



FOWEY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Friday 12th June

Message from Mrs Walker

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we get Summer 2 well underway, we look forward to better weather and bringing as many experiences as possible outside. Please can you ensure that your child has a water bottle in school, suncream and also a waterproof coat!

We are continuing to be busy with our academic achievements and wider experiences. Year 5 have been swimming, paddlesports have continued, our footballers attended the Celt Cup, parents have been in to enjoy a story with their child and EYFS attended Fowey Hall Hotel for afternoon tea. We have also been incredibly proud of our learners who have undertaken statutory assessments this week. Both Year 1 (phonic screening check) and Year 4 (multiplication check), did so with resilience, confidence and determination. We are all incredibly proud.

There is no expectation to buy new uniform at this stage in the term, but please can you make sure that your child is as smart as possible. This commitment is very much appreciated.

I am working towards my proposal of children meeting their new class teacher on Thursday 18th June. A letter will follow as soon as possible detailing these plans.

This weekend is St Austell Literacy Festival where many tickets are £1. Hope to see you there!

Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Kay Walker



It is with both gratitude & sadness that we announce that Mr Paul Trudgeon has made the difficult decision to leave Fowey Primary School from the end of this term and continue his teaching career in another Celt School.

Paul has been at Fowey for 22 years. His departure will be a huge loss. I am sure you will join us in wishing him lots of luck for the future. More information to follow on how to celebrate Mr Trudgeon's time at Fowey Primary School.

Your paragraph text

Thank you for your continued support and partnership in your child's education journey. Together, we can inspire greatness and empower our students to reach for the stars.





Tea Time Cafe

Come and join us for a quiet cup of tea, a chat with school staff or just a warm 10 minutes. Very informal!



26TH MARCH, 30TH APRIL, 22ND



*MAY, 10TH JUNE & 16TH JULY
AFTER DROP-OFF*

 *FOWEY PRIMARY SCHOOL HALL*

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Fowey Primary School Summer Term Dates 2026

- 15th June- Year 2 Outdoor Project
- 18th June – New Teacher read a story
- 19th June – Year 4 Paddlesports (morning)
- 24th June- Year 1 and 2 to Heligan
- 26th - Carnival Dance afterschool
- 26th June – Year 4 Paddlesports (morning)
- 29th June- Year 6 Swimming all week
- 2nd July- Year 6 Transition Day to FRA and Whole School Transition Morning
- 3rd July- Inset Day -School Closed
- 6th July- New EYFS Starters Stay and Play
- 6th- Year 5 Sailing day
- 7th July- Sports Day (invite new starters to watch)
- 8th July- Year 3 and 4 Heligan Trip
- 10th July- New EYFS Starters Stay and Play
- 10th July – Year 4 Paddlesports (morning)
- 13th July- Parent Meetings for Year 1-5
- 13th July- Y6/EYFS Reports to go home
- 14th July- CELT Young Carers Event
- 14th July- Year 6 Immersive Experience, Water Sports
- 15th- Science Day
- 16th July- New EYFS Starters Stay and Play
- 16th July - Year 6 Leavers Disco
- 17th July -Reserved Sports Day
- 20-22nd July- Year 5 and 6 Residential
- 24th Last day of Term 3.05pm (NO Oceans afterschool club)



Early Adopter Breakfast Club

We are delighted to announce that we can now offer a free breakfast of toast and jam to children from 8am – 8.30am.

Please just turn up at 8am if you would like your child to attend. We are going to trial not booking on ParentPay.

Thank you for all your continued support.

IMPORTANT REMINDER

We hope this message finds you well. We would like to kindly remind you of the importance of ensuring your child arrives at school promptly each morning.

Punctuality is essential in minimizing lost learning time and helps your child start their day prepared and ready to engage with their lessons. As you will be aware, the gates are open between 8.35am and 8.45am. We strongly encourage you to arrive during this time to allow your child to access the maximum amount of learning time.

Term Dates 2025-26

#WeAreCELT

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School day - schools are open to pupils Staff INSET training - closed to pupils School holiday - closed to pupils

CELT Academic Calendar 2026-27

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Teaching Days: 190
 INSET Days: 2
 Commuted INSET Days: 3
 Total Days: 192 (+3 Commuted)

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Please can we remind Parent/Carers of the school uniform policy. It is Important the children wear the correct uniform at all times.

