

Autumn Term Newsletter Issue 4 – 7th October 2022

Our Vision and Values

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Reading Information Session for parents

A huge thank you to the parents and carers who were able to attend our reading information session. We hope you found this session particularly useful for understanding our phonics programme and how to support your child's reading at home. If you were unable to attend yet have questions about your child's reading progress, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher who will be more than happy to help.

Parent Consultations

We'll be holding this term's parent consultations on Wednesday 19th and Thursday 20th October after school. If you have not yet booked your appointment, please follow this link to note your available time slot https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?
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RIJDSIZUVC4u. Once the booking system closes on Thursday 13th October, we will communicate your appointment time. Appointments will be taking place in the school classrooms this year and we look forward to welcoming you in and sharing your child's learning journey so far this academic year.

Harvest Collective Worship

This year, we will be gathering for Harvest Collective Worship on Thursday 13th October. Truro foodbank continue to support local people living in crisis. This Harvest, we would love to make a difference together as a community to help transform lives. Any donations of the items listed below would be greatly appreciated and we would be grateful if you could bring any donations to your classroom Thursday; some ideas include long life juice, tea, tinned foods, crisps, instant foods including noodles and sponge and rice puddings.

Have a restful weekend and see you on Monday.

Thursday 13th October

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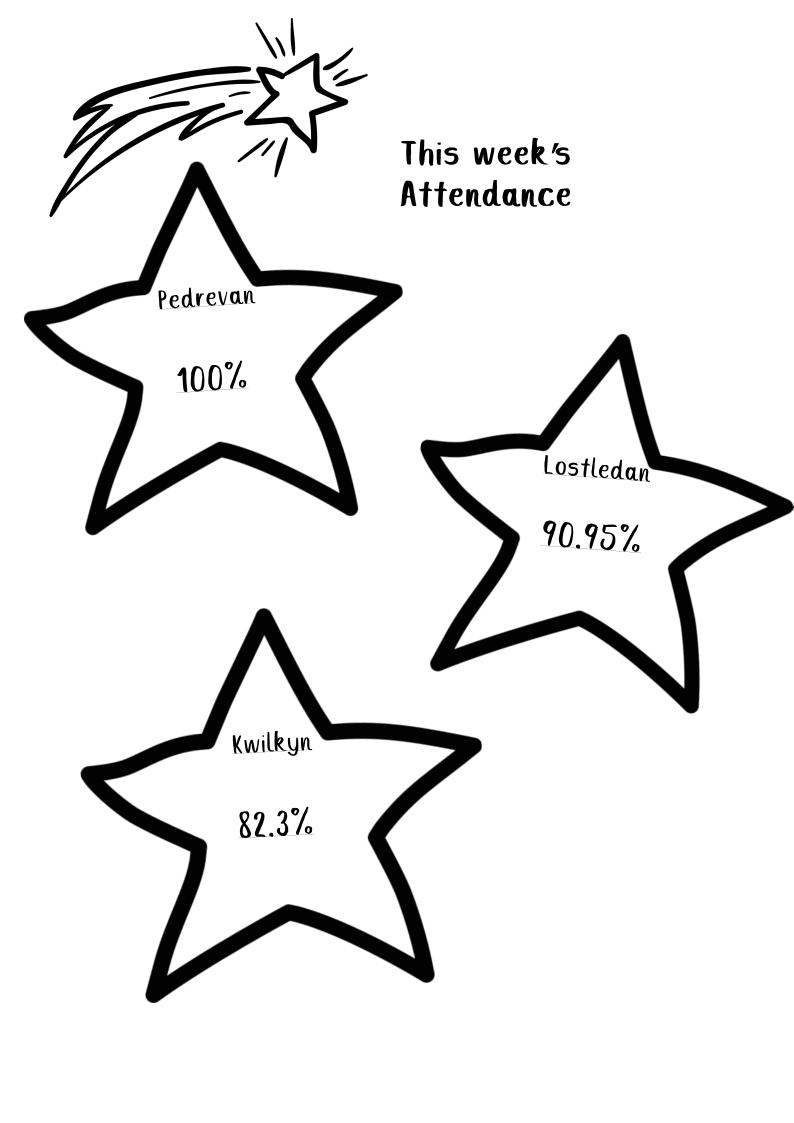
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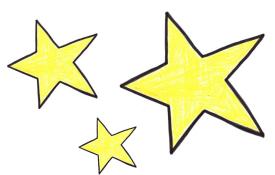
Next Thursday afternoon, we are dedicating time to launch our new school vision and values with the children. By the end of the afternoon, we want everyone to be able to articulate our school vision as "Be the Light" after learning about how they are the light of the world through their unique skills and abilities and how they can make a difference by shining brightly, achieving what they wish and standing up for what they believe in. We would appreciate it if every child could bring something into school this day to share, representing how they shine either inside or outside of school. This could be a hobby or talent they want to share or something they feel strongly about making a difference about. Maybe they have a passion to raise money for charity or a love for reading and aspiration to become an author.

The Bible talks about how no one should hide their light and we want to celebrate every child's uniqueness and individuality so we'll be using this afternoon to share what is special and unique about us all and what we aspire to be and do.

Here are some ideas about what your child could bring into school;

- A medal or certificate they've won for a gift, skill or hobby they have
- Something which represents what they'd like to be when they're older
- A picture of someone or something they feel passionate about (maybe this person as shone brightly and made a difference in their lives?)
- An object or photograph which represents how they are special and unique.





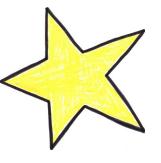
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Martin

For using his fred fingers

independently.

