

HEAD'S BLOG...

We have finally received some clarification about the way forward out of lockdown restrictions! We are well aware there will be some mixed feelings but also want to get back to as normal as possible.

The DfE guidance states in reference to bubbles, 'If your school is still open at Step 4, you may wish to continue with these measures until the end of your summer term.' With the number of cases higher than previously experienced in our local area and with a number of classes having been affected, we will be taking a very cautious approach towards the end of this term and little will change, including our bubble structure.

Thank you again for all your support with these procedures, especially if you have been affected by bubble closures. We know it's not easy!

Updated information about what parents need to know about schools' guidance can be found here: <u>Step 4 update - what parents and carers need to know about early years providers, schools and colleges - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)</u>

Today you will receive a letter to confirm your child's next class and teacher as well as a child-friendly information sheet. Please share this with your child and reassure them that, although they may be apprehensive about moving onto a new class, change is good and all adults at BB will look after them! Our class structure for 2021-22 can be found later in this newsletter if you need to remind yourself.

Have a lovely weekend, everyone! (Come on England!!!)

Ms Carmichael

Coronavirus reminders If your child develops any symptoms of Coronavirus (persistent cough, high temperature or loss of taste / smell), s/he MUST NOT come to school and school must be informed. Call 119 or get a test online at:

https://self-referral.test-for-coronavirus.service.gov.uk/antigen/name

If you believe that your child is well enough to attend school and they have only symptoms of a 'common cold' such as:

runny nose, sore throat or a mild cough they are permitted to attend.

Did you know anyone with a family member attending school can test themselves twice every week?

The twice-weekly test kits can be accessed:

via employers if they offer testing to employees, at a local test site, by collecting a home test kit from a test site, by ordering a home test kit online on this link: https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests

NB: All absences must be reported to our school office by calling 01726 64322. You can leave a message if outside of office hours. Please DO NOT report absences via Class Dojo. Thank you.



CLASS STRUCTURE 2021-22

Class	Teacher	Class TA	SEN TAs
BBeebies	Miss Oliver	Ms Herring	
Nursery		Miss Attis	
		Miss Middleton	-
Rainbows	Mrs Hawk-Vango	AAva la alva ava	
Reception		Mrs Jackson	
Stars	Miss Burr		
Reception			
Little Doves	Mr Deadman	Miss Franklin	
Little Fish	Miss Jane	Mrs Slade	Miss Routledge
Year 1/2	Mrs Horwell		
Little Lambs	Mrs Lowe	Mrs Cunningham	
Year 2			
Pelicans	Mr Nicholas	Mrs Pascoe	Mrs Allen-Trevarton
Year 3			
Peacocks	Miss Nagy	Miss Freight	Mrs Biggers
Year 3/4			Mrs Carnell
Phoenix	Mr Hobbs	Mrs Manton	
Year 4	Mr Keyes		
Angels	Miss Edney	Mrs Provis	Miss Briden-Seccombe
Year 5			
Faith	Miss Moore	Mrs Warne	
Year 5/6			
Норе	Miss Mewton	Miss Roworth	Miss Dwan
Year 6			

READING

Our Reading Ambassadors had a lovely time on Tuesday morning, judging some of the new non-fiction books that we have recently purchased and awarding them our Bishop Bronescombe Book Awards.

The Year 6 Reading Ambassadors had three categories on which to judge their book selection:

Most educational Most engaging title Most appropriate for Upper Key Stage 2

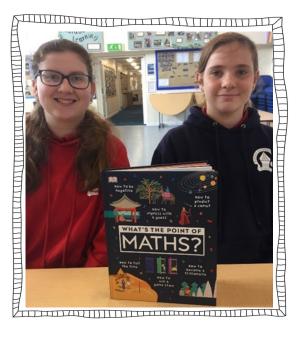
Here are the results:

Most educational. (The choice was so difficult, a first, second and third choice was made!)





