



Newsletter

Friday 5th June



Cup Awards Awarded for Music Friday 22nd May



Reception Class

Seth has shown wonderful enthusiasm for music, confidently exploring and engaging in music-making and dance, both independently and as part of a group. He has enjoyed creating his own pieces and has worked hard to replicate choreographed dances, including pop songs and traditional dances from around the world. Well done, Seth!

Year 1

After much discussion with Mrs Birch, our decision for the music cup is Alfie Thomas. Alfie loves music. He loves listening to all sort of genre, joining in wherever he can. He has really enjoyed our music lessons learning new songs, singing and dancing and learning to play the ocarina. He joined the Rock steady group and thoroughly looks forward to go to his sessions. Not only has he loved his music but in the past term we have noticed a real maturity developing in Alfie, he has settled down in class and is trying his best in all areas of the curriculum as well as improving his learning attitude and behaviour. We are very proud of his progress and the maturity he is now showing us, well done Alfie.

Year 2

Year Two's cup for Music goes to Erin. Erin is a fabulous musician. She shows real musical talent and commitment. She does piano lessons outside of school (playing with both hands and reading musical notation). She also is a committed member of our Ocarina Group where she plays exceptionally well. I look forward to seeing how Erin's musical talent develops over the coming years. Keep up the amazing effort!

Year 3

It was tricky choosing who to give the Music cup to as all of Year 3 worked so hard last term on learning 8 songs to perform at the Hall for Cornwall. However, one boy stood out and that was Freddie J. Freddie is a fantastic singer and when learning the songs in class, sang with great enthusiasm and a lovely positive attitude. He led the singing on many occasions and was a great role model for the other children. His enthusiasm and love for singing are infectious and gave children who may not have been comfortable to sing, the confidence to join in. He has a passion for singing and knows a great deal of songs and lyrics from different genres! Well done, Freddie, keep up the passion and enthusiasm, it's lovely to see!

Year 4

Ethan has thrived in every aspect of music this year, showing outstanding dedication both in and out of school. A major highlight of his year was competing in the Brass Bands England Youth Championships 2026, where he performed with confidence and achieved impressive success. In addition, Ethan has been selected as a member of the TPAT band, demonstrating both musical talent and strong teamwork. It was also fantastic to see him playing the Viking horn brought in by Mrs Thomas.

Year 5

Darcy is an incredible singer and sings with a lot of clarity and enthusiasm. She uses her diction beautifully and puts a lot of emotions into her singing. Darcy has spent some of her lunchtimes learning new songs and encouraging others to sing too.

Year 6

The music cup in Year 6 goes to Albee. Albee loves listening to music, has a great sense of rhythm and has an enthusiastic and positive attitude to music lessons. He loves listening to genres of music that he enjoys.



Kindness Cup

Josie M

Year 6



Welcome back!

We've had a lovely start to the new term, although it's a shame the weather hasn't been as kind as it was over half term. We hope you all had a lovely half term!

Class letters are being sent out today, so please take a moment to read them and find out what your child will be learning this term.

We are now in the Summer 2 term, which means there is just one more term left in your child's current class. We have lots planned over the coming weeks, including transition activities to help children settle into their new classes and get to know their new teacher nearer the end of the term. There will also be school reports, Sports Day, Year 6 leaving us and plenty of fun learning opportunities along the way.

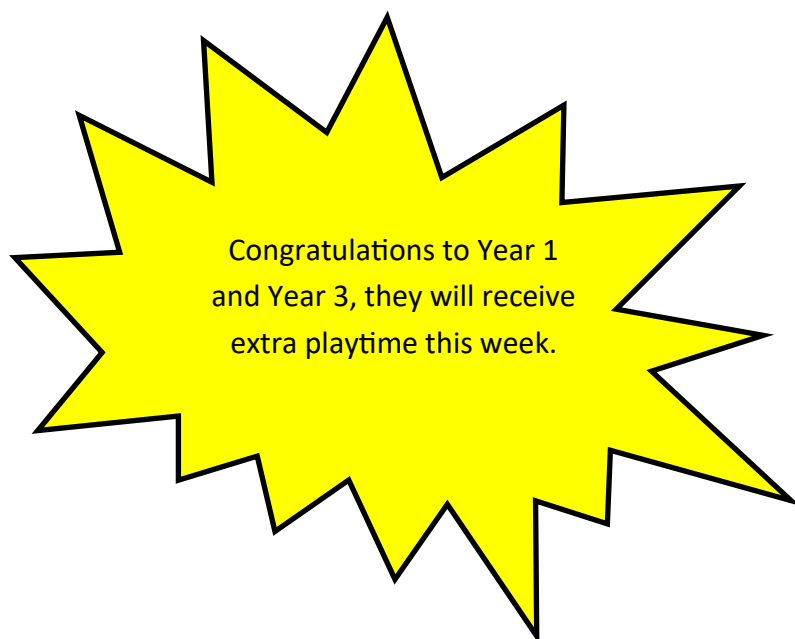
The Attendance Arcade is still proving to be a big hit! Last week, we had our first group of "customers" ready to cash in their stamps and collect their prizes. It's been lovely to see so many children choosing to save their stamps and set their sights on the bigger rewards, what fantastic motivation and determination!

