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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

September

24th - Junior Life skills 9.30am-12pm for Year 6 children
27th – Individual Photos

October

2nd – Flu Vaccinations
3rd – Year 2 Multiskills, more info to follow.
4th – RWI & Writing Parent Workshops 3pm – Class 1
4th – Writing Parent Workshops 3pm. – Class 2
10th – World Mental Health Day
11th – Maths Parent Workshops 3pm. – Classes 1 & 2
14th – Stay & Play
20th – Scarecrow Ball, organised by Nicholas Hall
25th – Book Look & Homework Share
28TH – 1ST Nov Half Term

November

4th – First Day Back

December

23rd – 3rd January Christmas Break

ATTENDANCE: 96.15%

Dear families,

It has been great to get back to school routines. Both Class 1 and 2 have been studying a whole school text over the last couple of weeks called 'Here we are'. Look out for their finished leaflets about what we need to do to look after our world at book look next month – They are looking great!

The weather is very up and down at the moment, so please ensure your children have their coats in school every day.

Have a fabulous weekend.

Mrs Brendon



The children who have shown the strength of each of our values – Nurture, Inspire, Achieve are:-

Nurture	Rafferty for nurturing his independence and love of learning through careful listening.	Charlie for continuing to nurture his love of learning. Excellent English work this week – Well done.
Inspire	Eliza for starting Year 2 with an inspiring attitude to her learning.	Edward for being inspirational when teaching rugby skills to Winter on National Fitness Day.
Achieve	Sophie for achieving great success with her writing – a great start to Year 1.	Misty for achieving great learning due to listening carefully and always being ready.



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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY Cont ...

January

6th – Inset Day

7th – First Day Back

February

17th – 21st Half Term

April

4th Inset Day

7th – 17th Easter Holiday

18th & 21st Bank Holidays

22nd – First Day Back

May

5th – Bank Holiday

26th – Bank Holiday

27th – 30th Half Term

July

17th – 22nd Inset Days

World Mental Health Day 10th October 2024

Right now, the world is a tough place for children and young people to grow up in. It is essential that our young people understand how important protecting our mental health is.

With this mind, to make World Mental Health Day a little brighter we would like to invite the children to wear yellow on this day.

PE will continue on Tuesday afternoons with our specialist sports coach Tallan – PE sessions will also take place throughout the week. Please can you ensure all children always have their PE kits in school.

SCHOOL START TIMES

A reminder regarding school start times. Children need to be in school by 8.45am. The school gates will be opened at 8.40am and closed at 8.50am. If you arrive after this time, please ring the bell and a member of staff will let you in.

FLU VACCINATIONS

Just a reminder that flu vaccinations are taking place on 2nd October. In order to access the online consent form, please enter or click on the following link: <https://www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu> PLEASE ENSURE YOU ENTER THE FULL UNIQUE SCHOOL REFERENCE CODE, which is **DV145332**. If you are having problems with the link please call 01392 342678 where one of the team will be happy to help with consent over the phone.



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OFFICE NEWS

- Please let the office know as soon as possible, if you are running late and the reason for the lateness.
- Please ensure you let the school know if there is a change in pick up. We cannot accept messages through siblings.

Previous News

- If you need to report a pupil absence, can you please either telephone the school or email admin@lyfordprimary.org.uk, on each day of absence, this is to bring all schools in the DMAT in line with reporting absence.
- Communication will be going out through Arbor in the future. If you haven't downloaded the app yet and need an activation email sent to you, please let me know.
- If you are not sure if you qualify for Free School Meals even if you currently are in KS1 please apply. You have nothing to lose and your child and the school benefit. Find out more [here](#) or call the helpline on 0345 155 1019.



CLUBS

Clubs are open to children from Reception to Year 6 and can be booked via school gateway, it is however a first come first serve basis. We are extremely lucky to have variety of after school clubs available to the children. If your child is booked into a club and is unable to attend, please can you let me know as soon as possible as this space could be opened to someone else. Thank you for your support with this.

Autumn 1 -After school clubs

LEGO CLUB Danielle	All Year Groups	Monday 3.30 – 4.30
MULTI-SPORTS Tallan	All Year Groups	Tuesday 3.30 – 4.30
FOREST SCHOOLS Tess	All Year Groups	Wednesday 3.30 – 4.30
DANCE Taylor	All Year Groups	Thursday 3.30 – 4.30



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Children enjoying learning new moves and sequences in Dance Club



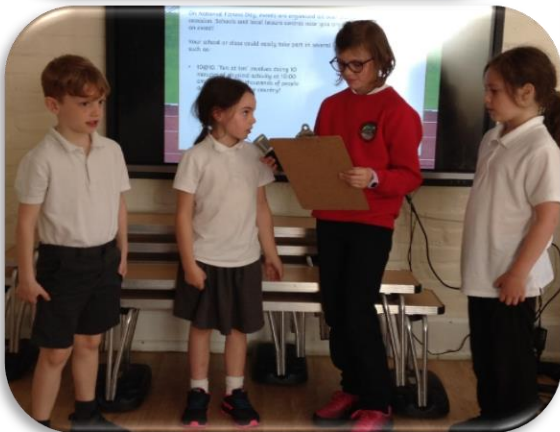
During their SCARF lesson focused on team building children in Class 2 experienced the benefit of working together to achieve success in collaborative challenges.





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The School Council took a lead in delivering a very informative assembly to mark National Fitness Day. They organised a whole school fitness session with lots of sports and activities on the school field and all were refreshed with watermelon afterwards.





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Playtime with our friends.