Awards



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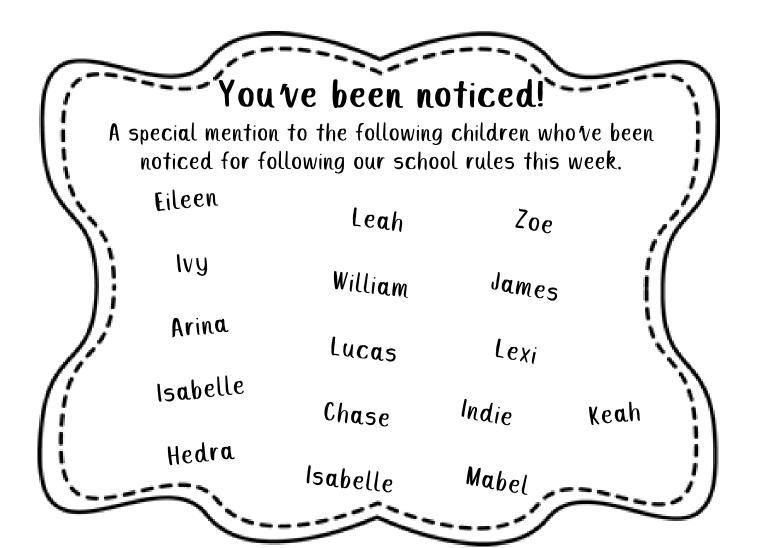
Jacob

For being the light in PSHE by sharing ideas for how to stop discrimination.

Lostledan

<u>Theodore</u>

For fantastic poetry writing independently in English.





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 the school office for half an hour sessions.





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

grampoundwithcreed.secretary@celticcross.education

Website

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





31st Oct 2022 24th & 25th July 2023

Sickness and Absences

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 pre-loved 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.

After School Clubs

Monday - Art Club with Mrs Martin

Monday - Basketball Club with Mr Keyes

Tuesday - Badminton Club with Mr Webb

Tuesday - Cuddle and Care Club with Mrs Hayes

Thursday - Multi Skills Club with Mr Nicholas

Diary Dates



October

12.10.22 - Nasal Flu Immunisation - Rec/ Y1/2/3/4/5/6

21.10.22 - Y1 Hearing Screening

31.10.22 - INSET day (school closed to pupils)

19.10.22 - Parent Consultations

20.10.22 - Parent Consultations

November

7.11.22 - YR Vision screening

9.11.22 - Tempest Individual Photos

28.11.22 - Book Fair in the hall (more information to follow)

December

14.12.22 - School Christmas Dinner

16.12.22 - Last day of Term

Y6 and Reception Parents,

Please find the links below to the e-booklets for this year's Child Health Checks,

Child Health Programme e-booklets (2022/23)
Below are the official links to the digital Health Information booklets for families. These digital booklets contain many useful links including how to 'opt out' of school health screening.

Please copy and past the links below for the relevant year group,

• Reception Year:

https://mailchi.mp/2ac4f2cab3f4/child-health-programme-health-information-reception-22-23

· Year 6:

https://mailchi.mp/5f334c487f43/child-health-programme-health-information-y6-22-23

Thank you

<u>Immunisation Session - Wednesday 12th</u> <u>October - Reminder</u>

The School Immunisation Team will be at our School on 12th October, they have asked us to remind anyone who has not followed the link for this session and wishes to give consent, to do so before the 10th October.

Date of Session: Wednesday 12th October

Link: https://

www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu

School Code: EE140467

Deadline to submit: Monday 10th October,

noon

If you have already submitted a consent form then you do not need to do another one. If you are unsure or have any problems please call the School Immunisation Team on 01872 221105







Do you have a child born between 1 September 2018 and 31 August 2019?

If so, you will need to apply for a place in a reception class in September 2023 for that child by the deadline of **15 January 2023**.

Please note: you will need to apply even if your child attends a school's nursery or pre-school class. 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.

Visit www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions for more information and to access the online application system.

Need help with your application?

Contact the Family Information Service on **0800 587 8191**

The deadline for applications is 15 January 2023

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31 October

2022







Starting school

September 2023

Applying for a place in a reception class for children born between 1 September 2018 and 31 August 2019

Attending a nursery or pre-school

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Information and guidance

Website and application form: www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions Email: schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk Post: School Admissions Team, County Hall, Truro, TR1 3AY Telephone: 0300 1234 101

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Transfer to secondary school

September 2023

Applying for a place in year seven at a secondary school

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Applying for a secondary school place for September 2023

Special Educational Needs

If an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Plan has been issued for your child you do not need to complete an application form. Please contact the Statutory SEN Service for more information: Tel: 01872 324242 Email: statutorysen@cornwall.gov.uk



Decide on your preferred schools

You are strongly advised to name **three** preferences on the application form. **Naming a second or third preference does not give you any less chance of getting a place at your preferred school**. When making your decision you should...

...think about how your child will get to school. Go to www.cornwall.gov.uk/schooltransport for more information on whether your child would be entitled to transport to school.

...look at the **admission arrangements** on our website that will be used to allocate places for each school.

...consider naming your nearest or designated school as one of your preferences. You can find your nearest or designated school on our website

...look at the detailed admissions information on our website, also available on request.

2 Submit your application by 31 October 2022

Apply online at www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions



If you applied on time you will be notified of your allocation on **National Offer Day: 1 March 2023. Apply on time!** Late applications will only be dealt with after National Offer Day and there may not be any places left at your preferred schools.

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