



Godolphin Primary School  
'living, learning and laughing together'

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that you have all had a chance to read the letter sent out this week from Public Health England.

As stated in the letter we would encourage people to wear face-masks, especially at busy times such as pick-up.

If you have any issues or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

Many thanks, Lucy.

#### **Parent Volunteers:**

We are looking forward to welcoming parents/carers back into school and on off-site trips. Our Trust now requires all parent volunteers to complete an application form and provide two references, as well as completing an enhanced DBS check.

If you would like to help out again with reading, driving or school trips, please contact Mrs Thomas who will provide you with the necessary forms.

Mrs Thomas will also be happy to answer any questions you may have.

#### **Toy Donations:**

The Godolphin Cross Youth Group are looking for donations of lego for youth club. Please contact Fi on Parsleyfi@yahoo.co.uk And the new mother and toddler group are looking for donations of ride on toys. Please contact Sam on Samanthamackintosh304@hotmail.com

#### **Coat reminder:**

Please can all children bring a waterproof coat to school every day.

#### **Music Lessons:**

Piano, woodwind and guitar lessons have started this term. If your child is signed up for lessons, please can they remember to bring in their instruments and/or music books.

If your child is interested in learning one of these or any instruments, they can sign up for lessons

at <https://www.cornwallmusicstrust.org/signup>

Details on fees can be found

at <https://www.cornwallmusicstrust.org/fee>

#### **Emerald Class Reminder:**

We are looking to re-vamp our mud kitchen area which is now looking a little 'tired'! If you have any unwanted and safe kitchen items such as saucepans, ladles etc they would be much appreciated by the children - thank you!

#### **Important Diary Dates:**

**Cross Country League 2 (KS1 & KS2):** at Helston Community College (4pm)

**Zircon Class Flambards 'Britain in the Blitz' exhibition trip:** Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> October

#### **2020/21 Inset Days:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021
- 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> July 2022

#### **Additional Day:**

- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021 (day in lieu due to Jubilee)

**Individual school photos:** Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October

**Half-Term:** 25<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> October

**Flu immunisations:** Weds 10<sup>th</sup> November (Reception – Y6)

**Y1 Hearing Screening:** Monday 15<sup>th</sup> November

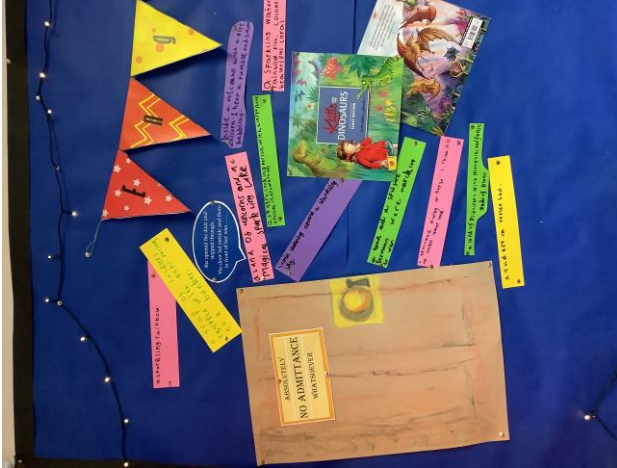
**Christmas Lunch:** Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December

## Diamond Class Update:

This week we have created a simple Prehistoric timeline and begun to discuss the importance of fossils in our understanding of prehistoric life.

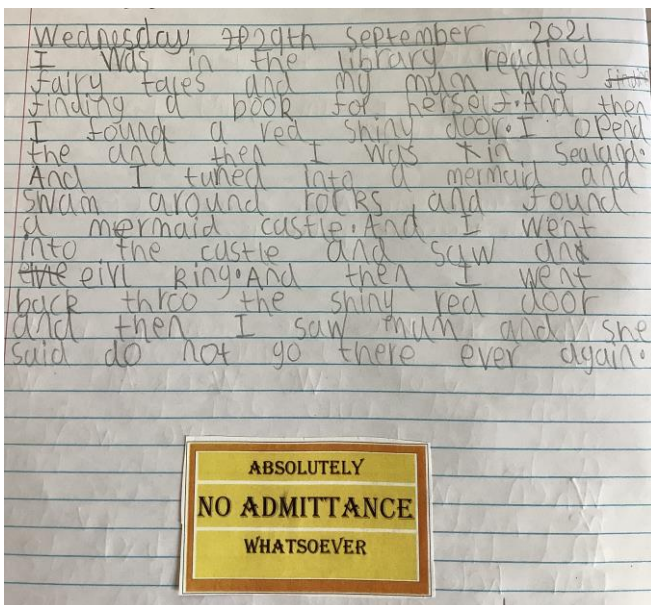
We have shared James Mayhew's wonderful picture book Katie and the Dinosaurs. Katie opened a door marked ABSOLUTELY NO ADMITTANCE WHATSOEVER and found herself back in the dinosaur era.

We have used this as inspiration for a piece of narrative writing.



Our doors opened to a host of exciting settings including Minecraft land, inside an arcade game, underwater, World War 2, a land of unicorns, a volcano and a sparkling waterfall.

Alice Y2 chose a library as her setting and stepped into a fairy tale land.



## Create Your Vision Workshop: Friday 15 October | 10am-2pm with lunch included Hayle Family Hub, 36 Bodriggy Street, Hayle TR27 4ND

### Is it time to create a new vision for yourself?

The last 18 months have given many of us time to reflect on changes we'd like to make in our lives. Perhaps you've been out of work and now is the time you'd like to step into something new? But maybe you're lacking in confidence and worry about the current skillset you have?

CN4C's 'Create your vision' workshop led by our experienced Change Coaches who will help you to identify the steps you need to take to bring about the bigger changes you want to make for yourself, your employment status and your family life.

It all starts with the smaller wins and being clear about what matters to you. Take the opportunity today to sign up to our fully-funded workshop where you will be supported to create your personal vision for 2022.

To book/enquire email, text or call :

Lulu : [iminns@cn4c.org.uk](mailto:iminns@cn4c.org.uk) / 07761097534

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Or telephone our main office : 01209 310610

This event is part of the Digital Boost Cornwall programme which is funded through the European Social Fund.

<https://www.cn4c.org.uk/news/digital-boost-cornwall-vision-workshop>

## Year 6: Transfer to Secondary School:

The deadline for applications for Year 6 children's transfer to secondary school is **31<sup>st</sup> October 2021**.

A leaflet was sent home last week, but further information and guidance can be found on the Cornwall Council website:

[www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions)

## Google Classrooms:

The new Google Classrooms have been set-up for this academic year. Please can we request that your children join their new classroom. If you have any issues please contact Mrs Thomas in the school office.