Jumper/Cardigan— Blue jumper/cardigan with the school logo

Polo shirt—smart, plain white polo shirt

Trousers/Skirt/Pinafore—Black trousers, shorts, skirts or pinafores. (no joggers)

Skirts must be knee length or longer.

Summer dresses – blue and white checked only

Socks/Tights—Plain black socks or tights. Plain white socks with summer dresses.

Black shoes — smart, waterproof, plain black shoes only (not trainers)

PE – House coloured T-Shirts (red/blue/yellow) with black shorts or black joggers/legging, trainers and school jumper/cardigan.

Also NO Jewellery/False Nails & long hair tied up due to health and safety & also NO nail varnish

** NO FOOTBALL KITS OR BRANDED CLOTHING *

READY FOR TENNIS?

FREE SESSIONS

Free tennis and pickleball taster sessions, as part of LTA Big Tennis weekend, led by LTA accredited coaches. Available for all ages, with equipment provided.

Where: Bodmin Leisure Centre

When: Sunday 17th May

Junior Tennis (5+ years):
10am - 10.45am

Adult and Teen Tennis:
11am - 11.45am

Adult Pickleball Taster:
12pm - 12.45pm

Sessions must be booked in advance. Scan the QR code for more information or to book.

Follow on coaching offer
50% off
T & C apply







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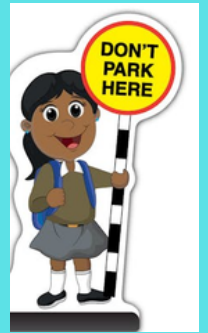




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Car Park
Please DO NOT park
in the school car
park this is due to
safeguarding
reasons.

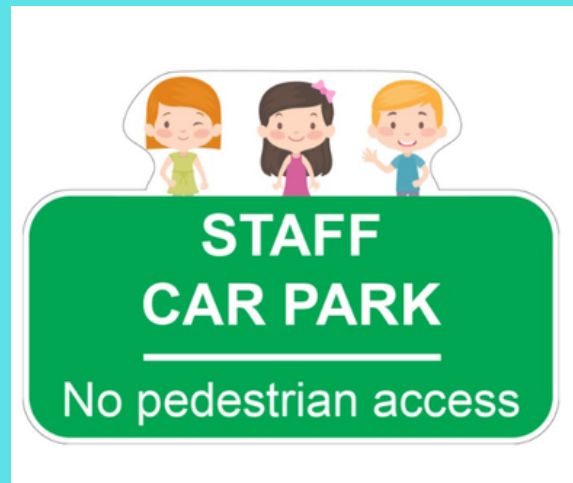


Important Reminders

Uniform Policy

Please ensure your child comes into school with a coat as weather can be very unpredictable at times.

When the warmer weather finally arrives please apply suncream at home.



Please can we remind parents/carers that only authorised vehicles are allowed to park in the car park. Please also drive slowly when entering and leaving. Please think SPEED.

We would like to also remind you all to use the footpaths provided and not use the car park to walk through.

Thank you

KERNOW YOUTH

Groups we run

June 2026

MONDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p>St. Blazey Family Hub Kernow Kidz Everyone Welcome 8-12 years 4:30pm-6:00pm</p>	<p>St. Blazey Family Hub Tummy to Tots Babies & Young Mum's under 25 10:30am-12:30pm</p>	<p>Lostwithiel Oasis Room Stay & Play Young Mum's 16-23 years 10:15am-11:45am</p>	<p>Young Advisors 13-19 years</p>
<p>St. Blazey Family Hub PL24 Youth Group Everyone Welcome 12-18 years 6:30pm-8:30pm</p>	<p>St. Blazey Family Hub Fourways to Grow Home schooled and not in education 12-17 years 2:00pm-4:00pm</p>	<p>St. Blazey Family Hub LGBT+ Youth Group 13-18 years 5:00pm-6:30pm</p>	
	<p>St. Blazey Family Hub Girl Active Young Women's group 12-16 years 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>Outreach youth workers out and about 5:30pm-6:30pm</p> <p>St. Blazey Family Hub Soapbox SEN 13-25 years 6:30pm-8:30pm</p>	

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Contact for more information: portia@kernow-youth.co.uk

KERNOW KIDZ

ALL YOUNG PEOPLE WELCOME
8-12 YEARS

Mondays 4:30pm-6:00pm
Term time

Activities, crafts, games and lots of fun with support from trained youth workers during what can be a tricky time.

