



Newquay Primary Academy

NEWS BULLETIN



Over the last two weeks, the academy has had a few hero sightings, from potatoes to police officers!

Joshua Class had a visit from the Police this week. They learnt how they help us in our community, what equipment they use and what uniform they wear. Joshua Class then got to try on various hats before seeing inside the back of the police van and sounding the siren.



Joshua Class also came across some carrots in distress this week! They were inspired by the stories of Supertato, working together with their friends to free the carrots. Each of them created their very own Supertato, to help defeat Evil Pea – fantastic work Joshua Class!



Tamar Class have been creating the most amazing super heros to include within their story writing over the next few weeks. We can not wait to see what these characters will be getting up to.



COMING UP IN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

JOSHUA CLASS

Strange things are afoot in Joshua class. We keep finding vegetables tied up around the classroom. The children are sure it is Evil Pea up to mischief. We are hoping to get busy with Trap building and Wanted posters over the next few weeks to try and catch him!

TAMAR CLASS

Tamar class will be begin their RE unit 'Who do Christians believe created the world?'
As part of this we will be celebrating the Harvest Festival with a visit to Crantock Lodge residential home on Friday 4th October. We will sing our harvest song to the residents and deliver our harvest food donations.
In English we will begin our new book "So Much" and we will learn to retell the story using role play.

SEVERN CLASS

Over the next couple of weeks Severn will be starting their Design Technology and Music units. Within DT the children will look at the eat healthy plate and what constitutes a healthy diet, this will culminate in the creation of a healthy wrap that the children will design, eat and evaluate. For music, Severn will be looking at and learning a range of songs which they would love to share with you all in a few weeks time. We will post the details of our Sing along on Tapestry over the next week or so.

TRENT CLASS

In the next couple of weeks, Trent class will be showing off their sporting prowess. They will be representing the academy at a Netball tournament and a cross-country race. They will be competing against Year 3s from other schools in the community and showing how well they can work as a team. We cannot wait to see the how they do. Good luck Trent!

Safeguarding at Newquay Primary Academy

“Safeguarding is everyone’s responsibility”

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expect every one of our staff, governors and volunteers to share this commitment. Meet our safeguarding team...



Michelle Hall,
Designated Safeguarding Lead



Emily Cowell,
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead



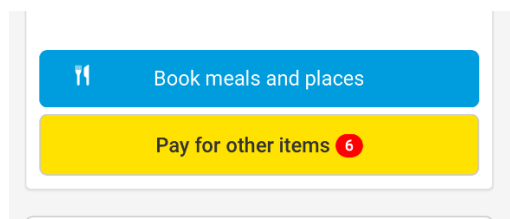
Kate Rose-Lean
Operational Designated Safeguarding L



Tracey Payne
Safeguarding Team

ParentPay – Wraparound bookings

Breakfast Club and After Academy Club bookings will now be found in the yellow box ‘Pay for other items’, while lunches can still be found in the blue box – please see picture below.








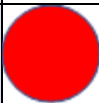
Please don’t forget to select whether you would like your child to have breakfast/and or a snack. If you are having any problems or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the office team.

Please ensure all lunch bookings are placed on ParentPay by Sunday morning for the following week. Chartwells need the weekly lunch choices emailed over to them on a Monday morning. We totally understand that sometimes this may not be possible. If this is the case, please just let the office know.

Wraparound pick ups

If you are picking up your child from wrap-around care, please ring the bell and once inside wait in the foyer area for your child to be brought to you by a member of staff. If you need to speak to the office staff whilst waiting for your child, please return to the foyer area once the office staff have helped you with your enquiry. Please can we also ask that parents do not let in other parents/carers while waiting in the foyer area. This change is in place due to safeguarding requirements, and we thank you for your understanding.

Attendance for Newquay Primary Academy

	Joshua Class: 99.3% Tamar Class: 96.5% Severn Class: 100% Trent Class: 97.9%		Joshua Class: 98.3% Severn Class: 97.6% Trent Class: 99.5%
			Tamar Class: 94.6%
			

Week of 16th September 2024

Week of 23rd September 2024

The academy works closely with the Education Welfare Officer to support families who have low attendance figures. When a child's attendance drops below 90% it is identified as 'persistence absence' and the EWO will contact the family to offer support. Please ensure that your child is in school on time. Arrivals after 8.50am are marked as late in the register. Please contact the academy office if any support is required – we are here to help.

If your child is absent from school without authorisation, you will be committing an offence under the Education Act 1996. We may submit a request to Cornwall Council for a Penalty Notice to be issued, in accordance with Sections 444A and 444B of the said Act. Penalty Notices are issued per liable parent, per child and each carry a fine of £80 if paid within 21 days or £160 if paid after this but within 28 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice may result in legal action. Absence not authorised by the school may result in a prosecution in the Magistrates' Court under Section 444(1) or Section 444(1A) of the Education Act 1996, leading to a fine of up to £2,500 and/or a custodial sentence. Cornwall Council may also apply for the costs incurred in taking the matter to Court. Please see our website for more information on our attendance policy:

[Newquay Primary Academy - Attendance](#)

Office Opening Hours

The academy office opening hours are 8.00am until 3.30pm Monday to Friday. If you need to speak to Mrs Payne in the office, please contact between these hours.

Our teachers are available at the start and end of the academy day at your child's classroom door, please do not hesitate to talk to them if you have a query.

Important dates to remember

Wednesday 2 nd October	Netball Festival	Trent Class
Friday 4 th October	Trip to the Orchard	Joshua Class
Monday 7 th October	School Photos	All Classes
Wednesday 9 th October	Cross Country Event	Tamar, Severn & Trent
Thursday 10 th October	Mental Health Day – wear yellow	All classes
Tue 12 th & Thu 14 th November	Parents Evening – info to follow	All classes
Friday 15 th November	Children in Need	All classes
Friday 18th October: Inset Day		
Monday 21st October Start of the October half term holiday		
Monday 4th November: First day of term		