



**This Week:**

Monday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yr 3: Swimming</li> <li>• Yr 6: Bikeability</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yr 3: Swimming</li> <li>• Yr 6: Bikeability</li> <li>• Yr 1: Zero Gravity</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yr 3: Swimming</li> <li>•</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yr 3: Swimming</li> <li>•</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yr 3: Swimming</li> <li>• Yr 2: Zero Gravity</li> </ul>
<b>Next Week:</b>	<b>Half Term</b>			
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June	Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yr 3: Tamar Bridge</li> <li>• Yr 4: Tamar Bridge</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yr 5: Tamar Bridge</li> <li>• Yr 2: Tamar Bridge</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yr 6: Cotehele</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• INSET DAY</li> </ul>

**Farm Feeding**

There are still days available to come and visit and feed the animals on our school farm. To book yourselves in, please go to: <https://www.schoolinterviews.co.uk/code?code=3dfha> Instructions will be emailed out to all this week.

**Headteacher Recruitment**

The vacancy has been advertised on TES, Plymouth, Cornwall and Devon. The pack has been widely circulated but if you do have any contacts, please spread the word. The pack can be emailed out or is found on our school website.

**Thank you**

It is good to see proper uniform and PE kits and they were certainly needed after the rain we experienced last week. I think the children doing bikeability got wetter than those in the swimming pool!

**Opening up after lockdown**

We are still discussing what we will be doing after 21<sup>st</sup> June and have made no decisions yet about changing the systems in place. As the guidance for schools is updated, we will let you know of anything we will be changing.

**Off-site visits**

It is great to see that after half term we have been able to book some visits to enhance learning. Recently, apart from our Reception class, all children have enjoyed Zero Gravity sessions and Year 3 are halfway through a block of swimming.

In the next few weeks we are visiting:  
Tamar Bridge  
Mount Edgecumbe  
Seaton Beach

Later in June our two-day, one-night residential experiences will take place at Dewerstone. It is lovely to have a little normality returning...

However, we do hope to hold Sports Day on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June as it is outside. We also hope to hold Speech Day on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July and have booked a marquee in preparation.

On that day we will also be dedicating and renaming the Qube in memory of John Twallin - a former Chair of Governors and a great friend to our school for many years. A plaque will be unveiled by members of his family.

**Outstanding balances on ParentPay**

Please check your ParentPay accounts and settle any outstanding balances: dinner money, £20 deposit for Dewerstone trip, Year 3 swimming...

## Reading

It is great to see that children have been so well motivated by Accelerated Reader and the word counts continue to grow. The more children see words and enjoy books, the better all aspects of their writing becomes.

Please encourage children to listen to stories and read a wide range of texts.

## Computing

Next half term we will be prioritising the development of different ICT skills using our Purple Mash computing scheme. The children can access all programs from their login. This includes 2type which helps them to develop keyboard skills.

## Accelerated Reader Round Up

Whole school wordcount: 104,131,589

Books read:10,239

### Class wordcount – Year to date

Year 2	7,838,915
Year 3	8,123,423
Year 4	23,294,647
Year 5	31,481,704
Year 6	33,158,478

### Top 5 wordcounts – last week

Year 2	Imogen P
Year 3	Seb H
Year 4	Bodhi W
Year 5	Alfie B
Year 6	Emma D

### Good Progress

Year 2	Tilly K
Year 3	Leyvyn S, Mollie Y
Year 4	Esme H
Year 5	Zac J, Lola O'B
Year 6	Finley S

½ Million Charlie T

¾ Million Joshua G, Lillie A

2 Million Emma D

## Mathletics

Congratulations to all those children working hard to achieve certificates on Mathletics.

This week:

Max C - 1<sup>st</sup> Gold          Seb H - 1<sup>st</sup> Gold  
William Br. - 2<sup>nd</sup> Gold      Lola O'B - 6<sup>th</sup> Gold.

