

Newsletter

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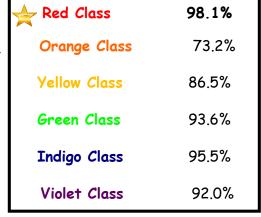
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Aftendance

Our overall attendance figure the last week was 89.89% as you will see from the table below— based on the Ofsted grade: this would be considered

'CAUSE FOR CONCERN' (There has certainly been lots of poorly children this week!)

Well done (again) to class <u>RED</u> class having the BEST attendance figure for last week with <u>98.1%</u>



| Ofsted Attendance Grades | | | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| 96.1% + High | 95.7 – 96.0% Above national average | 94.0 – 95.6% in line with national average | | |
| 93.9% or below Low | 90% or below Cause for Concern | 85% or below Persistent Absence | | |

Parent Survey Results

<u>Thank you</u> to everyone who took the time to complete the recent 'parent survey' and return it to school. We do appreciate hearing your views. Apologies for one of the questions—the final word "progress" was missing and it unfortunately slipped past the proof-reader too! Never mind, we'll make sure we ask you about that next time!

| 51 responses = 29% of the whole school | STRONGLY AGREE | AGREE | DISAGREE | STRONGLY DIS <i>AG</i> REE |
|--|----------------|-------|----------|-------------------------------|
| My child is happy at this school | 57% | 43% | | |
| My child feels safe at this school | 57% | 43% | | |
| My child makes good progress at this school | 45% | 53% | 2% | |
| My child is well looked after at this school | 65% | 35% | | |
| My child receives appropriate homework for their age | 45% | 45% | 10% | |
| This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved | 41% | 53% | 4% | 2% |
| The school deals effectively with bullying | 25% | 68% | 8% | |
| The school is well led and managed | 35% | 63% | 2% | |
| The school responds well to any concerns I raise | 39% | 61% | | |
| This school communicates information effectively | 27% | 61% | 6% | 6% |
| I would recommend this school to another parent | 39% | 59% | 2% | |

<u> Sainbury's Vouchers</u>

Just to let you know that we are currently collecting Sainsbury's "Active Kids vouchers".

The collection box is situated at the school office. The more we collect the more equipment and experiences

we will be able to get for our children.

Sainsbury's Thank you in antici

Thank you in anticipation of your support!

Miss Gibson & Mr Caldwell (Acting PE Leaders)

"Let's get collecting."











Riley Nicholas (Orange Class)

For his magical maths—finding fractions of, naming and drawing 2D shapes

Isaac Donnithorne (Yellow Class)

For his <u>5 page</u> re-telling of the "Babagaba" story

Leo Witherow



Finley Mace-Butler

Riley Gordon

Tate Lloyd



Layal Ashcroft

(Yellow Class)

For demonstrating great co-operation and teamwork on a model-building task.

The finished result was spectacular!



Kelsey Gould

Isobel Cooke

Tyler James



Jayden Phillips





Josh Lowry Richards

(Indigo Class)

For demonstrating 'absolute' focus on their learning and an excellent conscientious attitude.

Well done children :-)



Youth Speaks

This week three (very brave) junior children took part in The Rotary International "Youth Speaks" Competition at Penwith College. . A special WELL DONE to Cerys Arthur, Charlie Edwards and Nye Russell - all of whom can

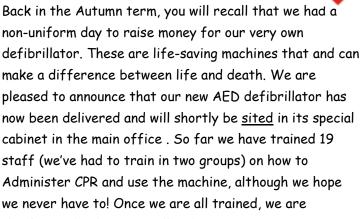
Charlie Edwards and Nye Russell - all of whom can happily captivate an audience!

A great effort considering the short time they had to put their RNLI talk together. It was good to

reacquaint our schools' involvement with this annual competition and this years' performance bodes well for next year...



pefibrillator Update



the first school in Cornwall to have absolutely every member of staff CPR/AED trained! So, 'Thank you' for your kind donations!



Diary Dates ...

w/c Monday 2nd February

Story Telling Week

Tuesday 10th February

Safer Internet day
Thursday 12th February

Girls Football Festival at Mounts Bay Academy

Friday 13th February

Home learning day / Parent Consultation day

[letter to follow]

Monday 16th to Friday 20th February (inclusive)

Half term

23rd—25th February

'Young Americans' theatre Workshop in association with Mounts Bay Academy