

School Newsletter 21st May 2021





<u>Mon 31 May</u> Bank Holiday (School Closed)

<u>Tues 1 - Fri 4 June (inclusive)</u> Half-Term Break (School Closed)

<u>Parents' Forum</u> Wednesday 9 June 6.00pm (Online Via Zoom)

<u>Thursday 10 June</u> Reception Screening Programme (Height, Weight & Vision)



Attendance Matters

This Week's AttendanceImage: Second systemImage: Second

Class with the Best Attendance

Most Punctual Class ○ 1L, 2L & 2B ○

Remember how it important it is to be in school all day, every day.

BE ON TIME!

Recently, too many pupils have been arriving late at school in the mornings.

If your child is in Y1, Y2, Y4 or Y6 they <u>must</u> arrive at their classroom door **before 8.50am**. Lessons will then begin.

If your child is in Rec L and Rec B, Y3 or Y5 they <u>must</u> arrive at their classroom door **before 9.00am**. Lessons will then begin.

LATENESS CAUSES MASSIVE PROBLEMS.

If the lesson has already started, pupils who walk in late:

- interrupt learning for others (who are trying to focus and listen).
- interrupt the teaching sometimes the teacher has to start again!
- miss out on learning. This is when gaps start to appear in their learning, which means that they might require extra support later in the lesson and are less able to contribute and follow what's going on.
- feel embarrassed, are overly self-conscious and have a negative start to their school day.

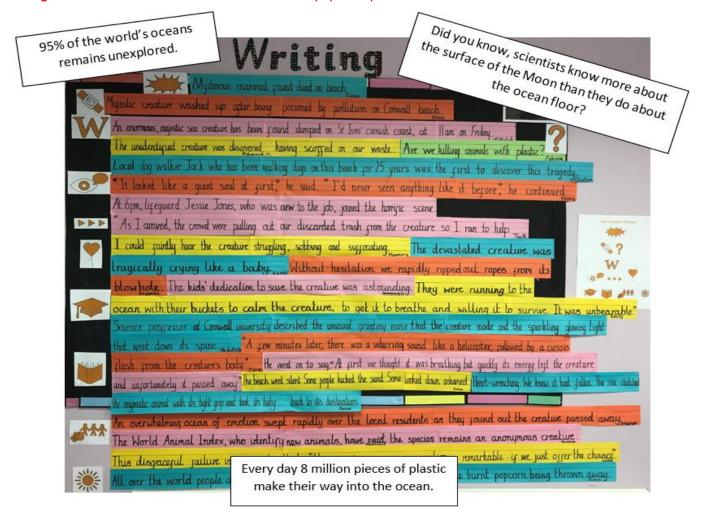
If your children regularly arrive after their start time, then please think about the negative impact that this is having on themselves and others.

Thank you.

Each week, we focus on work undertaken by a different class. It has been the turn of 4L, who ask ...

Are we killing species before they've been discovered?

This term, we have been looking into the problem of plastic pollution. We have written our own newspaper reports to tell the story of an unknown species, which was found washed up on the coast of Cornwall. It was found to have consumed great quantities of rubbish. The children have been using metaphors, similes, repetition, alliteration and personification to make their reports as engaging as possible. Next week, we will be using the skills we have learnt to write a newspaper report of the Titanic.



CORONAVIRUS...

if in doubt, please stay at home and get tested.
if your child or any member of your household shows any COVID symptoms (high temperature, a new, continuous cough, loss or change to your sense of smell or taste), please keep everyone at home until everyone has had a negative test.

REMINDER

If you are under instruction to self-isolate, even if your LFD or PCR test result comes back as negative, you MUST continue to isolate for the whole of the 10 day period.

The isolation period also applies, even if you have been vaccinated.

SELF-ISOLATION MEANS SELF-ISOLATION.

YOU SHOULD NOT HAVE ANY CONTACT WITH ANYONE OUTSIDE YOUR HOME OR SUPPORT BUBBLE.

WE CANNOT STRESS HOW IMPORTANT THIS IS.