



Newsletter

Friday, 12th March 2021

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Dear Parents/Carers

We reach the end of the first full week back of having all the children in school following lockdown and it has been BRILLIANT!

The place has been a hive of excitement, learning and re-connecting all week and the buzz has been lovely. The children have done an amazing job of settling back, although they have understandably appeared tired at the end of the day! The whole week has truly put a smile back on everyone's face!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for wearing a mask or face covering (unless medically exempt) onto site to collect your children. This risk reduction measure in terms of the transmission of Covid is so important to not just the safety of us all, but ensuring our children avoid any further restrictions on their learning.

We also recognise that there may be times where a conversation is needed with a member of staff. If you think that you will need more than a few minutes, please can we ask that you call the office or email the member of staff to arrange a meeting. We feel this is the safest way of managing this need as we also absolutely recognise that avenues of communication need to continue.

In summary, we are all just so pleased to have all of the children back in school. I have certainly enjoyed seeing them today and I will be at Lewannick every Friday for the next few weeks.

I hope the weekend weather forecast is inaccurate, but that you all have a brilliant one nonetheless.

Take Care

Mr Fugill

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

April 2021

Thursday, 1st April - Last day of Spring Term
Friday, 2nd - Friday 16th April - Easter Holiday
Monday, 19th April - Back to School

May/June 2021

Monday, 3rd May - May Day Bank Holiday (no school)
Friday, 28th May - Last day of half term
Monday, 31st May - Friday 4th June 2021 Summer Half Term Holiday
Monday, 7th June - Back to School

July 2021

Tuesday, 20th July - Last day of Summer Term
Wednesday, 21st - Friday 23rd - Inset Days (School Closed to Pupils)

A Message from the Government for all parents of school aged children.....

Undertaking regular, rapid coronavirus (COVID-19) testing helps reduce transmission of the virus. Parents and other adults in households with children at school or college, who do not have symptoms, can now access regular, rapid coronavirus (COVID-19) testing. This includes childcare and support bubbles.

Tests are fast, easy and completely free. There are [different ways](#) for a household, childcare or support bubble to collect their test to take at home, twice-weekly:

- through your employer, if they offer testing to employees
- by collecting a home test kit from a local test site – anyone aged 18 or over can collect 2 packs of 7 tests
- by ordering a home test kit online – please do not order online if you can access testing through other routes, this frees up home delivery for those who need it most

If you have any queries about the tests, and you live in England, please call 119 (free from mobiles and landlines). Lines are open every day from 7am to 11pm.

Children of primary school age (and below) without symptoms are not being asked to take a test.

Testing is voluntary, but strongly recommended to all who are eligible. Alongside the vaccine, washing hands, wearing face coverings, and maintaining social distancing, rapid testing plays a vital role in reducing transmission rates. Getting into the habit of regular testing as part of our everyday lives will help us all to play our part and do what we can to protect each other.

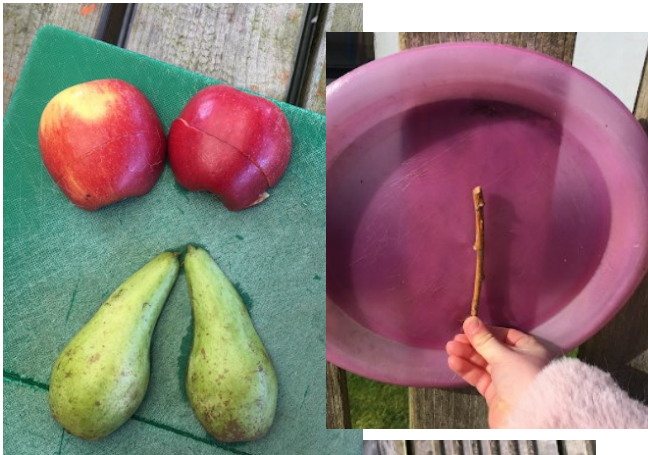
Otter Class update.....

