



# Newquay Primary Academy

## NEWS BULLETIN

### HIGHLIGHTS

Over the last few weeks, Newquay Primary Academy pupils have donned hard hats and high vis jackets to visit the site where their new academy is being built. They were so excited to see where the new classrooms are going to be and get a feel for the size of the building. It has been amazing to see the changes to the building each time we have taken a class up there, with walls and windows going in. All three classes asked the Kier staff lots of great questions and behaved sensibly around the building site. We now cannot wait to see the finished building.



## Newquay Sports Network Olympic Event

Well done to all of our pupils from Severn class who took part in the Newquay Sports Network Olympic event this week. We had six pupils representing us in the swimming and four in the indoor athletics. It was great to see them take on these events with lots of enthusiasm and brilliant sportsmanship. Well done Severn Class, we are all super proud!



## COMING UP IN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

### JOSHUA CLASS

Joshua class have been finding curious things around school, red and yellow feathers, a Jolly Rodger and a real gemstone. Next week they will be meeting some real pirates and will set off on our last adventure of the year!!! Yo-ho-ho!

### TAMAR CLASS

In the next couple of weeks, Tamar class will be continuing on with their topic 'Beside the Seaside'. They will be beginning their unit of geography work, whereby they will be creating their own maps of the local community. They will also be going to visit their Tamar lifeboat in Padstow, with the hope of visiting Trevose Lighthouse, which is what they will be creating in their design and technology lessons this term. What an exciting few weeks to come!

### SEVERN CLASS

Severn class will be completing their ICT and art units over the next couple of weeks. Within computing they will be using Scratch Junior to create short sequences of programming with an outcome. For our art topic, Severn will be focusing on drawing techniques including continuous lines. The children will be experimenting with charcoal for the first time, so prepare for lots of dirty fingers.

Finally on the 26th of June, the children will be visiting Severn lifeboat station in Falmouth. There will be more information about this posted on Tapestry in the next few days, but if you have any questions, please see a member of staff.



## Joshua Class's Sing-a-long Celebration

Joshua Class would like to invite their parents and carers to their end of term sing-a-long celebration. It will be held in their classroom at 2pm on the 25<sup>th</sup> July. Bring your best singing voices!







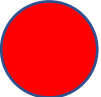
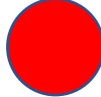
## Parking Reminder

We would like to remind all our parents and carers that to park in one of the Disabled Car Spaces by the front entrance of the academy and WAX you must have a valid Blue Badge to display on the dashboard. We ask for your continued support in parking in the Newquay Primary Academy car park space when dropping off or collecting your child/children. We thank you for your support in this.

## Classrooms for September 2024

We would like to confirm that next year's Severn Class (Year 2) will be in the new classroom from September. Trent Class (Year 3) will stay in the classroom they have been in for Year 2. Tamar Class (Year 1) and Joshua Class (EYFS) will remain the same classrooms.

## Attendance for Newquay Primary Academy

	<b>Tamar Class: 97.4%</b> <b>Severn Class: 98.2%</b>		<b>Joshua Class: 98.8%</b> <b>Severn Class: 98.8%</b>
			<b>Tamar Class: 96.1%</b>
	<b>Joshua Class: 93.8%</b>		

Week of 10<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Week of 17<sup>th</sup> June 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 £60 if paid within 21 days or £120 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.*

## Office Opening Hours

The academy office opening hours are 8.00am until 3.30pm Monday to Thursday and 8.00am until 1.30pm on a 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

Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Transition Day	All Classes
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Pirate Day – see below	Joshua Class
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Visit to Padstow Lifeboat Station	Tamar Class
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Beach School	Joshua Class
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day 1.15pm	All Classes
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Transition Day	All Classes
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Transition Day	All Classes
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Visit to Falmouth Lifeboat Station	Severn Class
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> July	Sing-a-long Celebration	Joshua Class
<b>Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July 2024: End of Summer term</b>		
<b>Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2024: Start of the Autumn Term</b>		

