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*Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the LORD your God that he has given you. Deuteronomy 16:17*

This week's value is: **Compassion**

Dear parents and carers,

I hope that you have had a good week - the weather has been cold but glorious!

In Collective Worship this week we explored the value of compassion and how we can display it. The children shared lots of ideas such as: making sure that no-one is left out when they play, caring for each other if someone feels sad.

This week I met with the Education Welfare Office about attendance and she raised some concerns around some high level absence, however she was also aware of the impact of COVID. We also discussed the needs for some children to attend medical appointments, which she understands is unavoidable. Due to our conversation some parents may receive a letter highlighting the importance of the children being in school as much as possible and the impact high level absence may have on learning.



She left me with this graph to share with you. As you know as a school we are aware that many children have been unwell and we fully support parents with ensuring that their children are not in school if that is the case.

At the end of the week we will be holding 'Hot Chocolate Fridays', where children that attend school for 95% or more each week, will receive a golden ticket, which will go into a draw to have Hot Chocolate and marshmallows with myself each week. I will be sharing this with the children on Monday. I cannot wait to meet with my first group hot chocolate and marshmallows, who could want more!

Have a lovely weekend,

*Mrs Fletcher*

*Dates for your diary*

**2<sup>nd</sup> February** Year 1 Hearing Screening

**11<sup>th</sup> February** Women in Science Day

**Wc 14<sup>th</sup> February** School Reports sent home

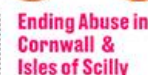
**18<sup>th</sup> February** End of half-term  
School finishes at 3.15pm - no after school club

**21-25<sup>th</sup> February** Half Term

**28<sup>th</sup> February** Parent Consultations  
(Non-pupil day)

**Sports Report**

Last Friday 29 children travelled to Cotehele for the latest cross country league race. Lucas made it 3 wins out of 3 in the Year 3/4 Boys race and Owen again came 1st in the Year 5/6 Boys race. The Year 3/4 Boys team came a brilliant 1st and both the Year 3/4 Girls and the Year 5/6 Girls teams came 2nd out of 18 schools. Well done everyone! On Monday our Football team beat Menheniot 8-0 to remain top in the Arena League. On Tuesday our very young Netball team travelled to St Germans School for a friendly. In a brilliant match, we finally won 10-8. Finally, yesterday, our Girls Football team and Boys B team made the short trip to Sir Robert Geffery's School for two leagues matches. In the girl's game, with very well-matched teams, the girls secured a well-earned 1-0 victory. In the Boys B team against SRG's A team - again, another very tight match and another win for us by a 3-1 score line. That keeps both teams top of their respective Leagues. Well done!



### Achievement Awards

Joeanns in Reception Class for always being a superstar. She shows great determination in all that she does and has a great attitude to learning. Well done Joeanns!

Beau T in Year 1 has worked extremely hard this week and has really focused on his learning. He has done some amazing maths and shown how clever he is with bigger numbers. Keep the good work up Beau!

Isla in Year 2, for her fantastic attitude to learning especially with literacy this week. She has worked really hard and produced some excellent writing with a good understanding of the learning we have covered. Isla you are a Year 2 super star, well done!

Summer in Year 3 has been doing really well with her reading we are so proud of her efforts.

Miley in Year 4, To play for a school sports A team in Year 5 is very unusual. To play for an A team in Year 4 is a phenomenal achievement. To cap it off, not only did Miley play really well in the match against St Germans, she also scored a brilliant goal. She has also worked super hard all week in class. Miley, we are all extremely proud of you.

Charlotte in Year 5, who has been working really hard on her maths. She produced informative charts using data imported into Excel and did brilliantly in her statistics assessment. Her resilience is really paying off – keep up the good work Charlotte!

Chloe in Year 6, has been an absolute super star this week! She has shown such determination in everything she has done; taken herself out of her comfort zone on multiple occasions; contributed in class and has been a model of maturity! Keep it up - well done! 😊

Ruby in Year 6, has worked so hard this week and has shown limitless perseverance and determination in everything she has done! We're so proud with her attitude to learning - she's a real super star! Keep it up Ruby! 😊

### Value Awards

Freya in Reception was picked by her friends for showing compassion. Rosina said that Freya is always kind to her and this shows compassion. Well done Freya!

Isaac in Year 1, has really shown compassion this week by sharing his construction toy with another child who was sad even though he had spent a long time making it. Thank you Isaac for being so kind.

Elsie in Year 2, who shows compassion through her caring and kind nature, always going out of her way to help others in the class.

Joshua in Year 3 is a very compassionate young boy - if somebody appears upset, he always makes sure to go and comfort them.

Ella in Year 4, has nominated Lily for this because she said not only has Lily shown compassion to her this week, she is also compassionate all the time to everyone.

Lucas in Year 5, for being understanding when his friends are feeling a bit sad or in need of help. He is a genuinely selfless and supportive friend who always notices when somebody needs cheering up even if that means giving up something he is doing himself.

Bradley in Year 6, is such a caring and gentle young man, and is one of the most compassionate people in school! He is so kind, empathetic - seeing a need and acting on it - and is such a humble and considerate boy. We're very proud of you Bradley - keep being you! 😊

### *Next week in school and at home*

**Reception** will be continuing their topic of dinosaurs and making our own salt dough dinosaur fossils.

**Year 1** will be investigating a mysterious alien landing on the field and writing reports about it. In maths we will be consolidating our learning of place value. We will continue to explore our world and find out about physical features around us. We will also think about how we might say thank you to God for all of his amazing creations.

**Year 2** will begin designing their own William Morris style wallpaper in preparation for doing some printing. They even have started printing some wallpaper for their Victorian house in the role play area!

**Year 3** will be visiting the Kayapo tribe and finding out about how they live.

**Year 4** will be multiplying and dividing by 6, looking at a lovely book called 'Flotsam' in English, will be looking at Kosher foods in RE and doing some fun experiments in Science.

**Year 5** will continue their research into space and produce non chronological reports about the solar system and hopefully create some beautiful nebula art work, creating new colours themselves.

**Year 6** will be plunging their way through percentages; hot-seating and walking in the footsteps of William Beech from 'Goodnight Mister Tom' and evaluating some famous artwork created during the Second World War!

## *This week in school and at home*

*This week in Year 1 we have been really busy finding out more about our world. We have been making human features of Saltash and learning*

*In Year 2, the children have been finding out about the Victorian artist William Morris, and having a really close look at some of his wallpaper designs*

*This week Year 3 have been creating beautiful 3D maps and writing fact sheets about Rainforest animals.*

**A busy week in Year 4! In maths we were multiplying and dividing by 3. In English we finished writing our stories and typed them up on the computer. In science we looked at different States of Matter. PE was Netball and Hockey which the children really enjoyed.**

*Year 6 have got stuck in to Michelle Magorian's 'Goodnight Mister Tom' this week, inferring from the text, empathising with the characters and learning about the onset of war at the same time! We've also been delving into decimals, learning how to divide and multiply them.*

*Year 5 have been investigating how Moses freed the Israelites from slavery and they have created posters to abolish slavery across the world. They have been discussing their dreams and aspirations as part of the new Jigsaw PSHE Programme and what they need to do to achieve this. They have also started new multiplication games as their early morning work to reinforce their times table facts, ask them to show you so you can play them at home.*

*This week in Reception class we made 'swamp juice' smoothies. We were very excited watching the fruit get blended and most of us agreed it was delicious. We also found out more about carnivores, herbivores and omnivores.*



# Photo Gallery

Year 5



Year 2



Year 3



Reception



Year 1



Year 6 spelling creatively



Year 4

