



Welcome to Year 2

Carn Brea , South Crofty & Dolcoath

Miss Maun, Mr Hill , Mr Hughes



We hope that this leaflet will give you some information about your child's new class as they continue their journey from Year 1 to Year 2.

Drop off & Pick Up

Children need to be dropped off at the main gate at 8.40, ready for school lessons to start at 8:45am start.

All Y2 children should enter using the door near the top of the slope.

All classes will be

UNIFORM

Please label all items of clothing with your child's name. Second-hand uniforms can be purchased from the office.

BOOK BAGS

Children need their book bag, reading books and diaries, and water bottle to school EVERY DAY.

PE KITS

Please ensure that your child has the correct PE kit in school every day: Yellow T-shirt, blue shorts and trainers or plimsolls. In winter, children can wear black jogging bottoms/leggings as part of their PE kit.

Readiness to Learn

You can help your child to be learning ready by:

- Ensuring they are in school on time and ready to start learning.
- Promoting a healthy balanced diet with regular exercise and plenty of sleep.
- Encouraging your children to talk about their day at school and share what they have learnt.
- Supporting school events such as parents' evenings. This lets you know what is going on in school and lets your child share their success with you.
- Encouraging your children to follow the school rules and values;

WE CARE, WE HELP, WE SUCCEED

Communication

We know there will be times when you need to speak to the child's teacher.

In the mornings, if there is something that the teacher needs to know urgently please either send a message via the person on the door or an email to secretary@trewirgie-inf.cornwall.sch.uk. If you need to have a longer conversation, please phone or email the office to make an appointment.

Topics & Teaching

These are the topic themes that we plan to cover during the year. At the beginning of each new term, we will send home a topic map that outlines the learning for that term so you can talk about it with your child. We will send post each week on dojo to update you on what your child is learning each week and how you can support them.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<u>The Enchanted Woodland</u>	<u>Around the World</u>	<u>Magic & Colour</u>	<u>Kernow</u>	<u>If I had Wings</u>	<u>Ocean Adventurers</u>
Who eats who in the woodland food chain?	How do people celebrate around the world?	What would you paint with a magic brush?	How did the Industrial Revolution benefit Redruth?	Where would you fly? What is it like in Africa?	Who were the first Ocean explorers? What did they discover?

independence to become confident, resilient and self-motivated learners.



Staff Teams

Year 2 Lead:

Miss Maun

Class 7 – Carn Brea

Miss Maun and Miss Pelassa

(Miss Wilson on Mondays)

Class 8 – Dolcoath

Mr Hughes & Mrs Lach

Class 9 – South Crofty

Mr Hill & Mrs Joyce



Homework

We expect all children to practice the reading skills that they learnt in school at home. Please support your child to **read at home daily**, sign their reading records and return to school daily. Reading at home is monitored and checked each week with a raffle ticket for every read!

Each Monday the children will be given a **spelling** list of words to learn and practice, which they will be tested on the following Monday.

Your child will also bring home weekly math fluency activities which will support what we are learning in class. Please practice **counting in 2s, 5s and 10s** at home with your child.

We would also love the children to practice their mental maths skills on numbots and later in the year TT Rockstars for timestables.



Phonics Screening Check

For any children that did not reach the expected standard in the Phonics Screening Check in Year 1, we will provide intervention support and they will be retested in the Summer term of Year 2. Daily reading at home will support your children

