| learning academy, partnership | Courtenay Class Weekly Newsletter Friday 21 st March 2025 | | |
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| | 'Building Lifelo | ong Foundations Together' | |
| Attendance | | | |
| | Atte | endance Matters! | |
| Excellent Attendance | Every Student, Every School, Every Day | | |
| | Class | Weekly Attendance | |
| | Forde | 91% | |
| | Courtenay | 96% | |
| | Templar | 99% Well done | |
| | Last week's whole RAG Rating | school attendance: 95.4% 98% and above 96.1%- 97.9% 96% and below | |
| | Our wh | nole school attendance target is 96% | |
| Home Learning | Dear Parents and Carers, | | |
| Please continue to read 4 times a week, and log this in the reading journal. Please practise times table facts with your child 3 to 4 times per week. Spelling and Maths homework will be | The children of Courtenay Class have enjoyed another excellent and exciting week! Their learning has included lessons such as Maths, when they have been making great progress with fractions: working with equivalent fractions, partitioning mixed numbers and comparing / ordering fractions. As per my previous messages, children will benefit enormously by practising their times tables on a regular basis because these will be essential when working with fractions. | | |
| sent home each week. | | o enrich their worship of Allah. The children were very osques of different sizes, designs and colours from | |

| | different countries, including the Great Mosque of Mecca. | |
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| Star of the Week | | |
| | Other subjects which the children have enjoyed this week include Science | |
| Seb is Star of the | (when we looked at food groups and sorting living things into producers | |
| Week for being so | and consumers), PE (when we have been improving our athletics skills), | |
| helpful and making | and Music (when have been practising our songs for the music event next | |
| great progress with | week). | |
| his learning. | | |
| Well done! | I hope you all have a wonderful weekend. | |
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| | Mr Morton | |

MESSAGE FROM MR O'SULLIVAN

We Believe:

This week we have been focusing on the theme of showing love through forgiveness. In our worship and class discussions, we have explored how forgiveness strengthens friendships, builds trust, and helps us to move forward with kindness. It has been wonderful to see them applying this in their daily interactions, demonstrating compassion and understanding towards their friends.

We are Stronger Together

We have also been celebrating the success of our after-school clubs this year. It has been brilliant to see so many children taking part in a wide range of activities, from sports and crafts to drama and choir. The high levels of enthusiasm and engagement have been fantastic, and we are so pleased that our children are embracing these opportunities to develop new skills, build confidence, and have fun outside of lesson time. A big thank you to our staff and external providers for making these clubs such an enjoyable part of school life.

We all belong in our School Trust

A reminder to our Year 4 parents that our times table breakfast club continues to run, offering children extra support and practice in preparation for their multiplication check. Additionally, we will be holding a parent meeting straight after school on Wednesday, 2nd April, to provide more information about the multiplication check and how you can support your child at home. We encourage all Year 4 parents to attend, as this is a great opportunity to ask any questions and gain a better understanding of what to expect.

In realising the possible so that all children can flourish

Finally, the race for this term's attendance breakfast is extremely close! Attendance has been a key focus this term, and we are so pleased to see classes striving to achieve the highest percentage. Every school day matters, and we want to thank parents for their support in ensuring children are in school and ready to learn. With just a few weeks left to go, it could still be anyone's prize—let's keep up the fantastic effort!



A HUGE thank you to our all Comic Relief supporters today. Through your generosity we raised a fantastic £63.30.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MARCH 2025 6.3.25 World Book Day – Please see letter sent home 12 and 13.3.25 Parent Consultations 13.3.25 -PTFA Bake Sale – TEMPLAR 28.3.25 Non school uniform – please bring in an Easter treat for the PTFA raffle / PTFA Carer day craft

APRIL 2025

2.4.25 Easter Service at St Paul's 1.45pm
3.4.25 Easter PTFA Raffle
4.4.25 Treat for Class Bake Sale Winners
7 – 22.4.25 Easter Break
23.4.25 Back to School
SUMMER TERM

MAY 2025 15.5.25 Forde Bake Sale JUNE 2026 19.6.25 Courtenay Bake Sale JULY 2026 17.7.25 Templar Bake Sale 18.7.25 PTFA Summer Fete

OFFICE NEWS

Please take a look at our new summer school menu and ensure that you pre-book your child's options at home via the MCAS app. If you have any issues with the app, please let Mrs Webber know.





FREE SCHOOL MEALS

With the recent change in Government in the UK, we have been informed that it is possible that there may be a change with new free school meal applications.

Currently if you apply for Free School Meals and you are successful your child is guaranteed to have free school meals until they leave Primary School at the end of Year 6. We have been informed that after **1** *st* **April 2025** this may change and your children would be subject to ongoing checks and if your circumstances change you may no longer be eligible and free school meals would stop.

Therefore, can we please encourage any family who thinks they may be entitled to free school meals (even if your child is in Reception or Key Stage 1 and therefore does not currently pay for their meals), to please apply as soon as possible and before the end of March 2025. If you are successful this will guarantee your child remains eligible until the end of Primary School. You can make the application online at the Devon Citizen Portal Free school meals - Support for schools and settings Alternatively, please email the school at allsaints@lapsw.org and a paper form can be sent home which can be returned to the office who will then submit this for you. Please do remember though, this needs to be before the end of March 2025 to ensure you receive this on an ongoing basis.

If your child is already eligible then you do not need to take any action and your child will remain eligible until the end of Year 6.

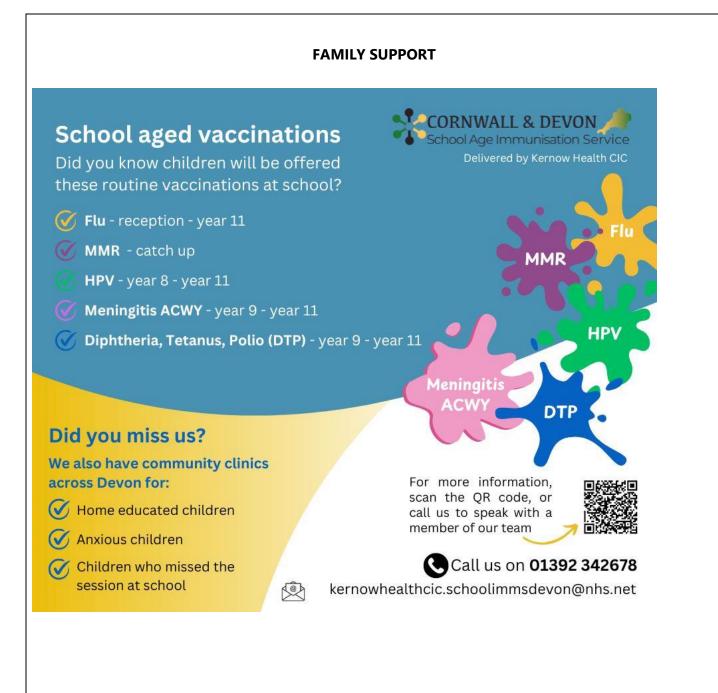
If you have any concerns or questions please do contact the school office.

FACEBOOK

We have changed pages – please follow us at <u>https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsLAP</u> to keep updates with what's going on

PARKING PERMITS

We have bene issued with new car parking permits by the Council. The permits allow you to park in Osborne Street car park for free at pick up and drop off. If you would like a new permit please let Mrs Webber know.



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