

## Immersive Curriculum

Our immersive curriculum has gone off with a 'BANG' at the beginning of the term in KS2, quite literally! The children have had a brilliant introduction to their Tudor topic with a visit to Pendennis Castle. They learnt all about the castle and how it was used during Henry VIII's reign and in both World Wars too! They even got to experience the firing of the cannons! The experiences of the day have really helped the children to engage in their topic, ignite their enthusiasm and give them a deeper understanding of the time. We'd like to say a huge thank you to all of the parents who came along to support.



## Class Dojo



For parents new to Perranporth School... we often use a digital media platform called Class Dojo. This is a great way for teachers to share the different things that go on in the classroom each day with parents and families. There are also message facilities and many other useful tools



too. So far the feedback from parents has been very positive indeed. So, if you haven't logged on to Class Dojo yet, look out for an email that should've been sent to all new parents and families, with sign up details. If you experience any issues, pop in and have a chat to your child's teacher who should be able to help.

## After School Clubs

A reminder that our after school clubs start next Monday 16th Sept. We have had several children signed up for clubs without payments being made. Payment must be made before the club begins. These can either be made at the School Office or via Parent Pay (please make sure funds are allocated to 'After School Clubs' on your account). If you have not signed up to Parent Pay and would like further information, letters can be collected from the office.

## Walking Home



Please can we ask parents of children who walk home unaccompanied to reiterate messages of sensible walking and road safety to their children. We would also like to request that unaccompanied children do not cross the carpark as they leave school, but instead leave via the top gate next to the Children's Centre before crossing with Mrs Wye the 'lollipop lady'. This way they reduce the number of high traffic areas they need to cross. Thank you.

## ~ This week's attendance ~

Trevithick YR	St Piran Y1	Penhaligon Y2	Boscawen Y3	Trengrouse Y4	Trelawny Y5	Davy Y6
96%	99.2%	95.3%	98%	99.4%	100%	98.1%

# Perranporth Community Primary School



## The Ultimate Bookworm Challenge

Reading is a vital skill and opens the world to our children. We want to encourage every child to read more often, to read more widely and to find something that they love reading. We also want to encourage our parents/carers to engage with our challenge, both by helping their child to find time to read and to share good quality books together.

The Ultimate Book Worm Challenge is Perranporth's way of engaging children in reading. To participate children need to read regularly and record reads with a comment from a parent/carer in their record book. Each significant number of reads then results in a special badge that children earn. When children receive a badge, they receive a special mention in our Friday Celebration Assembly. Children will also have to complete reading challenges to earn the badges to become an **'Ultimate Bookworm'**. As an Ultimate Bookworm, pupils are able to become honorary librarians, and are entered into a prize draw to win a Kindle!



White Bookworm - 10 reads

Red Bookworm - 30 reads

Orange Bookworm - 50 reads

Yellow Bookworm - 100 reads



Bronze Bookworm - 125 reads and a book review (Children can collect review templates from their teacher or from Miss Pryor)

Silver Bookworm - 175 reads including two books from the 100 best children's book list

Gold Bookworm - 200 reads, including a book a member of your family read when they were a child

**'Ultimate Bookworm'** - 250 reads, including a classic (KS2) and a book written by a recommended author.

..... So let's get reading! .....

## FOPS - Bags 2 School

Our first Bags 2 School collection is scheduled for Tue 26th Nov. We're flagging it up early in case parents want to start getting organised and storing up any donations in plenty of time before the date. Details of what donations are acceptable for Bags2School can be found here: <https://bag2school.com/what-we-collect> Thank you.



## Dates for Your Diary

Below you will see a list of dates for the Autumn Term. Lots more events will be announced as we go forwards into the term but these are the ones we have set out at the moment:



- 16th Sept - After School Clubs start
- 19th Sept - Y5/6 Macron Football Festival
- 19th Sept - Treviglas Open Evening (Y5 & Y6)
- Fri 20th Sept - Treviglas Open Morning (Y5 & Y6)
- Thur 26th Sept - Treherras Open Evening & Penair Open Evening
- 3rd Oct - Richard Lander Open Evening
- 16th Oct - YR & Y1 Harvest Festival 9:30pm
- 18th Oct - Halloween Disco (KS1 5pm - 6pm) (KS2 6:15pm - 7:15pm)
- 21st Oct to 25th Oct - Half Term
- 28th Oct - INSET (non pupil day)
- 30th Oct - Individual (and sibling) photos
- 4th Nov - Y2 & Y3 Open Maths Mornings (parents welcome)
- 5th Nov - Y1 Open Maths Mornings (parents welcome)
- 6th Nov - Y4 & Y5 Open Maths Mornings (parents welcome)
- 7th Nov - Rec & Y6 Open Maths Mornings (parents welcome)
- 11th Nov & 13th Nov - Parent's Evening Meetings
- 15th Nov - Children in Need
- 6th Dec - Xmas Jumper Day & Decorations Day
- 8th Dec - Christmas Tree Festival, St Piran's Church
- 20th Dec - INSET Day

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