

24th April 2020



# Treverbyn Academy Newsletter.

Wow, it has been amazing to read all of the things that our pupils are doing during this time of school closure. You have been so busy and many many thanks to parents and carers who have been juggling their workloads and family demands trying to keep home learning going.

Indeed this is the theme of this week's newsletter. Having had requests for home learning packs and speaking with some of you when I was out delivering, this is the conversation that came up time and again.

This concern has been central to the Government and its advisors also this week., with the overwhelming advice being:-

No one expects parents to act as teachers, or to provide the activities and feedback that a school would. What is more important, say educationalists, is maintaining a degree of normality, rather than worrying about a child's progress in English or maths.

## How do I support my children?

There are things you can do to make the experience relatively rewarding and stress-free:

Set a routine - if possible, have children dressed and breakfasted by 08:30 on weekdays - this will help them adjust when schools reopen.

Identify a set time of day when you will help children with projects, and other times when they can do things by themselves

Have family time— play games, go for a walk, do things together.

Have regular meal times

To avoid children losing academic skills they don't practise, including reading, writing and maths, make these the most important daily sessions

**Don't forget that the school Website has direct links to home learning packs for each year group that are updated every two weeks— weeks 5 and 6 are about to be Uploaded.**

Guidance for parents of Nursery pupils:-

[https://www.gov.uk/guidance/help-children-aged-2-to-4-to-learn-at-home-during-coronavirus-covid-19?utm\\_source=59550d3f-e5b5-424b-b66e-d353e6ac73a1&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm\\_content=immediate](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/help-children-aged-2-to-4-to-learn-at-home-during-coronavirus-covid-19?utm_source=59550d3f-e5b5-424b-b66e-d353e6ac73a1&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate)

SEND guidance for parents

[https://www.gov.uk/guidance/help-children-with-send-continue-their-education-during-coronavirus-covid-19?utm\\_source=2e5b55a3-a70c-4ef9-9d11-f63b6d452437&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm\\_content=immediate](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/help-children-with-send-continue-their-education-during-coronavirus-covid-19?utm_source=2e5b55a3-a70c-4ef9-9d11-f63b6d452437&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=immediate)

Advice for all other parents

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/help-primary-school-children-continue-their-education-during-coronavirus-covid-19>

**Cornwall Council's team** is collating resources and information to share with parents, carers and teachers at this time of crisis. Please follow **Together for Families social media pages** for exciting ideas

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/TFFCornwall](https://www.facebook.com/TFFCornwall)

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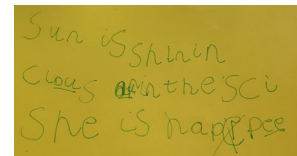
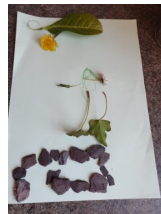
### Class News

#### Menabilly Class

This week we have had some great home learning activities from our reception class. We had some lovely fun art activities sent to us from Amelia and her sisters Navaeh and Mia. They enjoyed some great potato printing and look like they had a fantastic time!!



Lois went on a nature hunt and collected 21 items. She then used the finds to make a wonderful picture of Mrs Kearton!!! She then wrote a lovely sentence about her picture:



We have also had lots of wonderful reading and phonics activities just like these from Fabien and Oscar!!

Gracie designed her own home school uniform which I thought was a great design!!



Lois made a fabulous make a wish jar!! A wonderful idea where you can write the things you wish you could do and places you want to go. Then once things return to 'normal' you can pick out what you would like to do!!



#### Porthpean Class

It has been another brilliant week of learning in Year One. We love seeing what you have been up to on Tapestry! You have been doing lots of great writing, White Rose maths and Read Write Inc but also learning in lots of other exciting ways too.

Ella has secured her number bonds to 10 and has now challenged herself to practice her number bonds to 20.

Archie has used tools carefully to make a wonderful birdhouse for his garden. He has also made some doughnuts with Mummy which looked very yummy!

Cleo and Lila have been using their time to learn some Spanish and can now count to 10! They have also helped Daddy to make pasties, yummy! Darcee has had a super exciting week. She has celebrated her sixth birthday and looked after her poorly chicken.

Charlie R has put his culinary skills to good use to create his own mayonnaise! He has also made a special menu for a Monster party.

Izzabella has been exploring nature and even found some tadpoles on her walk.

Hallie has drawn a gorgeous self portrait of herself and written a lovely Easter poem.