## Dates for your Diary

31May-4Jun	Half Term
Tue 8 Jun	Yrs 3/4: Tamar Bridge visit
Wed 9 Jun	Yrs 5/2: Tamar Bridge visit
Thu 10 Jun	Yr 6: Cotehele
Fri 11 Jun	Inset Day
Mon 14 Jun	Yr 2: Seaton Beach
Tue 15 Jun	Yr 1: Seaton Beach
Wed 16 Jun	Yr R: Seaton Beach
Tue 22 Jun	Yr 6: Mt Edgcombe
Wed 23 Jun	Sports Day (afternoon)
Thu 24 Jun	Sports Day Reserve date
28-29 Jun	Yr 6: Dewerstone
29-30 Jun	Yr 5: Dewerstone
30Jun-1Jul	Yr 4: Dewerstone
1-2 Jul	Yr 3: Dewerstone
Mon 5 Jul	Yr R: Cotehele
Tue 6 Jul	Yr 5: Lynher Expedition
Wed 7 Jul	Yr 6: Lynher Expedition
8-9 Jul	Yr 6: JTT Experience
Fri 16 Jul	Speech Day
Thu 22 Jul	Yr 6: Leavers Play
Fri 23 Jul	Inset Day
	Summer Holidays

## 2021/22 Term Dates

Mon 6 Sep	Inset Day
Tue 7 Sep	Back to School
25-29 Oct	Half Term
Mon 1 Nov	Inset Day
20Dec – 3Jan	Christmas Holidays
Tue 4 Jan	Inset Day
Wed 5 Jan	Inset Day
21 – 25 Feb	Half Term
11-22 Apr	Easter Holidays
Mon 2 May	Bank Holiday
30May-3Jun	Half Term
Fri 10 Jun	Inset Day
Tue 26 Jul	Last day of term
Wed 27 Jul	Summer Holidays

## AWARDS

### Reception

Henry M	Great 3d shape work in Maths
Iona P	Super artwork
Jasmine H	Being a resilient learner
Reggie C	Great ideas for writing
William W	Amazing reading effort

### Year 1

Alfie N	Phonics
Brooke G	Brave
Harriet H	Spellings
Holly F	Being a positive role model
Imogen P	Kindness
Joseph P	Effort

### Year 2

Cai	Amazing learning power
Felix C	Outstanding arithmetic skills
Mawgan	Super application of skills
Simeon	Excellent reading comprehension
Tilly K	Fantastic learning confidence

### Year 3

All Yr 3	Amazing progress in swimming (already!)
Alice G	Demonstrating Christian Values
Archie H	Effort
Ashton B	Reading
Ayla G	Positive attitude towards all her learning
Charlie O	Maths Progress
Ethan H	Reading
Evie T	Resilience
Freddie M	Resilience
Gracie N	Positive Mindset
Gwen H	Excellence in all aspects of her learning
Jacob R	Excellence in Maths
Jaida K	Resilience
James S	Demonstrating Christian Values
Kensa A	Helpfulness
Leyvyn S	Friendship
Nina M	Perseverance
Nyana E	Kindness
Oscar M	Enthusiasm
Poppy T	Enthusiasm
Rafferty J	Perseverance
Ruan H	Enthusiasm
Seb H	Fantastic perimeter work in maths

### Year 4

Aaron B	Helping his peers in maths and golf prowess
Ben C	Excellent effort in PE
Eris BT	Positivity and perseverance
Harris S	Stunning work in golf
Katy B	Being more focused during early morning maths tasks
Seren W	A big improvement in maths confidence
Sophie D	Improved confidence in maths

### Year 5

Edie C	Working hard during comprehension tasks
Ewan G	Positive attitude during all subjects
Keira B	Being a great friend and supporting others
Libby P	Involving people during break and playtime
Samuel M	Great involvement and concentration during PE sessions
Seb Y	Great concentration during all subjects

### Year 6

Axel	Grammar
Daisy	Project Touchline values
Eliza	Project Touchline values
Emma	Reading
Finley	Helpfulness
Harry	Respect
Isabella	Project Touchline values
Lucas	Friendship
Matthew	Art
Zak	Helpfulness

## SRG Pre-School

Wraparound Fees increase as of 1 September 2021

Breakfast Club: £4.38

Afterschool Club One Hour: £4.43

Afterschool Club Two Hours: £6.11

Please pay fees preferably via the Pre-schools bank account as follows:

HSBC, Account Number 21065831

Sort Code 40-40-15.

Pre-school also accepts Childcare vouchers e.g. Sodexo, Edenred, Computershare etc. Please speak to Sarah if you wish to use this type of payment for your child's fees.

Thank you for your continued support.



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SWIMMING

# SWIMMING TRIALS

Is your child aged 6 to 9, Years 1 - 4?  
Can they Swim 25m Freestyle, Backstroke,  
Breaststroke and perform a Dolphin Kick,  
reached stage 7 & above.

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