



Upcoming Dates

Monday 7th February – INSET day

Friday 8th April – INSET day

11th April – 22nd April Easter Holidays

Achievers Assembly

Well Done to all our achievers!

	Week ending 07.01.22	Week ending 14.01.22
Treen	Ali	Amelia
Perran	Sam	Heidi
Lamorna	Addi	Alana
Kynance	Mason	Connor
Gwithian	Amber	Archer
Godrevy	Sonny	Niamh

Staffing News

We would like to welcome the following staff:

Mrs Clarke has joined us as pastoral support to work with families and children. She has recently started working at the junior school and we are delighted she could also take up a post with us to offer support for our shared families.

Mrs Cocking, has now joined the team as a teaching assistant, as well as her previous role as a lunchtime supervisor. She is a great addition to our TA team.

Mrs Stevens, our school secretary is retiring after a very impressive 32 years! We will be very sad to see

her go as she is such an integral part of school, but fully respect and appreciate she deserves some time to herself. She has certainly earned it.

COVID

Please note there have been several letters sent out this week in relation to the number of cases we have experienced since coming back to school this year. If you have not received them, please let the office know your contact details. All letters are also on the school website.

Staffing has been significantly affected but supply has been more available than before Christmas. Staff in school are working a range of roles to ensure we can remain open.

As our current situation is so changeable at present, please be aware that there may be regular communications with updates.

After School Clubs

I apologise our offer of after school clubs has been delayed this term however, as I am sure you can appreciate the staff absences have impacted on our intended plans.

I hope to be able to share the plan for Spring term clubs with you in the next few weeks. These will be for a specific period, as before, and will be dependent on staff being in school.

A letter will follow shortly...

Final Note

I am immensely proud of our school community: staff, children, and parents these last two weeks. I am aware we have been quite lucky in the past compared with other schools in terms of cases however this is certainly 'our time'.

It could have been a very difficult time, however, there has been so much laughter this week from staff and children, as we have all done a variety of roles, which has amused the children no end.

Our children have found a new skill in 'directing' any staff in 'new' roles, and it's been lovely to see their enthusiasm and support. They have been amazing; well behaved, worked hard, kind, and helpful to all. I must stress the adults in school do know what they are doing, but the children seem to love guiding us when we do roles we may not usually!

We have also had such lovely supportive messages from parents, offering practical help, kind words or just words of thanks. All of which is very much appreciated.

We are still very much looking forward to the Spring term and will be hopefully receiving our new chrome books and agreeing with the school council what playground equipment to buy, so lots to look forward to. We are also arranging the purchasing of additional nonfiction books thanks to the continued fund-raising efforts of FOSIIS.

We are also continuing with Go Cornish, and you may notice more Cornish words appearing on our communication and in the children's language. We have the joy of all learning a new skill together.

Meur ras (Thank you) for all your support

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Leisa Farrar



