



Godolphin Primary School
'living, learning and laughing together'

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Uniform Update:

Children are expected to attend school in uniform (apart from on their PE days).

We do have a selection of second-hand uniform available (we ask for a contribution of 50p per item). Please speak with Mrs. Thomas.

If you are experiencing difficulties in providing uniform for your child(ren), please let us know.

Diary Updates:

Unfortunately, due to the ongoing Covid restrictions the Cornwall Schools Games (on 22nd June) has been cancelled.

Similarly, the Year 6 transition days at Helston Community College have also been cancelled. Instead schools will now be attending a two-hour session. Godolphin will be visiting on Wednesday 30th June. Transport will be provided. Further details have been sent to Y6 parent/carers today.

Covid reminder:

If anyone is showing Covid symptoms, the whole household must isolate until the symptomatic person has had a PCR test to confirm if it is covid or not. Therefore, if your child has to isolate, please contact the school to make us aware. We will then arrange remote learning until the pupil can return.

Dates for your diary:

Friday 25th June: Zircon geography trip (Portreath).

Thursday 1st July: Whole class photographs

Friday 16th July: Y6 Leavers' water sports day (Stithians Lake)

Monday 19th July: Global Boarders surf day (Zircons)

Tuesday 20th July (PM): Y6 Leavers' assembly

Inset Days: 22nd & 23rd July

General Reminder:

As the warm weather and sunshine (hopefully) return, please can we remind parents to ensure their children come to school with all-day sun cream applied, a filled water bottle and a sun-hat.

Many thanks.

Lost property:

A silver starfish pendent (no chain) was found in the playground. If it belongs to you, please speak to Mrs Thomas in the school office.

Parent Pay:



A polite reminder to all our parents that there are a number of outstanding payments for school lunches.

Could we ask that you sign into your account and check your balances, and make any necessary payments?

If you have any questions or queries, please get in touch.

Diamond Class Update:

We are enjoying our new topic Meadowsong. Last week we explored the world of soil, we learned a song The Deep Dark Earth, carried out an investigation to find the answer to "what is soil made from?", created scratch drawings and dance movements inspired by surrealist paintings and the fungi Mycelium.

This week we have been investigating the requirements of a plant for life and growth. We went on a Plant Safari around the school (an activity linked to our RSPB Bronze award), planned an enquiry to find out what plants need and learnt our second song about wildflowers. We began our non-chronological report about a wildflower of our choice, and in dance we created motifs inspired by plant names and the physical features of wildflowers.

Next week our focus will be the role of major parts of a plant.



We're also delighted that Jesse has earned his pen licence this week. Well done Jesse!

Emerald Class Highlights:

"I love to play tennis with our Coach, Sammy. We warm up and then play lots of different tennis games using rackets and balls. It's really lots of fun!" (Nellie Yr 2)

"Last week we planted lots of seeds. This week we have been watering our seeds. They have started to grow!" (Rollo Yr 1)

"We have been learning about Sir Ernest Shackleton. His team reached the South Pole in the same year that Neil Armstrong was born!" (Samuel Yr 1)

"We have been writing Ernest Shackleton's diary. His journey was very cold and tough." (Amelie Yr 1)

"Yesterday we went to the school field to do PE. We did lots of races and tried out some new equipment." (Lena Yr 1)

Zircon Portreath Visit:

A letter has been sent home to parents today about the Zircon geography trip to Portreath on Friday 25th June.

Please can parents complete and return the reply slip and parental consent form as soon as possible.

Many thanks.