Madi has been very creative using toilet rolls to create her very own Jack and the Beanstalk castle. She has also been practicing her reading and is now using a wonderful storytelling voice!

Archer has had a busy week; he took part in Miss Warn's natural artwork challenge and created some beautiful Andy Goldsworthy inspired artwork. He is watching his caterpillar's grow and waiting patiently to see what they turn into!

Harlyn-May has been enjoying the sunshine and has made some salt-dough in the sun.

Alfie has had a brilliant week and has been outside which is a great achievement for him!

Tylan has been practicing his maths skills on Sum-dog.

Miss Warn has been taking part in lots of virtual quizzes with her friends and family – she even won a quiz! She has also welcomed a beautiful new baby rabbit to her family and so has been busy looking after him.

Mrs. Cameron has been making flapjacks, making a birthday video for one of her best friends, doing painting and playdough outside with her girls and spotting different wild flowers in the hedgerows when she's cycling.

We have loved seeing your learning this week and we cannot wait to see what you get up to next week!

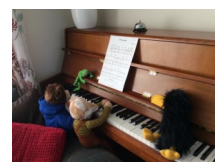


## Pendower Class

Happy Friday everyone! It has been great getting in touch with some of you this week and seeing some fantastic pieces of work and pictures that you have been completing at home. We have been so lucky with the sunshine, it makes everything seem much brighter at these uncertain times. I hope you are all taking care of yourselves, staying active, eating well and being helpful and kind at home.

Remember, when we are kind to others it makes us smile too! I have managed to plant some more seeds in my garden and some pots because my sunflower seed didn't sprout! Fingers crossed they make an appearance! Thank you for sharing how tall some of your sunflowers are! You must be really looking after them with all the things it needs to survive.

Here are some more pictures of your fluffy friends up to mischief again! We all miss you so much and are looking forward to sharing more memories together soon.



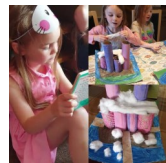
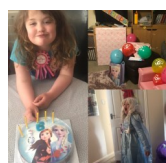
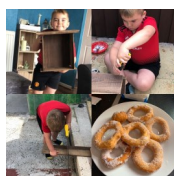
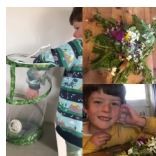
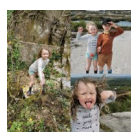
## Charlestown Class

It has been great to see so many Year 3 faces on our Facebook page this week. There has been some great work on Google classroom too, for example Corey R has created a fantastic slides presentation about Arsenal, Lewis C has taught us so much about golf and how much perseverance and dedication you have to have and Phoebe L has created a brilliant presentation about dancing. Looking forward to seeing more next week!

The staff have been treated to a lovely video message from Corey too.

## Whipsiderry Class

This week I have discovered Year 4 are great cooks! Goggle classroom has been full of mouth-watering pictures of your creations



Harry has taught me how to make Bacon and Egg pie, Keira is a pasty crimper extraordinaire and Euan makes the most delicious looking carrot cake and banana ice cream ever! It has been lovely to see pictures of what you have all been up to as well thank you for sending them to us.

The new learning packs for the next two weeks are now on our Year 3 and 4 home learning page and there are a few other bits on Goggle classroom too. Don't forget to log into Sumdog next week to take part in the Cornwall and Isles of Scilly challenge. Stay safe, keep working and take care. X

## Porthcurno Class

Year 5 have really impressed us this week! At the beginning of the week, I set the class a challenge of making a homemade Cornish pasty to take part in the Kernow King's 'International stay home and make a pasty' day. We saw some mouth-watering entries! Some of the children have also been making brilliant 100th birthday cards for the legendary NHS fundraiser, Tom Moore.

Lacey told me about the snails she had been watching in her garden so I challenged her to do a pencil sketch of it. What do you think?

Molly and Jaxon have been learning sign language which is a fantastic achievement, Saffron has been baking and helping to build a swing set and Caiden has been challenging himself on Sumdog. The staff have been treated to a lovely video message from Caidyn, Jacob has recreated a brilliant helmet from an old Easter egg box and Jayden has been keeping fit using his Nintendo Wii.

Lots of the class have been joining in, like Mrs F, with Joe Wicks' daily 'P.E.' and hopefully they will share some photos of them joining in with his 'Fancy dress Friday'/ If Mrs F can do it dressed as Elsa from Frozen whilst balancing children on her then there really is no excuse!