Kernow Youth CIC
St. Blazey Family Hub,
Station Road,
St. Blazey,
PL24 2ND.

For more information Email:
lisa@kernow-youth.co.uk

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Girl Active

12-16 years
Wednesday
5:30pm-7:30pm
Term Time

Outside Adventure

Welcoming accepting

Push your limits

Challenge yourself

Fun

FREE

contact: lisa@kernow-youth.co.uk

St. Blazey Family Hub

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Fourways to Grow

A session for young people aged 12-17 years who are homeschooled or not in education

Booking Essential

No EHCP required

Contact: lisa@kernow-youth.co.uk

refreshments provided

Wednesdays 2-4pm

Term Time Only

St. Blazey Family Hub
Station Road
St. Blazey
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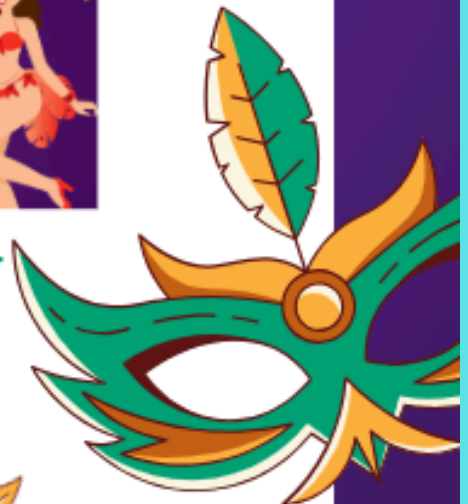
CARNIVAL DANCE

26th June
3.05pm – 3.45pm
at Fowey Primary School

**Dance demonstration & whole
school dance. Come along and join in**



**Voluntary contributions of 50p. All
donations will go towards the school.
Refreshments available from Fowey
Fundraisers**





Polridmouth Class



Literacy

This half term, we will explore seaside and ocean-themed stories including *Tiddler*, *Sharing a Shell* and *The Storm Whale*. The children will continue developing their phonics, including reading red and green storybooks confidently and writing simple sentences using capital letters and full stops. We will also create seaside-inspired stories, postcards and enjoy exploring descriptive writing.

Maths

In Maths, we will continue developing number skills through counting beyond 20, recalling number facts to 10, exploring doubles and halves, and making equal groups. The children will also investigate shape, pattern and mapping activities using mathematical language.

Wider Curriculum

Our theme this half term is *Seaside and Water*. The children will learn about oceans, beaches and marine life, including habitats and how to protect our planet. We will observe the life cycle of caterpillars and butterflies, spot signs of Summer, and create seaside-inspired artwork, soundscapes and puppet shows.

Trips and Visitors

This half term, we will enjoy a *Pirate Day*, baking experiences and a rock pooling trip to *Readymoney Beach*. The children will also continue observing caterpillars and butterflies and celebrate their learning together at the end of term. We will also enjoy a trip to the garden centre, exploring the plants, practising buying something and then bringing a plant back to grow ourselves.



Cannis Class



English

We will start the Summer term by learning about the life of the famous explorer, Charles Darwin. We will write in role as explorers discovering new species and lands in a diary entry and a letter. Later in the half term, we will consider two popular fairytales- Rapunzel and Sleeping Beauty. We will be writing our own versions with plot twists!

Maths

In Maths, we will continue our learning about fractions focussing on finding parts and wholes and identifying unit and non-unit fractions. We will solve problems using our knowledge of $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$. We will also be learning to tell the time! Please support our learning at home by looking at clocks and discussing various times of the day and routines. We will also learn about capacity, temperature, position and direction.

Wider Curriculum

We will continue with our theme of Explorers! In History we will be identifying explorers past and present and thinking about what makes them significant. In RE we will complete our work on considering how Muslims live. We will then consider special places in different religions. This half term will have a DT focus with Mrs. Yeo on Friday afternoons. The children will be designing and creating a functional fairground wheel that rotates and stands freely. In Science we will be learning about animals including humans and different classifications. PE is striking and fielding games. In PSHE we will think about changes as we grow up.



