



SUPPORT FOR LIFE THROUGH
COMPASSION, PERSEVERANCE & RESPECT

Diary Dates

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| Friday 22 September 2.00 pm | Harvest Festival in Church (all parents) |
| Friday 29 September | Parent Governor nomination closing date |
| Thursday 19 October 8.45 am | Orca Class Worship (Orca parents) |
| Tuesday 24 October | Seal Class Hancock/Mosque Trip |
| Tuesday 24 October 12.30 pm | Orca Class Parent Lunch (Orca parents) |
| Friday 27 October 3.10 pm | School finishes for half term |
| Thursday 3 November | Parent Consultation bookings close |
| Monday 6 November 8.40 am | School restarts |
| Friday 10 November 9.30 am | Worship by the Waves - Remembrance |
| Mon 13, Tues 14 November | Parent Consultations |
| Friday 17 November | School Photos (no beach school) |
| Tuesday 21 November 12.30 pm | Seal Class Parent Lunch (Seal Parents) |
| Thursday 30 November | Flu Immunisations |
| Friday 1 December 2.00 pm | Advent Service in Church (all parents) |
| Tuesday 5 December 3.00 pm | Books2Africa Bring and Buy Sale |
| Friday 8 December | Nativity Costumes in school |
| Monday 11 December 1.30 pm | School Nativity Play (all parents) |
| Thursday 14 December | Christmas Lunch and Jumper Day |
| Monday 18 December | Orca and Seal Christmas Party |
| Wednesday 20 December | Puffin and Starfish Christmas Party |
| Friday 22 December 2.00 pm | Carol Service in Church (all parents) |
| Friday 22 December 3.10 pm | School closes for Christmas |

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Homework Expectations

At our school we use homework mainly as an opportunity to practise the skills of reading, writing and maths. We also give out linked learning homework which is an opportunity for you to share learning with your child some of the subjects that are exploring in school.

Orca and Seal Classes

Reading

- at least 4 times a week. All reading must be recorded on Boom-Read. Children who have at least 4 reading sessions recorded will get Dojo points and an extra playtime on a Thursday afternoon.

Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling

- complete any pieces of SpellingShed work that have been set. SpellingShed competitions and certificates are awarded on a Monday.

Maths

- complete any pieces of MathsShed work that have been set.
- TTRS practice 4 x 5 minute sessions per week. Certificates are awarded on a Monday for the highest amount of minutes played the previous week.
- Learn Its practice (until on Ultimate)

Linked Learning

- one piece of extended linked learning from a menu to be handed in half-termly. This should reflect approximately 3 hours of work over the half term, and should be completed to a high standard.

Puffin and Starfish Class

Reading

- at least 4 times a week. All reading must be recorded on Boom-Read. In Puffin class, children who have at least 4 reading sessions recorded will get Dojo points and an extra playtime on a Thursday afternoon.
- Reading Eggs at least 4 x 5 minutes per week. Certificates are awarded on a Monday.
- Read Write Inc sheets (where given out) 4 x a week.

Maths

- Numbots at least 4 x 5 minute sessions per week. Certificates are awarded on a Monday for the highest amount of minutes played the previous week.
- Learn Its practice

Linked Learning

- linked learning activity (Puffin - weekly; Starfish - as advised on Tapestry)

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