Thank you to all our parents for supporting the children and ensuring they are in school every day, your support has made a difference to our whole school attendance.

Attendance



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| Reception | 94.4% |
| Year 1 | 97.22% |
| Year 2 | 95% |
| Year 3 | 100% |
| Year 4 | 94.4% |
| Year 5 | 94.83% |
| Year 6 | 93.75% |



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

| DATE | EVENT | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Friday 5th June | Whole School Class Letters | |
| Friday 5th June | Year 3 Camp 'drop in' session | Year 3 Classroom. 3.15 pm — 4pm |
| Friday 12th June | Year 3 Roman Super Learning Day | Year 3 Class |
| Monday 15th—26th June | Year 4 Swimming | Dragon Centre |
| Tuesday 16th—19th June | Year 6 | London |
| Tuesday 23rd June | Class Photos | Whole School |
| Wednesday 1st July | Sports Day | KS2 - 9.15am KS1 - 1.15 pm |
| Wednesday 15th—19th July | Year 3 Camp | Porthpean |

Year 6 Geevor Trip



Year 6 had a really interesting day exploring Geevor Tin Mine and finding out lots of facts and information about the history of tin mining in Cornwall. They even went underground into 18th century Wheal Mexico Mine to feel the experience of the miners! The visit supported our recent topic on local history. All the children represented the school well.



Archie Travels to France!

We are incredibly proud of Archie, who was selected to play football in France recently. Although his team was unfortunately knocked out of the tournament, they had the amazing opportunity to compete against some top international clubs, including Porto, PSG and AC Milan.

What an unforgettable experience for Archie. Well done on such a fantastic achievement!

Thank you for sharing this with us Archie.



Do you have an activity outside of school that you would like to share?

Please email :reception@roche.tpacademytrust.org

We love sharing the success of our students.

Congratulations



Big cheers for Kath, our amazing Kitchen Manager!

Kath recently attended the Aspens awards (a bit fancy!) and came home as one of just eight winners out of 119 schools across Cornwall and Devon . Wow! She picked up the award for **Most Improved Staff Member** Receiving a golden grater.

We're so proud of her, and a big shout-out to both of our brilliant kitchen ladies for keeping us all well fed with those delicious, healthy meals.

Well done, Kath — you're a star!



**A gentle reminder to please book your child's meals via ParentPay by Sunday.
Thank you**

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| Summer 1 Phonics Group | Videos: |
| Group C + Ditty - Mrs Garratt/Miss Tonkin | ch- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/ZMoAWwQD/0vni9pLy qu- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/OK1kmlh/pLdikdv0 ng- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/DUoce7sZ/O9zfRLBl Speed Minutes Set 1 Special Friends - lesson 1- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/M75UC7tj/gXIRHXBo Word Time Fun with Nell 1.5 (1) https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/1ibXYNZf/AzaV13MH |
| Red Group- Mrs Kent | Pinny Time Set 1 Special Friends - lesson 1- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/ALWq7g6B/BTAIh18O ck- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/EiWXEYCb/R8WFtEO6 Word Time Fun with Zain 1.6 (mix) (9) https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/CK5FMkFr/b9K6YycT Red Words- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/Pe1qnYGH/A3XmpF8 |
| Green Group - Mrs Little | ay- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/6chZVZTv/qZgeCA70 ee- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/kdBE9cyq/aVYVrwUt igh- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/nMCKAN5u/drvMnsap SUWR On the bus- SUWR - On the bus- https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/O5U0yR01/L78mJIHv Red Words - Green Storybooks (lesson 1) https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/SOrOT2Tq/Y9Wf7Vhs |
| Pink Group—Mrs Birch | https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/loLwKsDq/gc96eYDc https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/bvqvT0A0/rOYwoEf8 https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/zJBy3Ts7/UIQBkU1m |
| Orange Group Blue Group Yellow Group Grey Group Phonics practice for next week's Phonic screening | https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/FegmPTFz/bbDtzRA7 https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/7RSznQhg/XyaJCTyR https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/jvM5x5DY/w2UW69zm https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/TlgN6vjq/OII8SgbK https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/nCTd13U5/XhVBrCly https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/XtPaVi7w/OHTJVFTu https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/m5H0Vd9O/hr0d6zxf https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/rHP2TWau/48WLB5AJ https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/aAilpePi/NlyEkqPy https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/by78KXPi/15VhIPnl |