Personal Development

We have some exciting opportunities planned in this half term including: a walk into Fowey to identify human and physical features of our local environment, a trip to the Lost Gardens of Heligan and a joint trip with EYFS to the beach in July!- More details to follow for this soon!



Coombe Class

English

In English, we will be using the Literacy Shed stimulus '*Home Sweet Home*' and exploring emotions, thoughts and feelings with an emphasis on PSHE. Our final outcomes will be a diary extract and a setting description. Guided Reading will be focussed on the novel *The Abominables* by Eva Ibbotson. We will read this novel daily and explore different themes and provoke different discussions.

Maths

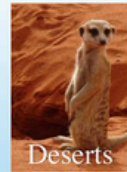
In Maths, we will continue developing our understanding of fractions by looking at adding, subtracting and finding fractions of a number. After this number focus, we will then be learning about time, money, statistics, shape and decimals.

Wider Curriculum

In Geography, we will finish our unit on Earthquakes and move on to Deserts and be exploring what animals and plants live there and what the weather and climate are like. We will be moving away from Christianity in RE and begin to explore Islam – this links well with our History unit in the Summer 1 term. Within the wider curriculum, we will be exploring 'how our body changes' in PSHE. To link with our love of reading, we will be exploring fastenings in DT with the aim to use sewing skills to create a book cover for our favourite book.

Personal Development

It's an exciting time on the River this half term. Year 4 will continue their 6-week water sports programme – looking at both sailing and kayaking skills. The whole year group will also have an amazing opportunity to partake in an introduction to paddle sports at Readymoney Beach. To enhance our Science curriculum, we will also be attending Heligan later in the term to hopefully ignite some more budding scientists in the class.





Readymoney Class



English

In English, we will be reading the exciting Anglo-Saxon epic 'Beowulf'. The children will explore how authors create vivid settings and build atmosphere to engage the reader. They will use these techniques to write their own narrative inspired by the text. We will also be watching the short film 'Titanium', which will provide the stimulus for writing a newspaper report.

The children will learn how to report events clearly and effectively, using formal language, eyewitness accounts, and journalistic features. Reading and discussing stories at home will continue to support the development of vocabulary and writing skills.



Ramadan

Maths

In Maths, we will begin by developing our understanding of geometry, focusing on shape, position, and direction. We will then move on to decimals, before exploring negative numbers and how they are used in real-life contexts. Later in the term, we will investigate volume and practise converting units of measure. Opportunities to apply mathematical skills at home through cooking, measuring and practical problem-solving activities can help to reinforce the learning taking place in school.

Wider Curriculum

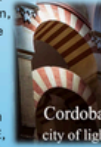
This term, we will continue our exciting Explorers theme. In History, the children will investigate a range of explorers from different periods in history and around the world. In Geography, we will be learning about deserts around the world. In RE, we will build on our learning about Islam by exploring key aspects of Muslim beliefs and practices. In Science, we will be studying Animals Including Humans, focusing on the various stages of the human life cycle. In Design and Technology, we will be exploring textiles by designing and creating our own stuffed toys. In PE, we will be focusing on striking and fielding, developing key skills such as throwing, catching, batting and teamwork.



Deserts

Personal development

This term we have an exciting range of opportunities for children to develop their confidence, resilience, and independence. The children will take part in swimming lessons, develop their teamwork and water-sport skills through sailing in Fowey, and enjoy the challenge and adventure of their residential visit. These experiences will encourage collaboration, responsibility and personal growth while creating lasting memories with their classmates.



Cordoba:
city of light



Carne Class



English

In the second half of the Summer term, we will be completing our non chronological reports based on Shackleton's Journey, before completing the year with some horror fiction! We will be reading the texts: Can you See Me? and The Nowhere Emporium.



Deserts

Maths

In Maths, we will be developing our understanding of algebra, completing some themed project work and problem solving, linking our prior learning over the year.

Wider Curriculum

In Science, we'll be completing our investigating light work, considering shadow formations. In Geography, we will be learning about deserts, the climate and animals there. In History, we will explore Cordoba: City of Light, while in RE we will learn about Ramadan. In PE, we'll be moving on to rounders and outdoor and adventurous activities.



Cordoba:
city of light

Year 6 Light



Trips and Visitors

This will be the busiest yet- with swimming, a career's fair, a residential at Porthpean and paddleboarding/sailing to look forward to!