I hope you have all been making the most of the glorious weather. Myself and Mr Bray really miss you all.

Stay safe Year 5. Mrs F



## Spelling Shed

### Our top Spellers!

Year 6 - Tay R  
Year 5 - Jacob C  
Year 4 - Rokas B  
Year 3 - Edward C  
Year 2 - Ella C

**Pentewan have earned the most points so far!**

## Accelerated Read

### Our biggest bookworms

Year 6 - Lily B  
Year 5 - Ted YM  
Year 4 - Lily S  
Year 3 - Corey R



## Sumdog Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Challenge!

Starting on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> April we will be taking part in the County Sumdog challenge. Every time you log on and play on Sumdog your points go towards a whole school total. The competition lasts for a week until the end of the day on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May.

## We need you for our latest creation!

In singing assemblies we have been learning the song 'Give it all you've got'. We would like to create a video of everyone from Treverbyn, staff and students joining in with the song. If you would like to take part the song and the lyrics can be found on our home learning page on our school website.

Please send any photos and videos to [secretary@treverbyn.org.uk](mailto:secretary@treverbyn.org.uk) by Wednesday 29th April



## The Cove

This week the children in The Cove have been very creative.

Logan has made a 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday card for Captain Tom.



Faith has decorated her bedroom.



Jacob has made a Monster Bag to scare his brothers and sisters away from his chocolate stash.



## Penwtean Class

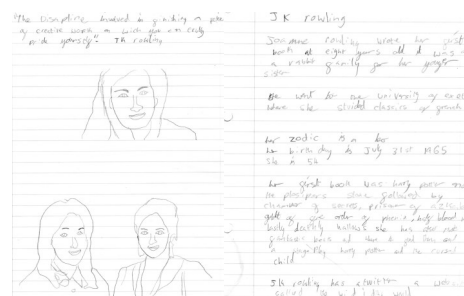
Year 6 are very pleased to be top of the Spellingshed leader board and congratulations to Tay who has earned the most points overall. Well done to Lily, who has read the most on Accelerated Reader this week! It has been great to hear from some of you and see what you have been up to:

Katie has been very helpful to her mum (which is great to hear) and has been enjoying walks!

Lily has written a superb fact file about J K Rowling:



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Finley has been enjoying walking his dog and having fun on his trampoline!



Parents Helpline if you are  
worried about your child's  
mental health:  
0800 8025504

# Maths Leader boards



## Year 2

Edward  
Senara  
Damian

## Year 3

Coral  
Lewis C  
Millie  
Sophie  
Holly  
Ethan  
Jayden  
Corey R  
Lexi  
Samson

## Year 4

Rokas  
Lucas  
John  
Addi  
Molly  
Kiera  
Logan  
Kaite

## Year 5

Talon  
Jacob  
Louie  
Lacey  
Lillyanne  
Hayden  
Leah  
Caidyn  
Molly  
Ted  
Evie

## Year 6

Ellie May  
Josh  
Rodrigo  
Mercedes  
Ella  
Ethan  
Tay  
Connor  
Riley  
Jessica  
Kayla  
Katie



**Year 1**

Darcee  
Ella  
Oliver  
Archie  
Mason

**Year 2**

Edward  
Senara  
Harlow  
Harriet  
Evie  
Sophie  
Ruby May  
Kyle

**Year 3**

Lewis C  
Millie  
Sophie  
Holly  
Kieran  
Ethan  
Jayden  
Phoebe

**Year 4**

Jupiter  
Rokas  
Evie  
Lucas  
John  
Molly  
Keira  
Mia  
Katie

**Year 5**

Talon  
Charlie  
Halle  
Jayden

**Year 6**

Josh  
Ella  
Tay  
Ashton  
Lloyd  
Matthew  
Jessica



	<b>Reception</b> Harlyn Oscar Tegan	<b>Year 1</b> Archie Maddie Mason Oliver Seb
<b>Year 2</b> Damian Edward Harlow Bella Megan Senara Sophie	<b>Year 3</b> Coral Lewis C Millie Sophie Holly Harry Ethan Jayden Corey R Corey T Harrison Phoebe Grace Lexi	<b>Year 4</b> Addi Evie Harry John Jupiter Kian Leah Paige Rokas
<b>Year 5</b> Caiden Charlie Halle Isaac Talon Jacob Jayden Jaxon P	Louie Lacey Lillyanne Kieran Hayden Leah Caidyn Molly Madison Owen Ruben Saffron	<b>Year 6</b> Ella Tay Kayla Lily Lloyd Mathew

## Trailblazers News

While on lockdown Beau had her 3rd birthday which I tried to make it special for her We baked some peppermint crispies and enjoying the sunny weather. Beau has been doing some exercises on her trampoline and enjoying her pool, going down the slide, enjoying playing in her Peppa Pig tent with her toys and we have been learning colours, number and trying to write her name.

from Beau's mummy Leanne.

