UKHSA health<br>protection in schools guidance (QR code |  |
| Other<br>Infections                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Recommended period to<br>kept away from school or                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | be<br>Comments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  |
| Conjunctivitis<br>(bacterial or viral)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | childcare setting<br>Exclusion is not required unit<br>they are particularly unwell                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | ess there is a possibility<br>conjunctivitis. If an<br>occurs, consult you                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Advise parents to seek advice immediately if<br>there is a possibility their baby has infective<br>conjunctivitis. If an outbreak/cluster<br>occurs, consult your UKHSA HPT                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |  |
| Diphtheria*                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Exclusion is essential. Always<br>consult with your UKHSA HP1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | s must be excluded u<br>T your UKHSA HPT. U                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Preventable by vaccination. Family contacts<br>must be excluded until cleared to return by<br>your UKHSA HPT. UKHSA HPT will organise<br>any contact tracing necessary                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |  |
| Glandular Fever                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | or being in close co                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Spread is by saliva, usually through kissing<br>or being in close contact with a carrier                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |
| Head Lice                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | where live lice have                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Treatment is recommended only in cases<br>where live lice have been seen                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |
| Hepatitis A*                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Exclude until seven days after<br>onset of jaundice (or seven<br>days after symptom onset if<br>jaundice)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <ul> <li>Hepatitis A may occ<br/>exclusion from school</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Household contacts of individuals with<br>Hepatitis A may occasionally require<br>exclusion from school. Contact local<br>UKHSA HPT who will advise on any action<br>needed                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |  |
| Hepatitis B*, C*,<br>HIV/AIDS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | None If they are well enough                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | viruses that are not                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Hepatitis B and C and HIV are blood borne<br>viruses that are not infectious through<br>casual contact. See UKHSAguidance<br>document above                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |  |
| Meningococcal<br>Meningitis"/<br>Septicaemia                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Until recovered. There is no<br>reason to exclude any sibling<br>other close contacts of the co<br>from school                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | vaccination. Contai                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Neningitis ACWY and B are preventable by<br>vaccination. Contact local UKHSA HPT who<br>will advise on any action needed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |
| Moningitis <sup>®</sup> due<br>to other bacteria                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Until recovered                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | preventable by vacu                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Hib and Pneumococcal Meningitis are<br>preventable by vaccination. Contact local<br>UKHSA HPT who will advise on any action<br>needed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |
| Meningitis viral*                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Until recovered<br>There is no reason to exclude<br>siblings or other close contact<br>the case from school                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Nilder liness than bacterial meningitis.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |
| Mumps<br>(paramyxovirus)"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Exclude child for five days aft<br>onset of swelling                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | er same way as a cold<br>Preventable by vaco                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | It is very contagious and spread in saliva, the<br>same way as a cold or flu.<br>Preventable by vaccination (MMR x2 doses).<br>Promote MMR to pupils and staff                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |  |
| Worm<br>Infostations<br>(Induding<br>hookworm,<br>roundworm,<br>tapeworm,<br>threadworm, and<br>whitworm!                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Treatment is recommended for the child and<br>household contacts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  |

# Pre-school, nursery, or childminder

treatment has been taken

\* denotes a notifiable disease. It is a statutory requirement that doctors report a notifiable disease to the proper officer of the local authority (for some local authorities, this may be UKHSA) in addition, you may need to inform other regulating bodies, for example Office for Standards in Education (OFSTED) or Care Quality Commission (CQC). Please follow local policy. November 2022 jn 5289



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