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PERRAN-AR-WORTHAL
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VERY MOMENT MATTERS!

*‘Sometimes, the smallest things take up
the most room in your heart.’*

A.A. Milne: Winnie the Pooh



Welcome to the world Millie who arrived on 29th September. We send our huge congratulations to Mr and Mrs Benner and to Millie’s very proud big brother. We look forward to Millie’s first visit to school to say hello in a few weeks time.



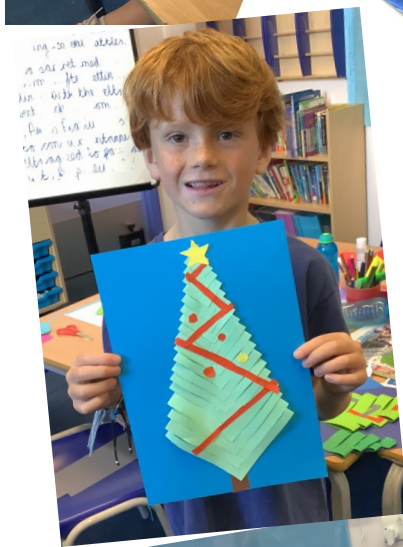
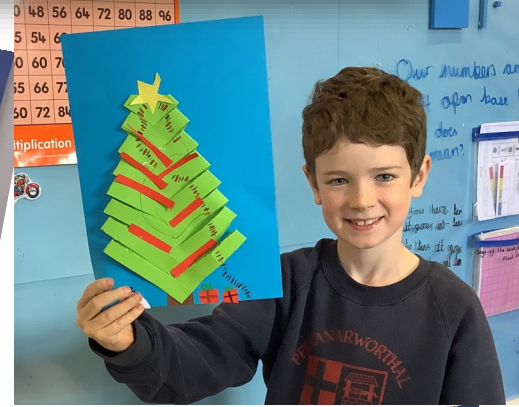
WE LOVE OUR FAB FRIDAYS! The children have been back in the Forest School area, cooking outdoors and indoors, sewing and creating works of art—the list of fabulous activities goes on!



TOO EARLY FOR CHRISTMAS, OR IS IT? The children have been busy creating Christmas card designs. Below are just a few examples from our Starlings and Skylarks.

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**PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGES
AND ADDITIONS TO DATES
AND EVENTS ARE IN RED
FONT!**

AUTUMN TERM

Black History Month: October

Dyslexia Awareness Week: WB 3rd October

Individual Photos: Wednesday 5th October

Harvest Festival: Wednesday 19th October. 1:30-2:00pm KS1. 2:15-2:45pm KS2.

School Film Night: Thursday, 20th October 6.30pm

INSET DAY: Friday 21st October **SCHOOL CLOSED**

HALF TERM: WB 24th October

Halloween Disco: 3rd November (times to be agreed closer to the date)

Progress Meetings: WB 7th November

Remembrance Day: Friday 11th November

Anti-bullying Week: WB 14th November

Children in Need: Friday 18th November

KS2 Lantern Making: WB 21st November

Non-Uniform Day for Christmas Raffle Prize Donations: 24th November

Tree Decorating: Thursday 1st December. 1:30-2:00pm KS1. 2:15-2:45pm KS2.

Christmas Market: Friday 2nd December TBC

Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day: Wednesday 7th December

Bags for Schools Collection: Wednesday 7th December

KS1 Nativity: Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th December

KS2 Christmas Play: Wednesday 14th and Thursday 15th December

Last Day of Term (Christmas Party): Friday 16th December

SPRING TERM

First day of Term: Tuesday 3rd January

School Eden Trip: Friday 6th January TBC

Children's Mental Health Week: WB 6th February

Women and Girls in Science: Friday 10th February

Family Quiz Night: Thursday, 19th January

Diary dates continued....

HALF TERM: WB 13th February

Progress Meetings: WB 27th February

World Book Day: Thursday 2nd March

St Piran's Celebration: Friday 3rd March

Science Week: WB 6th March

Code Breaker Challenge: Thursday, 9th March (TBC)

Cornwall Music Festival: WB 13th March

Autism Awareness Week: WB 27th March

Last Day of Term: 31st March

SUMMER TERM

First Day of Term: Monday 17th April

Non-school Uniform Day: Thursday 20th April

Choccy Bingo: Friday 21st April TBC

KS2 SATs Week: WB 8th May

KS1 SATs Week: WB 15th May

INSET: Friday 26th May SCHOOL CLOSED

HALF TERM: WB 29th May

World Environment Day: Monday 5th June

Learning Together: Tuesday 20th June, Tuesday 27th June, Tuesday 4th July, Tuesday 11th July

Year 4 Surf and Sleep: Thursday 15th June (Global Boarders / Camp in tents on school field/TBC)

Year 5&6 Camp: WB 19th June (TBC)

Year 3 Seal and Sleep: Thursday 29th June (Seal Sanctuary / Sleep in school hall/TBC)

Sports Day: WB 3rd July

KS2 Production: WB 17th July

Leavers Assembly: Friday 21st July

Last Day of Term: Friday 21st July

Please note that we aim to stick to these dates but at times there may be a need to adjust dates of events. We will endeavour to inform you as soon as possible of any changes or additions to the above.

