

Trewirgie Infants' & Nursery School

Part of Truro and Penwith Academy Trust

Newsletter



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

15th September 2023

Dear Trewirgie Infants' parents and carers,

I hope this message finds you well. I wanted to take a moment to emphasise the crucial importance of ensuring that your children arrive on time each day.

Punctuality plays a significant role in your child's educational journey, and here are some key reasons why:

Academic success - being on time for school allows your child to start the day with a clear mind and ready to learn. Late arrivals can result in missed instructions, which may hinder their academic progress.

Establishing good habits: Punctuality is a life skill that extends beyond the classroom. Teaching your child to be punctual now sets the foundation for responsible time management in the future.

Respect for others: Being on time shows respect for teachers, classmates and the school community. It fosters a sense of responsibility and consideration for others.

Reduced Stress: Rushing to school can cause unnecessary stress for your child and disrupt their emotional well-being. A calm, timely arrival sets a positive tone for the day.

Safety: Arriving on time ensures that your child is present for important safety procedures and announcements. Latecomers may miss critical information.

Attendance on Records: Consistent lateness can lead to a negative impact on your child's attendance record, which can have consequences in the long run.

Social integration - arriving on time allows your child to participate in morning activities and social interaction, helping them build friendships and a sense of belonging

We kindly request your support in ensuring that your child arrives at school promptly, we can help our children thrive academically, emotionally and socially.

If you ever encounter challenges related to punctuality, please don't hesitate to reach out to us. We are here to provide help and support to ensure the best possible educational experience for your child.

Thank you for your cooperation and commitment to your child's education.

Kind regards
Catherine Callow
Headteacher

This week in the nursery we have been welcoming our new children. The older children have been doing a super job of showing them the routines and helping them to settle in. The children have been observing our sunflower that has bloomed in the garden and enjoying all our outdoor activities.



Reception have finished their first full week at school together and what a busy one it has been. They have been getting to know each other more and forming new friendships. They have also started a small Read Write Inc and maths input every day. They have been happily showing us what they know and what they can do. We continue to be impressed with how well they have settled into our routines and developing great listening skills.



This week in year 1, the children have started learning the story Chicken Licken. One of their challenges was to make a model chicken. In maths, they have been learning about 3D shapes. In Geography they have had to think about how things look from an aerial view.



Attendance

The class with the best attendance this week goes to
Classes 3 and 8 with 100% attendance.

Well done!

Learners & Superstars!

	Learner	Superstar
Class 1 – King Edward	Ellie for being so passionate about all the learning we have started doing in class. It has been lovely hearing all of your fantastic ideas.	Our star of the week is Stanley. You have been so kind and polite to everybody in class as well as trying hard to make new friends and follow different instructions.
Class 2 – Wheal Uny	Charlie for impressing us with his subitising and addition skills during our maths inputs this week. Keep it up Charlie!	Charlie C for settling into being at school with such a brilliantly positive attitude. Well done Charlie!
Class 3 – Robinson	Daisy-Rose for her fantastic picture card recognition in Read Write Inc, you were too quick for us Daisy-Rose!	Brooklyn for kindly inviting others to join in with his football game. You have been a kind friend to everyone this week and we are very proud to have you in our class.
Class 4 – Wheal Basset	Frankie Bu has been a super star in English this week, taking care to form letters correctly. Well done	Lawson has been a fantastic role model in our class this week, being a kind and caring friend. Well done!
Class 5 – Grenville	Kyce for being super resilient with his writing and working hard even when it is tricky!	Alfie For being ready to learn and doing super sitting and listening.
Class 6 – Pednandrea	Isaac for super effort in his signpost map in Geography.	Heather for trying hard with everything she does. She's gained so much confidence this week. Welcome to Trewirgie.
Class 7 – Carn Brea	Freddie for his fabulous place value work in maths	Kai fro be an all-round superstar in Carn Brea.
Class 8 – Dolcoath	Kenza has produced some incredible work, especially in English this week. Well done, Kenza!	Reuben is always ready to learn and sets the best example in class! Well done Reuben
Class 9 – South Crofty	Zach for listening to others, trying his best and completing his work - we are so proud of you Zach, keep it up!	Harmony for good sitting on the carpet, listening to adults and following instructions. She has been involved in lessons and is completing her work to the best of her ability.
Class 10 Geevor	Star of the week is Harry for joining in with lots of play this week and being a ray of sunshine in class this week	

DAILY BREAD!

We are appealing to any parents who may work in bakeries or supermarkets to support our school in its ambition to provide all children with some additional breakfast in the morning.

Eating breakfast provides energy for the brain and improves learning and we are aiming to be able to offer bread with plant-based butter in every class for those children who would like it as they come into school at the start of the day.

We are asking for regular donations of bread and plant-based butter.

Please see Mrs Parrott in the office if you are able to help!

Dates for your Diary

Trewirgie Infants' & Nursery School
Trewirgie Road, Redruth, Cornwall TR15 2SZ
Tel: 01209 216111
www.trewirgie-inf.cornwall.sch.uk
trewirgieinf@tpacademytrust.org

Term and Holiday Dates 2023/24
(Including Training days)

September 2023	October 2023	November 2023
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Friday 29th September – Whole school individual children's photos taken by Tempest photographers.

Tuesday 3rd October – 2.45pm – Year 2 parents reading, writing and maths information session.

Thursday 5th October – 2.45pm – Year 1 parents reading writing and maths information session.

Wednesday 11th October – Year 1 trip to Crenver Woods – lunch booking and payments are through the App.

Monday 23rd October – Friday 27th October – Half Term – School Closed.

