

## Bishop Cornish CEVA Primary School



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'Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms.' **1 Peter 4:10** 

This half term has been a challenge for so many of us and this lockdown has certainly felt very different to the first one, where the sun shone and summer was round the corner. We hope you and your families have all stayed safe and we hope that soon we can all be reunited. The staff have all missed the children and we hope they have missed us! We thank you all for working so hard at home – we know it has been difficult at times for everyone.

Looking forward, we are awaiting an announcement regarding the full reopening of schools and what that will look like for schools and families. I will be in touch as soon as we return with an update. Thank you for all your lovely comments about Annual Reports – if you haven't yet booked an appointment with your child's teacher please do. Have a super half term. Mrs. Green

## **IMPORTANT HOLIDAY DATES**

Half term – 15<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> February inclusive Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February – new term Easter holidays – 2<sup>nd</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> April inclusive Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April – new term INSET – 28<sup>th</sup> May Half term – 31<sup>st</sup> May – 4<sup>th</sup> June inclusive Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July – children BREAK UP

for the summer

22<sup>ND</sup> AND 23<sup>RD</sup> JULY INSET

Remote learning for the week after half term

Monday's remote learning for the first week back will be uploaded before the start of the next half term.



We have had lots of examples of some wonderful Remote Learning. Next week everyone can have a lovely rest. ©







## Advanced warning for a virtual World Book Day!

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> March is World Book Day and we would like to get everyone involved – those at home and those at school. Please can you start to think about a favourite book character and what you could wear for that day. We hope to have some Zoom meetings to share the day and we will be putting up lots of resources/activities for children at home and at school. Please remember that this is a fun event and we do not want parents to go to expense. More information will follow after half term.

## Message from Cornwall Council – Kate Evan-Hughes

The number of infections is reducing in Cornwall because we have seen our residents respecting the social restrictions in place during the third lockdown. Thanks to this, we have slowed the spread of the virus through our communities, and for that we are thankful.

However, as the surge in cases in late December and January showed, if Cornwall lets our guard down infection rates can spiral quickly, and we could soon find ourselves back where we started.

Therefore, we are asking all residents, especially parents and carers to continue to respect the lockdown rules, especially during half term. We know this is a challenge, especially for those parents and carers who are home schooling and we understand the temptation to relax while the pressure of teaching is not there for a week.

However, we have done so well since January and we simply can't afford to throw all of that hard work away. We are asking those who are on a half term break to avoid travelling distances in the car and "explore from your door" instead.



What an amazing montage Oliver - wow!

Look very carefully and what do you see? Lots of baby fish swimming so free!

Year 4's tropical fish have lots of newly hatched babies – can we name them all!!!



Is that another new puppy Ethan and Harrison – gorgeous! We can't wait for a cuddle.