THIS WEEK WE RECEIVED A LOVELY EMAIL FROM JIGSAW.

Hello Perran-ar-Worthal School

I've just read your wonderful OFSTED report - well done to you and your school community.

It is lovely to see one of our Flagship schools thriving and it was wonderful to read; "Leaders promote pupils' personal development well. On 'Fabulous Fridays', pupils have the chance to learn new skills and be challenged by new experiences, such as cooking and learning Mandarin. Staff encourage pupils to consider their well-being and learn how to look after themselves, physically and emotionally. Staff value the strong relationships they have with the pupils, their families and each other. Parents and carers are overwhelmingly positive about the school. As one parent said, 'this is the kind of school you dream of your children attending where they are valued and cared for by the staff as if they were their own.'"

"Pupils' personal development lies at the heart of the school's work. Leaders and staff are passionate about helping pupils become confident, resilient young people. Pupils have many opportunities to learn beyond the classroom. Staff encourage pupils to eat healthily, keep fit and look after their mental health. Pupils know that staff value their views. Staff promote equality of opportunity and diversity effectively.."

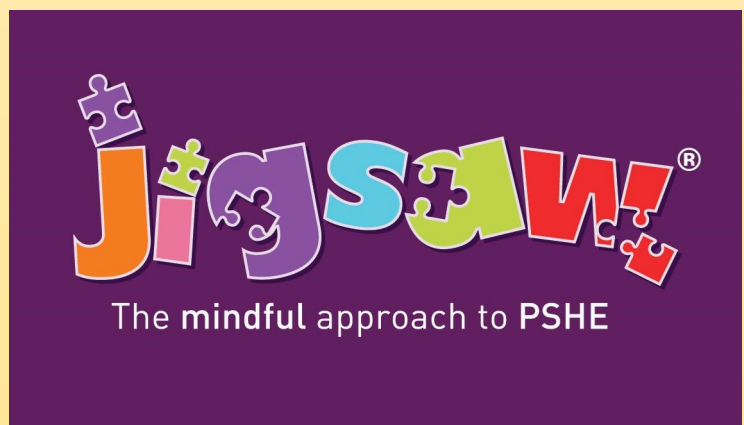
It would be great to be able to share your school's loveliness far and wide. Can we have your permission to quote your report in some of our materials please?

Also, it would be lovely to feature a case study of Perran-ar-Worthal as a successful Jigsaw school.

Let me know your thoughts.

Kind regards

Simon White





TEAM POINT CERTIFICATE WINNERS 29th September 2022

BRONZE CERTIFICATE – 50 TEAM POINTS

Year 5: Lily-Rose and Eliza

FUTURE CAREERS IN THE MAKING?

On Thursday, Swifts had a visit from Laura Snapes who is the Music Editor for the Guardian. She came to talk about what inspired her to become a music journalist, how she approaches her writing as well as telling us about some of the famous people she has interviewed. She led a workshop where she walked Swifts through her process for writing and they had a go at reviewing a song together.



DOG POOP ALERT!

As you are aware, we regularly take the children down to the park for sporting activities, however, we are noticing an increase in dog poop along the lane that leads down to the park. We are aware that this is only caused by a minority of dog owners who do not pick up after their dog. So please could we ask you to get this message out to the whole of our dog owner community. Thank you for your support with this.



General Kitchen Assistant Vacancies

We are looking for two General Kitchen Assistants to work 16 hours a week during the lunchtime period, approx. 3 hours a day 11-2.

1st - Monday to Friday - Term time only based in one of our Truro schools. (38 working weeks)

2nd - Monday to Friday - Term time only, as a Mobile Catering Assistant. Must be able to drive and have your own car. Traveling costs will be paid. (39 working weeks)

Duties

General kitchen duties as directed by the Catering Manager (making baguettes and sandwiches and light prep), washing up, serving the students their lunchtime meal, clearing tables and chairs etc.

You will work 38/39 weeks a year and also receive 4.8 weeks holiday pay.

The money is then spread over 12 months so that you will receive a salary every month.

This type of position would suit a person who has children at school as it is term time only or a person looking for a job that has a lot of holidays.

Enhanced DBS needs to be completed for this role (paid for by us)

If you would like to join our team

Please Email: Katie.cooper@mitie.com

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Mondays and Tuesdays at The Perranwell Centre

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