Joyful June 2026

| | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY | SUNDAY |
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| 1 | Decide to look for what's good every day this month | 2 Say positive things in your conversations with others | 3 Re-frame a worry and try to find a helpful way to think about it | 4 Take a photo of something that brings you joy and share it | 5 Think of 3 things you're grateful for and write them down | 6 Get out into green space and feel the joy that nature brings | 7 Do something healthy which makes you feel good |
| 8 | Find joy in music: sing, play, dance, listen or share | 9 Ask a friend what made them happy recently | 10 Bring joy to others by doing something kind for them | 11 Eat good food that makes you happy and really savour it | 12 Write a gratitude letter to thank someone | 13 Take a light-hearted approach. Choose to see the funny side | 14 Share a happy memory with someone who means a lot to you |
| 15 | Look for something to be thankful for where you least expect it | 16 Speak to others in a warm and friendly way | 17 Take time to notice things that you find beautiful | 18 Look for something good in a difficult situation | 19 Get outside and find the joy in being active | 20 Rediscover and enjoy a fun childhood activity | 21 Send a positive note to a friend who needs encouragement |
| 22 | Watch something funny and enjoy how it feels to laugh | 23 Create a playlist of uplifting songs to listen to | 24 Bring to mind a favourite memory you feel grateful for | 25 Show your appreciation to people who are helping others | 26 Make time to do something playful, just for the fun of it | 27 Be kind to you. Do something that brings you joy | 28 Notice how positive emotions are contagious between people |
| 29 | Share a friendly smile with people you see today | 30 Make a list of the joys in your life (and keep adding to it) | | | | | |

ACTION FOR HAPPINESS

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Helping Families Thrive in a Digital World

Join us online on **Thursday 18th June** for an engaging and practical workshop designed for **primary parents and carers** who want to support their children in building a **healthy, safe, and confident relationship with technology**. This 45-minute session is delivered by **Common Sense Education**, a leading charity committed to *"building a more healthy, equitable, and empowering future for all children in the digital age."* The workshop forms part of an Ofcom-commissioned project supporting families across **Devon & Cornwall** as they navigate the realities of raising children in a connected world.

What We'll Explore

The Modern Digital Playground — Discover what children are really doing online, with the latest insights from Ofcom, and learn how algorithms shape their experiences.

Navigating Key Online Challenges — Gain practical understanding and tools to safeguard children, set boundaries, and stay informed about emerging AI tools.

Practical Tools & Family Strategies — Take part in the hands-on *Healthy MEALS of Media* activity to help you plan a balanced digital diet, plus learn about essential parental controls and trusted resources.

Take-Home Conversation Starters — Leave with a Family Tech Planner and ready-to-use prompts to keep these important conversations going at home.

You'll finish the session feeling **empowered**, informed, and equipped with a clear action plan to guide your family confidently through the digital world.

 **Date Thursday 18th June**

 **Choose a time that suits you**

9:15 – 10:00 AM

1:45 – 2:30 PM

5:45 – 6:30 PM

 **Location**

Microsoft Teams meeting

Join: <https://teams.microsoft.com/join/310909295039027?p=Dirje8rEyAEtzGb16X>

Meeting ID: 310 909 295 039 027

Passcode: MV6Gd7Vu

Resources for the online meeting are available in the school office – please collect a pack



Truro and Penwith Academy Trust

ONLINE WORKSHOP: Raising Children in a Connected and Digital World

Teams link:  Meeting ID: 348 567 017 563 6
Passcode: fd7Hf6Sh

FREE 45-minute workshop designed for primary parents and carers who want to support their children and young people's relationship with technology.

Thursday 18th June

9.15-10am
1.45-2.30pm
5.45-6.30pm



-  The Modern Digital Playground
-  Navigating Key Online Challenges
-  Practical tools and family strategies
-  Family tech planner and resources