

Trewirgie Infants' & Nursery School

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Newsletter – Friday 15th December 2023



We care, we help, we succeed. Ni a with, Ni a weres, Ni a sewen.

Dear Parents and Carers.

We have reached the end of the autumn term and are all preparing to enjoy a well-deserved Christmas break with our families.

This has been a term of achievements. Our new children in Nursery and Reception have all transitioned into school successfully and settled happily into the day to day routines. The Reception classes have achieved amazing results at the start of their reading journey. The year 1 pupils have amazed us with their maturity and resilience and have started KS1 engaged in their learning. Our year 2 children have embraced the challenge of being the oldest children in our school and are making great progress.

We have lived up to our motto: We care, we help, we succeed.

Success for our school is only possible because of the team that supports it.

I would therefore like to thank all our staff who demonstrate a commitment to our children every day. They know each and every child individually and make sure that their teaching and provision is of the highest quality. I would also like to thank our governing body who have supported the school throughout this challenging term.

This term we have seen our PTA team going from strength to strength supporting our school in a monumental fund-raising effort at the recent Christmas Fayre.

Finally, I would like to thank you all – our Trewirgie Infant parents and families. Thank you for being amazing and for supporting our school this term.

We wish you all a very Happy Christmas and a peaceful start to 2024.

Kind regards

Catherine Callow

Happy Christmas!



The Nursery enjoyed a fantastic fun filled Christmas party this week with lots of dancing and games.

We are very proud of the children and their skills in creating their own individual and unique Christmas cards. The children also performed amazingly in their Christmas show. Demonstrating their super singing and signing skills. Well done Nursery!



This week in Geevor, we have been using our fine motor skills to decorate gingerbread men before eating them - they were delicious!



The reception children have impressed us with their fantastic nativity performances this week. They all showed how confident and independent they are becoming. Their singing gave us all some much needed Christmas spirit and left us with a warm glow. Well done to all the children and a huge thank you to the reception families for their support with costumes and being such a great audience.



This week the children IN Year 1 have been making moving pictures as part of their Design Technology learning. They thought carefully about which way they needed their slider to go and where to cut the slots.



Cornish Word of the Week

As part of the Go Cornish Scheme, we are teaching everyone some Cornish words and phrases. Each week we will add a new word or phrase to the newsletter which you may like to use at home.

This week's words are: Christmas tree - [Gwedhen Nadelik](#)



Makaton sign of the week



Christmas
tree

The Parent Pantry

This wonderful opportunity and bespoke pantry is being built specifically for us and we are proud to have this open. This is in response to the parent cost of living survey.

The idea behind the pantry is that all families are able to both donate to and take from. It will be open daily at drop off and pick up times and will be set up on the benches outside the office until the pantry structure is ready.

We are also looking into the possibility of providing a donated clothes outlet, for both adults and children, once a month - again in response to the questionnaire.

Keep your ideas coming and we'll keep working to help our school community.



Thank you

*Your kind donations at the Nativity plays
and the fabulous Christmas fayre raised a
fantastic
£1798.34
which will all go towards enhancing the
children's learning in 2024!*

*Your support is so appreciated, and if
you'd like to join or find out more about the
PTA drop us an email at:
PTA@trewirgieinf.tpacademytrust.org*

*From the Trewirgie infant's
PTA*

Thank you to the Co-op Funeral care – Redruth branch, for giving our KS1 children a selection of items, as thanks for them providing some amazing pictures for their window display.

Attendance

The class with the best attendance this week goes to

Class 4

Well done!

Learners & Superstars!

	Learner	Superstar
Class 1 – King Edward	Archie E. You have worked incredibly hard to remember all of your sounds and you can now recall each one quickly and confidently.	The whole of class one for their fantastic effort during the school nativity. You all shone this week and we are very proud of your incredible confidence.
Class 2 – Wheal Uny	Ollie has tried so hard to practise his sounds and write his name every day. Well done Ollie for showing great determination.	All the children in class 2 for their fantastic performances in our nativity this week and for the brilliant first term they have all had at school. We are very proud of them all.
Class 3 – Robinson	Robyn for her fantastic noisy creature she drew in drawing club this week. You have a fantastic imagination, and it is great to see it shining through your drawings.	All of Robinson Class have been Super Stars in our Nativity performances this week. They have sung beautiful, projected their lines and remembered all of their fantastic actions. Well Done Robinson Class we are very proud of you!
Class 4 – Wheal Basset	Paddy has blown us away with his fantastic reading this week. He has shown pride in his learning and has loved reading to others.	Tommy has been a kind and caring friend this week and has worked hard on his super sitting on the carpet. Well done!
Class 5 – Grenville	Amalia has done a great job of being very creative and using her art skills to make a super card and calendar.	Jaxon for working hard to show super magnet eyes and listening ears on the carpet.
Class 6 – Pednandrea	Layla for working hard with counters to make the numbers to 20.	Freya for always being friendly to others and helping her friends.
Class 7 – Carn Brea	Hugo for his magic maths subtraction work	Rufus and Elijah for all their effort and hard work this term.
Class 8 – Dolcoath	Emir has progressed so much this term in all subjects.	Maggie, even though she was off poorly she came back with a bang today and wrote a lovely story. Well done.
Class 9 – South Crofty	Harry for his incredible determination to succeed in maths and blowing Mrs Topliss socks off with his amazing subtraction.	Lily-Mae for being Mrs Clarke's Christmas star and excelling in her writing and maths this week.
Class 10 Geevor	Jacob V for his fabulous performance in the EYFS nativity this week!	

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 19th December – Polar Express Day – Christmas Treat
Children & Staff are invited to wear their Pyjamas on this day.

Tuesday 19th December – Last day of term. School finishes at the normal time.

Friday 5th January – Children return to school for the spring term.