



Bishop Cornish CEVA Primary School

To inspire through faith and love, that all may flourish

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'be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.'

Ephesians 4:32

This half term's value:

Compassion

Dear Parents and Carers,

Another busy week in school! This week the Reverend Laura led Collective Worship in school. The children explored the Bible story Jesus Feeds the 5,000 – John 6:1–14. Jesus sees that a big crowd is hungry. A boy shares his lunch, and Jesus feeds everyone! Compassion means noticing others' needs and doing something to help. The children have been showing compassion beautifully around the school.

Parents should have received their child's learning for this term as set out in our new planning webs as well as knowledge organisers that show our 'forever knowledge' and key vocabulary. In Reception Class the topic for this term is Superheroes. This week they had a visit from the RNLI, whereas in Year 1 the children have started their topic on castles, we didn't have a visit from any knights! Year 2, as well as looking in more in depth at the Fire of London, have also been exploring materials as part of their science. Year 3 have continued with their Stone Age topic as well looking at rocks in science. In Year 4 the children have started their history topic of Romans. Year 5 are exploring Ancient Greece as well as making links with the solar system. The children in Year 6 are back in school and have shared some of the great experiences that they had whilst away at residential. This week, they have been busy creating beautiful poems for Harvest.

Thank you to those parents who have sent their slips back for parents' evening. As a school, we believe that working together creating strong partnerships supports every child. Can you please make sure that slips are back with us on Monday if you haven't done so already? You'll receive a slip towards the end of next week confirming your appointment time.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Mrs Fletcher

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Diary Dates

Saturday 20th September

Painting Day – 2-4pm – POSTPONED tbc

Tuesday 23rd September

Dentist visiting Reception Class

Thursday 25th September

Fire Service visiting Reception Class

W/c Monday 29th September

Parent consultations

Tuesday 30th September

Paramedics/Ambulance Service visiting Reception Class

Wednesday 8th October

Harvest Festival – 1.45pm

No ASC – whole school staff training

Thursday 9th October

Phonics Parent Meetings – 2.30pm and 7.15pm

Open Morning – 9.30am

Open Evening – 5pm

Monday 13th October

Tempest Portraits

Tuesday 14th October

Nasal Flu vaccinations

Friday 24th October

INSET – non-pupil day

Monday 27th – Friday 31st October

Half Term

Girls Football Vs Sir Robert Geffrey

With large boots to fill after last year's Cornwall Champions team left in July, our new-look team played their first game of the season against SRG on Tuesday. Playing some tremendous football, we eventually won 8-2, with Eliza CC being voted Player Of The Match after scoring 5 goals. To put their performance in perspective, they drew 3-3 against the same SRG team in a friendly last July. Well done girls - a great start to a long season.

Achievement Awards

Seth in Reception Class for being a superstar tidier in our classroom, tidying up after yourself and helping others tidy without even being asked!

Romilly in Year 1 works so hard in all lessons and is always ready and willing to start all tasks.

Jacob in Year 2 produced a brilliant piece of RE work with some excellent cartoons showing his understanding of the story. Awesome Jacob!

Beau in Year 3 for using excellent vocabulary choices in Literacy and having a positive, hard-working attitude. Well done Beau.

Isabelle in Year 4 has made an excellent start to the year. She is working her hardest and listens carefully to instructions with thought and care. Well done Isabelle.

Tobias in Year 5 for excellent effort and determination in partitioning numbers up to 1,000,000, showing clear understanding of place value in large numbers.

All of the Year 6 children for their perseverance, courage and friendship at Heatree. They all had a wonderful adventure and showed positive mindsets. We are so proud of every one of them.

Values Award

Elsie in Reception Class for showing so much kindness, care and compassion by looking out for others, making sure they are happy and feeling okay.

Luna in Year 1 naturally shows the value of compassion to the people around her.

Elena in Year 2 is really caring towards the other children and Mrs Oakes. She checks we are all okay and is super at looking after our classroom.

Halli in Year 3 for being so thoughtful and helpful this week. Well done Halli.

Elliott in Year 4 always shows compassion to his classmates. He is caring, thoughtful and always willing to support anyone. Well done Elliott.

Isabella H in Year 5, for always thinking about how people feel and offering help when needed.

Anthony in Year 6 was a wonderful friend to a new member of the class at Heatree. He made him feel welcome to Year 6 and supported him through Heatree. It was so lovely to see such genuine friendship and compassion. We are proud of you Anthony 😊

Our new Award for Beautiful handwriting presentation BFF (Bottoms, Feet, Fingers)

George in Reception Class

Charlie V in Year 1

Harry in Year 2

Henry in Year 3

Rosina in Year 4

Fran in Year 5

Tabitha in Year 6

This week in school we have.....

This week Year 2 did some super science work, building bridges and seeing which materials worked the best. They stacked, twisted and stuck the materials together and made some amazing constructions. They have carried on being great writers and thinking really carefully about their BFF. In maths they have continued to develop their place value skills doing some skilful partitioning together. We thought about the story of Matthew the tax collector in RE and created comic strips which they should all be super proud of.

This week in Reception we have been very busy with learning our new sounds 's' and 'd' in Phonics and our numbers 1, 2 and 3 in maths! In our music lessons with Mrs B, we enjoyed moving, clapping and singing along to the beat. We also had a very special visit from the RNLI who taught us all about how they help people stay safe out at sea - the children loved asking questions and learning all about the lifeboats!

This week in Year 1 we have been super sports stars. We have continued our numbers to 10 and have been identifying objects, materials and their properties by drawing and labelling them. We created some beautiful pieces of art for the 7 days of creation and much more.

This week in Year 5, we have been partitioning numbers all the way up to 1,000,000, learning how to break them down and understand their value. In PSHE, we have been exploring what it means to be a citizen of our country and thinking about the rights and responsibilities we all share. Our Science involved discovering how the heliocentric model helps us understand our universe better and in RE we have been creating our own pictures to share the meaning of Genesis 1 for a Christian, reflecting on the idea of creation.

This week Year 4 have been busy writing about unicorns. We have even been out in the woods creating the dens in which they might live and hide. In our art lesson, we have really emoted bringing these to life and using our imagination for all the different breeds put there. In our RE lessons, we have been thinking about the kind of world that Jesus wanted. We have had some interesting discussions around the Gospels and have looked at Matthew 4:18-19 in detail, understanding how the disciples can be 'fishers of men'.

Year 6 had a very exciting week at Heatree. They tried lots of new activities and showed compassion, courage and outstanding friendship. We were so proud of them and got so many lovely comments from the Heatree staff. This week, they have started their WWII topic and have started to read the lined book for English, Rose Blanche. They have also started to investigate how Christians live and examine the Gospels of Luke, Mark, John and Matthew. They are very excited as they start their new roles and responsibilities, some are helping with assemblies, some on reception duties to name just a few. Keep up the excellent start Year 6 😊

This week in Year 3 we have been discovering what Britain was like at the end of the Ice Age, learning about Neanderthals and Homosapiens. The children used graded drawing pencils to create some super drawings of Ice Age beasts.

Photo Gallery

Year 5



Year 4



Year 2



Reception class



Year 1



Year 3



Year 6

