



Bishop Cornish CEVA Primary School

To inspire through faith and love, that all may flourish

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Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

1 Corinthians 13:4-7

This half term's value: **Friendship**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the new school year. A special welcome goes to the new children and their families that have joined us this term. We very much hope that you soon feel part of the Bishop Cornish family.

We have had a fabulous start to the year. It has been a joy seeing the children come into school ready to learn.

There have been a few changes in school over the holidays. The reception area has been updated with new flooring and desk for Mrs Dunbar. We have also installed a large fish tank and will be putting the fish in sometime next week (or when I have worked out how to set it up!). Get ready for the naming competition!

In addition, we will be taking ownership of two new guinea pigs at the end of September - two little girls.

This week the children in Year 6 have been away at Heatree for their residential trip. They have had a fabulous time both in the outdoors and with a spa night back at their lodgings. We are really looking forward to hearing about all the amazing experiences they have had. A huge thank you to parents for trusting us to take their children and to Mrs Williams, Mrs Miller and Mr Parkman for giving up their time - a memory that will last a lifetime.

Thank you to everyone for working with us to ensure that the children are in school on time. It has made such a difference in getting the day started and being ready to learn.

I wish you a lovely weekend. Fingers crossed for a bit of sun!

Mrs Tracey Fletcher

Dates for Diary

Friday 13th September

Swimming starts for Year 5

Tuesday 24th September

RNLI visiting Reception Class

Wednesday 25th September

Cornwall Air Ambulance visiting Reception Class

Opening Evening for Intake 2025

Friday 27th September

Open Morning – Intake 2025

Tuesday 1st/ Wednesday 2nd October

Parent Consultations 3.30pm

Friday 4th October

Nasal Flu Vaccinations for whole school

Wednesday 9th October

Harvest Festival
St. Stephen's Church

Thursday 10th October

Phonics Parent Meetings
2.30pm and 7.30pm (online)

Friday 18th October

Swimming starts for Year 6

Friday 25th October

INSET Day



Achievement Awards

All of Reception Class for having a fantastic start to your school journeys.

All of Year 1 for the fact they have come into their new class ready to try their best, they are already super learners!

Henry in Year 2 for making an amazing start in Year 2 and showing Mrs Oakes his amazing maths and literacy.

Isabelle in Year 3 who has started with lots of enthusiasm and a fantastic positive attitude. She has been working very hard in all of the subjects, especially Maths. Well done Isabelle, keep up the good work.

Emily-Mae in Year 4 for settling in so well to the school and being a superstar in her English writing this week. She has displayed amazing presentations and fantastic ideas for the book 'The Lost Thing'.

Jack A in Year 5 has had an amazing start to the year. He has worked his hardest in all lessons, been really helpful and has a great sense of humour.

Value Awards

Oliver in Reception Class for being a kind and generous friend. Always happy to share and take turns and encouraging others to try and join in.

Ada in Year 1 for being a great role model for how a friend should be. She is calm, considerate and that makes a great friend.

Jaxon B in Year 2 for being a great friend to someone new in our class and showing them all the best things about Bishop Cornish.

Joeanns in Year 3 who is kind and caring, looking after her friends and making sure children feel included. She is a great Year 3 role model already! Well done Joeanns.

Lowenna in Year 4 for showing fantastic friendship to her classmates within all subjects and out on the playground. She has been keen to support her peers and always demonstrates how amazing she is at supporting everyone she can in their learning. Well done!

Isla W in Year 5 has been a fantastic friend this week really showing her caring nature, empathy and kindness to others, especially our new friends who have joined us recently.

This week in school we have...

Year 5 have had a lovely week together. In our RE learning, we have been looking at the big frieze and discussing the different elements of this. Using watercolours, we designed and painted some rather strange creatures which we have imagined may live upon another planet. In our English lesson, these have been brought to life with descriptive writing. It is also lovely to see lots of chilli challenge homework being celebrated.

This week in Year 4 have been buzzing with excitement as we dove into a variety of new topics and experiences! In Maths, we've been working hard on partitioning 4-digit numbers, sharpening our understanding of place value. In PSHE, we've been discussing what it means to be a responsible school citizen and how we can make our school community even better. In Science we've had fun learning about particles and how they behave in solids, liquids and gases. We've been making the most of our new library, discovering a love for reading in this fantastic space. We've also enjoyed exploring the woods, where we've been connecting with nature. What a wonderful start it's been so far!

Wow, what an amazing start to Reception Class. We have been learning all about what it means to be a member of Bishop Cornish and making new friends. We have been starting our phonics and learning our first couple of sounds already. We have also made a wonderful start to our maths learning.

This week Year 3 have been creating music with the Gamelan orchestra and have begun their Stone Age topic by looking at historical timelines. They have also done some painting based around Creation for PE.

This week Year 2 have enjoyed lots of fun activities, particularly involving food. They explored baking as part of their literacy topic and made buns as presents for loved ones at home. In maths they have been using tens and ones to make numbers. They did super PE with Mr Brown and explored what it takes to be able to change the world in RE and why Jesus chose the special people that he did. The children loved exploring watercolours in art and did some super colour mixing.

This week Year 1 have been thinking of some adjectives to describe an unusual pet. They have been superstar mathematicians and they started and they started their learning about Grace Darling.

Year 6 are looking forward to sharing next week what they have been getting up to on their Heatree Residential trip this week.

Photo Gallery

Year 5



Year 2



Year 3



Reception



Year 1



Year 4