Monday 30th October – Inset Day – School Closed.

Tuesday 31st October – Children return to school.

Arriving on site

If your child is attending Breakfast Club, we ask that you accompany your child to the Extended Provision door and hand them over to the staff on duty. This is to ensure your child's safety while walking through the staff car park. Please do not arrive on site until just before 7.45am

If you are not using the Breakfast Club facilities, we ask that you do not arrive on site until 8.30am. This is the cut off time for staff arriving in the car park. This will ensure all children can enter the site safely.

Bikes and scooters should be walked to the bike and scooter pods, and not ridden on site.

Thank you for your understanding in keeping our children safe.

Donation drop off

A local neighbour has had a couple of black bags of donations dropped in front of their property. This may have been a mistake, but they would appreciate this not happening in future as this is not a donation drop off point. Any school donations are always greatly received at the office. Thank you

Nursery parents



Together for Families

Starting school

September 2024

Applying for a place in a reception class for children born between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020



The deadline for applications is **15 January 2024**

Attending a nursery or pre-school

You will need to apply even if your child attends a school's nursery or pre-school class. Please note that if a school is oversubscribed the fact that a child attends a school's nursery or pre-school, or a local nursery or pre-school, does not automatically guarantee a place at that school. The school's oversubscription criteria will be used to allocate places. Visit our website or contact us for more information.

Information and guidance

Website and application form: www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions
Email: schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk
Post: School Admissions Team, County Hall, Truro, TR1 3AY
Telephone: 0300 1234 101

www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions



Applying for a reception class place for September 2024

Special Educational Needs

If an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Plan has been issued for your child you do not need to complete an application form. Please contact the Statutory SEN Service for more information: Tel: 01872 324242 Email: statutorysen@cornwall.gov.uk

1 Decide on your preferred schools

You are strongly advised to name **three** preferences on the application form. **Naming a second or third preference does not give you any less chance of getting a place at your preferred school.** When making your decision you should...

...think about **how you will get your child to school.** Go to www.cornwall.gov.uk/schooltransport for more information on whether your child would be entitled to home to school travel assistance.

...look at the **admission arrangements** on our website that will be used to allocate places for each school.

...consider naming your **nearest or designated school** as one of your preferences. You can find your nearest or designated school on our website.

...look at the detailed **admissions information** on our website, also available on request.

2 Submit your application by 15 January 2024

Apply online at www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

3 Wait to find out which school you have been allocated

If you applied on time you will be notified of your allocation on **National Offer Day: 16 April 2024.** **Apply on time!** Late applications will only be dealt with after National Offer Day and there may not be any places left at your preferred schools.

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Year 2 parents



Together for Families

Transfer to junior school

September 2024

Applying for a place to transfer from an infant school to year three at a junior school



The deadline for applications is **15 January 2024**

You will need to apply for a school place even if your child currently attends the linked infant school.

Information and guidance

Website and application form: www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions
Email: schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk
Post: School Admissions Team, County Hall, Truro, TR1 3AY
Telephone: 0300 1234 101

www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions



Applying for a junior school place for September 2024

Special Educational Needs

If an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Plan has been issued for your child you do not need to complete an application form. Please contact the Statutory SEN Service for more information:

Tel: 01872 324242 Email: statutorysen@cornwall.gov.uk

1 Prepare to apply

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Sleep Education

INVITATION

for children with Neurodiversity from Sleep Wise by Hunrosa

Sleep is essential for our children to grow, learn, promote immunity and good mental health. Children with neurodiversity are likely to find sleep more difficult. Hunrosa have experience and expertise in supporting families so come to our friendly sleep session to learn about ways you can help your child to sleep better.



Workshops 10am–11.30am

27th June 2023

Bodmin Family Hub, 83 Fore Street,
Bodmin, Cornwall PL31 2JB

29th June 2023

Saltash Family Hub, Plougastel Drive,
Saltash Cornwall PL12 6DX

5th July 2023

Hayle Family Hub 36 Bodriggy Street, Hayle TR13 8JF

8th September 2023

Redruth Family Hub, Drump Road, Redruth TR15 1LU

14th September 2023

Evening Workshop Online – 6pm

3rd October 2023

Launceston Family Hub, Coronation Park,
Launceston Cornwall PL15 9DQ

6th October 2023

Liskeard Family Hub, Varley Lane,
Liskeard Cornwall PL14 4AP

17th October 2023

Daytime Workshop Online – 10am

29th January 2024

Helston Family Hub Bulwark Road, Helston TR13 8JF

18th January 2024

Newquay Family Hub, Trenance Road,
Newquay TR7 2LU.



Parents – What's on offer:

• Parent Sleep Wise Education Video

A short Sleep Wise presentation by Sleep Consultant Jan Jenner to help parents with sleep strategies for young people and families. Contact your healthcare provider for a bespoke link for a family.

• Parent in person Workshops

To book contact your healthcare provider.

• One-to-One Support

Online or in person – To book contact your healthcare provider.

• The Sleep Wise App

Developed for parents, carers, schools and healthcare professionals, intended to help children and young people of school age across all abilities. It is unique as it concentrates upon young people and how to help them effectively achieve a restful night's sleep and resolve their sleep problem.

Visit www.hunrosa.co.uk/sleep-wise-app/ for more information.

Contact your healthcare provider for a complimentary code to access the App.



Scan to learn more

How to Book

Health Care Providers Only:

Email referral form to hunrosa.support@nhs.net.

Parents please contact your Healthcare Provider should you wish to have them refer you for any of these Sleep Services.

Contact Details: hunrosa.support@nhs.net
or 01579 519990