St Stephen Churchtown Academy Newsletter 11th September 2020





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From the Head of School

Thank you to everyone for helping make the first week back a huge success. It has been wonderful to see the school building full of smiling faces. The children have returned eager to learn and are already getting stuck into their new topics. After this first week, staff have been reviewing the processes and we have listened to feedback. Based on this, we are making some tweaks to the start and end times of the school day. See below:

Drop Off and Collection

	Nursery Miss Case	Reception Mrs Longworth-Riggs	Reception/Year 1 Mrs Frost	Year 1/Year 2 Mrs Smith Mrs Ellis	Year 2/Year 3 Mrs George Mrs Randles
Arrival	8.45am	8.55am	8.55am	8.40am – 9.00am	8.40am – 9.00am
Location	Nursery	Back door for Reception Through the green side gate	Front Door for R/1 Near main office entrance	Grass side Drop at the end of the path	Grass side Drop at the end of the path
Dismissal	3.15pm	3.20pm	3.20pm	3.05pm	3.05pm
Location	Nursery	Back door for Reception Through the green side gate	Front Door for R/1 Near main office entrance	Bottom Block End of path	Bottom Block End of path

	Year3/Year 4 Miss Bunney Mrs Faulds	Year 3/Year 4 Mrs Philp	Year 4/Year 5 Mrs Kempna	Year5/Year 6 Mrs Price	Year 6 Mr Stenhouse
Arrival	8.40am - 9.00am	8.40am - 9.00am	8.40am – 8.55am	8.40am – 8.55am	8.40am - 8.55am
Location	Grass side Drop at the end of the path	Grass side Drop at the end of the path	Top Playground Gate Drop off only	Top Playground Gate Drop off only	Top Playground Gate Drop off only
Dismissal	3.10pm	3.10pm	3.10pm	3.10pm	3.10pm
Location	Bottom Block End of path	Bottom Block End of path	KS2 Gate	KS2 Gate	KS2 Gate

Purple Achievers

It is always a pleasure to celebrate the success of our pupils in school. I have thoroughly enjoyed presenting certificates for a range of achievements. A huge well done to the following children for reaching purple this week:



Isaac R Oliver S Tamsyn L

Keep up the good work!





School Uniform

Please visit Screenprint at www.cornwallscreenprint.co.uk or telephone on: 01726 68689 to make your orders of school uniform. School Ties/PE Bags/Book bags can be purchased via ParentPay and collected from the school office.

Dates To Remember



21/09/20: Individual School Photos 26/10/20 to 30/10/20: Half Term 21/12/20 to 31/12/20: Half Term

04/01/21: INSET Day 12/02/21: INSET Day

15/02/21 to 19/02/21: Half Term 06/04/21 to 16/04/21: Half Term 01/06/21 to 04/06/21: Half Term

11/06/21: INSET Day

22/07/21 & 23/07/21: INSET Days 26/07/21 to 27/08/21: Half Term

Social Media

Polite reminder

Any questions/queries relating to a social media post should be sent to the hello@stephenchurctown.org.uk email address so they can be responded to promptly.

Thank you.

Reception Children

Please can all parents of Reception children ensure that they have brought in their child's PE kits, 'All About Me' boxes, wellies and waterproofs, and return their child's Learning Journeys into school.

Thank you.

School Dinners

Please see our lunch menu for the week beginning 14/09/2020. For food options, visit our school website under the Parent Tab. Please remember to pay £2.35 in advance via Parentpay. Thank you.

Attendance Ratings:

Excellent attendance: 98% +

Expected: 96% +

Unsatisfactory Attendance:

90% - 95%

Poor Attendance: below 90%

Polkerris: 96.1 %

Crooklets: 93.6 %

Readymoney: 100 %

Fistral: 97.1 %

Porth: 100 %

Carlyon Bay: 98.3 %

Perranporth: 99.3 %

Caerhays: 99.7 %

Crantock: 95.9 %

Stars/Merits



Stars:

Rec Polkerris: Due to transition week, Stars will begin next week

Rec/Yr1Crooklets: Due to transition week, Stars will begin next week

Y1/Y2Readymoney: Kasper S & Jessica B

Y2/Y3 Fistral: Whole class for settling back into school brilliantly

Merits:

Y3/Y4 Porth: Kaycey P & Ollie K

Y3/Y4 Mrs Philp Carlyon Bay: Rylee B & Lowen D

Y4/Y5Perranporth: Zak P & Oliver M
Y5/Y6 Caerhays: Alfie L & Charlie P

Y6 Crantock: Liam G & Molly N

For up to date information regarding Coronavirus, please use link below:

http://www.aspireacademytrust.org/1434/

Polite reminder to Parents/Guardians:

If your child/ren brings their scooter/bike onto school ground, we ask for them to walk their bike/ scooter to the designated area. Thank you.

Arbor App



To ensure you are receiving communications from school, please make sure the school office has your email address.

Thank you.

Individual school photos will be taking place on Monday 21st September 2020. There will be no sibling photos taking place. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

Teacher Training Opportunities



Apply to Aspire Teaching Trust October 2020



Apply for our courses to train right here in Cornwall, via UCAS or the new Apply Service from Get into Teaching: www.getintoteaching.education.gov.uk



Aspire Teaching Trust E: ATT@iaspire.net

T: 01726 438613

Join our online info sessions for more details:

17th September 2020 - 1.30pm-2.30pm

15th October 2020 -10.30am-11.30am

18th November 2020 -3.00pm-4.00pm

7th December 2020 -10.30am-11.30am

12th January 2021 -1.30pm-2.30pm

3rd February 2021 -3.00pm-4.00pm

Book here: www.aspireacademyt rust.org/teachingtrust





Do you have a child born between 1 September 2016 and 31 August 2017?

If so, you will need to apply for a place in a reception class in September 2021 for that child by the deadline of 15 January 2021.

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

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 www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

applications is 2021



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