





Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s),

It has been another busy week at Tregony School. The English Hub visited to see our progress with Read Write INc and were thoroughly impressed with the teaching and learning. I had an opportunity to see some amazing writing for some of our Year 2 and Year 6 pupils. The standard was most impressive!

This week, Little Carne Nursery has enjoyed a busy week of activities. We have started learning about Chinese New Year by having a Chinese feast. We have continued our investigation about Winter by observing the snow and completing snowflake activities. The children celebrated Winnie the Pooh day on Wednesday and explored honey with all of their senses and they also enjoyed making bird feeders and spotting garden birds on our wellie walk today for the Big Bird watching weekend. A lovely busy week at Nursery.

This week, Towan class have been talking about and recording what they want to achieve this year. I was delighted to see so many children wanting to improve their writing and maths skills. The children have also enjoyed exploring clay. They discussed the texture and used different one-handed tools to create a sculpture of their choice.

This week, Summers Class have been learning about colour mixing. They have learnt about primary colours and have experimented with these, mixing them together to make secondary colours. Also, they have been writing sentences about the story of The Enormous Turnip, making sure they include capital letters, full stops and finger spaces. In history, they have learnt about the explorer Ibn Batutta and how he was one of the first explorers who travelled around the world for almost 30 years.

This week in science, Pendower class have started their new science unit 'learning about materials'. The children have become keen scientists and have taken part in an investigation to find out which brand of paper towel was the most absorbent. They planned an experiment called the pipette puddle. The children found out that the Aldi brand was the least absorbent and the brand 'blast' was the most absorbent. In art, the children created pinch pots using clay. They also joined pieces of clay to their pot using clay slip.

Porthcurnick Class has been writing Kenning poems, a type of poetry used in the original poem Beowulf. They also learned about the discovery of an Anglo-Saxon burial site at Sutton Hoo and how the artefacts found there help us to understand more about life at the time.

Portholland have continued learning about different monarchs since 1066 and are now deciding which one they will choose to write a biography about. In art, they have been demonstrating, not only their drawing skills, but also their imaginations when creating their dream houses.

Porthluney Class has started a new art topic this week, entitled 'Make My Voice Heard'. The children will be exploring how artists – both historical and modern-day – use their artwork to express their feelings and ideas. In the first lesson, the children learnt about Maya artwork and created their own sketchbook pages containing work from the Maya period.

Kind regards

Kate Douglass

Headteacher





Little Carne: Thomas and Tate for their concentration during a fine motor skill activity to make bird feeders.

Towan: Mason for super independent writing Summers: Freddie for super sentence writing Pendower:

Porthcurnick:

Portholland:

Porthluney: The whole class for amazing writing.



Little Carne: Poppy for a successful first week of Nursery and Pippa for growing in confidence and having a good all round week.

Towan: Nell for taking pride in her creations and ensuring that she returns to them to make them even better

Summers: Monty for working hard when writing sentences about The Enormous Turnip Pendower: Harrison for his hard work when writing his innovative story.

Porthcurnick: Henry for an improved attitude towards his learning and excellent maths this week.

Portholland:

Porthluney: Evie for her excellent Maya-inspired narrative.



Team captains and points Godrevy: Isaac, Seth: 1101 Trevose: Annie, Tristan: 1246 St Anthony: Ben, Nancy: 1000 Lizard: Dylan, Lacey: 1025



Towan 93.18 % Summers: 98.52% Pendower 98.46% Porthcurnick: 97.29% Portholland: 98.33% Porthluney: 96.13%



White band -BluYellow band - Isabella, Tristan, Willow, Jonan,HeFinlayGreeOrange band - Imogen, Leonora, Isla, Noah,BroHarriet, George, HettyBlo

Blue band - Saskia, Eva, Seth, Harley, Jacob, Henry,Hetty, Darcy, Evalyn, Harper Green band - Sienna Brown band -Mallory-Jane Black band -



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