Otter Class have been learning all about the pros and cons of technology and have thought hard about life with it! We have also been learning how to create a printing block using cardboard, glue and string. Watch this space for the final outcome and pictures. We have enjoyed reading the first few chapters of 'The Ickabog' and used it to help us with writing a character description. We have all really loved having our friends together in school and had fun playing cricket and football during our fresh air breaks and lunchtime.

Owl Class Update.....

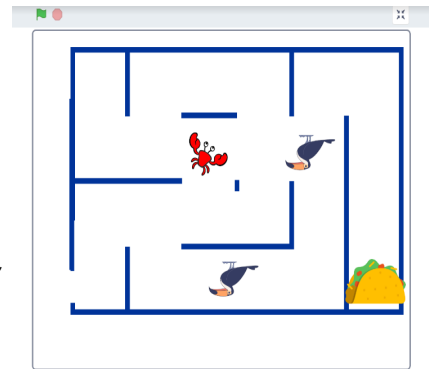
Owl Class have had a fun first week back. In maths, we have started looking at fractions. We enjoyed cutting objects in half.

In literacy we have started our new book called 'Alba The Hundred Year Old Fish'. We enjoyed acting out the story, especially the getting stuck in a plastic bottle part, and have had a lot of discussion around the problem of plastic pollution in our oceans.

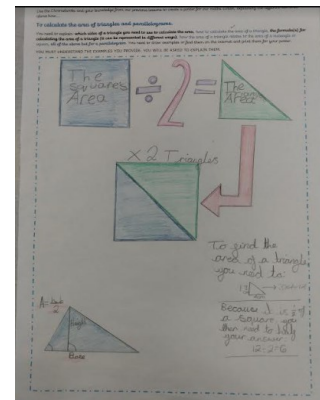
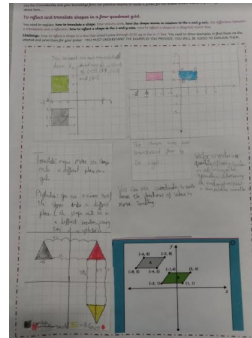
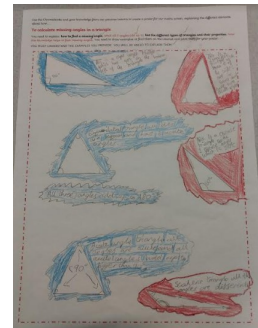
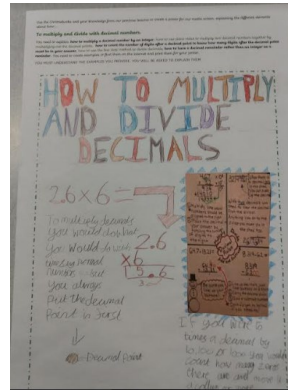


Kestrel Class Update.....

In computing this week we created a 'cat and mouse' game on a coding website called Scratch. As you can see, some of the children changed the animals. In this case, Sam changed the cat and mouse to a crab and toucan!



Year 6 have demonstrated their maths knowledge gained during lockdown by creating these fabulous posters for our maths working wall (these are 4 of 8).



Fox Class Update.....

Fox Class have planted cress seeds this week! We are keeping a diary to observe how it grows and when it is ready we will be making our own sandwiches to taste it!



Lewannick Primary School

Breakfast Club

When: Starting w/c
8th March

Time: 8am
Monday - Friday

To book email:
breakfastclub@lewannick.net
(booking essential)



Cost: £1.50 per child/
session inc breakfast

Breakfast Club Booking details:

- Please email breakfastclub@lewannick.net to book a place/check availability for your child.
- Places will be on a first come first serve basis and we are currently limited to 12 spaces (3 per class bubble) per day.
- Once you have received an email confirmation to confirm your booking, please make payment via you child's School Gateway account immediately. No payment, no breakfast club place.
- Bookings need to be received by Friday at 12noon the week before e,g for w/c 8th March bookings to be received by 12 noon on Friday 5th March. If you require breakfast club last minute, do still email us up until 12 noon the day before and we will try to help!