Most engaging title





Most appropriate for Upper Key Stage 2



Year 5 Reading Ambassadors had three different categories on which to judge the non-fiction books:

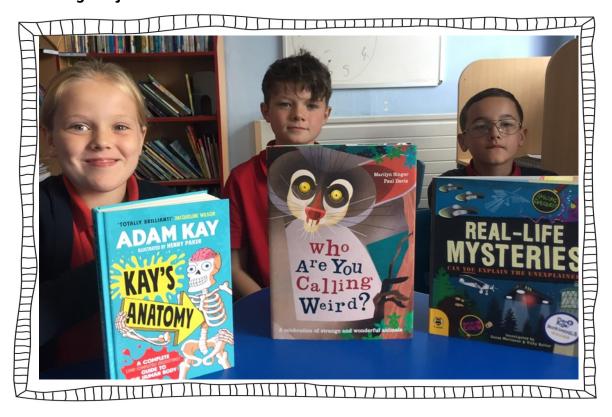
Most appropriate for Early Years children Most interesting subject Most engaging layout.

Here are their choices:

Most appropriate for Early Years children



Most interesting subject



Most engaging layout



The Year 4 Reading Ambassadors judged their books on:

The most interesting front cover

The best book for Lower Key Stage 2

The best illustrations or photographs.

Here are their choices.

Most interesting front cover



The best book for Lower Key Stage 2



 $Best \ illustrations \ or \ photographs$



The Year 3 Reading Ambassadors judged their books on these categories:

Most interesting front cover Best illustrations or photographs Best book for children in Key Stage 1

Most interesting front cover



Best illustrations or photos



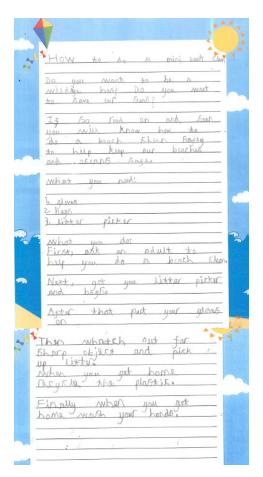
Best book for children in Key Stage 1

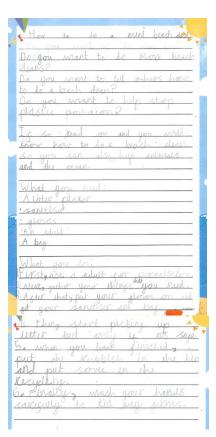


CORNWALL PLASTIC POLLUTION COALITION

A few weeks ago, Delia from the Cornwall Plastic Pollution Coalition led a webinar teaching the children about the importance of being a Wild Tribe Hero and taking on the important role of reducing single-use plastic. This week, children in Key Stage One were inspired by what they had learnt and were challenged to write an instructional text to Delia to share how to do a mini beach clean safely.

With a focus on writing for a purpose, Delia received the children's great written outcomes and responded with a really positive video praising their efforts and passion for making a difference to our environments, the ocean and marine wildlife.





DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

2020/21 Spring Term Diary Dates:

Fri 23rd July 2021—Last day of term NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

2021/22 Inset Days:

Mon 6th Sep 2021

Tues 7th Sep 2021

Mon 1st Nov 2021

Mon 25th Jul 2022

Tues 26th Jul 2022

EXCITING NEWS

We are all incredibly proud of Amber Clark, in Hope Class, for bravely having her hair cut in aid of helping children suffering from hair loss. What a truly selfless thing to do Amber, you should be so proud of yourself and I know how grateful The Princess Trust will be as well.

Miss Mewton









After completing her 3 'Power, Plastic and Plants' pledges, Tegen is now the proud owner of her very own Green Blue Peter badge and is a Blue Peter Climate Hero!

To complete the pledges, Tegen helped sort the recycling, ensured all electrical devices were turned off when not in use made a huge effort to save water for her plants.

Go Tegen!! 🥤



ONLINE SAFETY—this week from our PSA

With the increasing need for time on computers and devices, have you ever had any worries about 'what your children get up to online?' Do you notice that your kids might claim that they know others are allowed something you deem to be inappropriate. Perhaps you wonder about what is age-appropriate and need to know more about what should be a cause for concern.



Using this Guide

The Guide is a practical way to help you have conversations with your child about what they get up to online, and whether to be concerned about anything they're doing.



Over at Headstart Kernow you can download the relevant advice for the age range of your child/ren (some households will need to consider more than one age range and the logistical issues this can present).

Follow the link below to access advice and guidance for children 0-5 right up to 16-18yrs.

https://www.headstartkernow.org.uk/digital-resilience/parent-digital-offer/

OTHER NOTICES





Menu change

Please note a change to the previously published menu for Thursday 22nd July.

If you have not already done so, please select new options via ParentPay in the usual way.

(The jacket potato option will also be available on this day)