Reeva has been exercising daily, she has made her own bracelet and enjoying having an ice cream.

Phoebe has been keeping busy and doing lots of different things since lockdown.

We decided to make the most out of the recycling that's been building up a lot faster since we've all been off and painted some glass jars and made them into vases and candle holders.

Easter weekend we made our very own Easter tree with glittery eggs and Easter egg sun catchers.

What made it even better was having such beautiful sunshine, so we decorated our tree outside.

When the sun's been shining we've definitely been taking advantage of having a garden and getting outside playing football, planting and watering plants, hopscotch & playing in the paddling pool.

Everyday Phoebe's been dressing up as a princess (well about every couple hours actually she'll be in a different fancy dress outfit) then she'll dance to all the different Disney songs on Alexa (I'm surprised she's not broken it, as I don't think its ever been used so much).

Phoebe misses her friends and the nursery team & asks when she will see everyone again .. I read her one of the stories you put up on tapestry and it did help her realise a bit more about what's happening at the moment. For a little while she was still thinking it was because she had chickenpox (she had the week before the coronavirus situation).

Harper has been very busy!

We are going for a walk this afternoon and she has a lot of things to find!

She has been doing her 20 things before school even though she is not starting this year.

Also she has been doing lots of crafts, sending cards to family that she can't see. She understands that Boris says we have to stay home.

We have been making hopscotch and also doing lots of baking. Harper started to grasp the idea of hopscotch.

She also measures out all of the ingredients when we cook and she mixes it all together. We made little egg muffins!

Harper has been practicing writing her numbers. She's getting very good!

Zak has been looking after his seeds and created an amazing robot called Dotty using junk modelling. He has been feeding the chickens and collecting their eggs as well as having fun in his pool.

Elena has been looking after her plants in her fairy garden. Ollie has been creating giant bubbles and they have both been counting using smarties!!!

Oscar and Ruben have been outside enjoying their time in the fresh air.

Esme made big bubbles using her bubble wand and has made a chicken mask.

Arlen has been making a play house from cardboard, been out on the trampoline, rode his bike and playing in the sun!

Rosie-May has been having fun at home.

Ruby-Mai has been learning her colours and shapes.

Harley has been enjoying going on long walk this week. He played a game on the bridge and tried to beat the cars to the other side of the bridge.

George has been practicing his writing skills.

Elsie has had a lovely week, enjoying the sunshine. She has been exploring the garden and has enjoyed playing with a variety of toys. Elsie really enjoyed splashing in the paddling pool with her big brother and sister and taking her unicorn for a walk. Elsie has also done lots of drawing, painting and sensory play.

Elsie has been working really hard on her next steps too. Hope everyone is safe and well. Love Elsie and family xx

Lily had great fun in the garden doing chalk art. She was able to help decide which colour she should do next, so that it wasn't next to the same colour.

When finished, she did some fabulous shadow dancing! Lily has also been practicing her letter formation. Lily went to our (use your imagination) beach. Lily loved this she got the parasol out over her and sat with her feet in the sand, enjoying an ice cream of course! Lily painted a caterpillar, a lady bug, a snail and a dragon fly! She told me what they were before I asked, they had to be done in a specific order, biggest to smallest! After all her hard work she had a dip in her pool.

Reuben has been painting walls using a roller. He's been out on his bike. He can now independently undress himself. He has read stories and suggested how it might end by looking at the pictures.

Lottie has enjoyed another week of lockdown making the most of the gorgeous weather playing with her siblings. She has been learning her numbers and to help we made a hopscotch on the ground she has also been practising to hula hoop and has done very well and nearly mastered it. She has been having lots of fun but is missing you all xx

Some wonderful news to share with you is that Phoebe has become a BIG sister.

Harry Daniel James Starkie-Old was born on 20th April 2020 at 10:05am weighing in at 8lbs 3ozs Mum, Dad and Phoebe are all over the moon as you can imagine, as are the rest of the family. Congratulations to you all and sending lots of love.

