

Mevagissey Primary School



Spring Term – Week 21



Attendance

This week at School Headteacher's message

	This week	
Starfish	99.3%	
Dolphin	98.8%	
Lobster	97.2%	
Jellyfish	92.5%	
Seals	98.1%	
Sea Turtles	98.2%	

Dear parents and carers,

What a week! It started on Monday with a busy yet exciting day hosting 18 school leaders from across Devon and Cornwall.

Here's a snippet of an email I received on Tuesday morning from the organizer of the event:

'It was a fantastic day, and the school truly shone. Please do pass on my thanks to all staff and students – the strength of your teaching and learning is tangible and stands as a real example of best practice across the trust.'

We are so proud of how the children and staff represented the school. The visitors spent time in the school and the pre-school; they were blown away by the positive, warm and hardworking attitude of the children and the skill of the staff team.

The visitors wrote their reflections on sticky yellow notes. I have compiled these and wanted to share them with you.

Such fantastic feedback – my personal favourite is 'Children and staff were so kind and respectful to one another'.

While we place huge emphasis, time and training into developing our classroom practice, the importance of relationships and mutual respect will always be at the heart of what we do here.

In the spirit of always wanting to develop what we offer the children here at Mevagissey Primary, I asked the visitors to share some areas of the school they felt we could improve. This sparked discussion around the best use of the library. Could this area be better developed into a space where children choose to spend their time reading, rather than a place they come to just change their books? A good question for us to unpick and think about. Discussions around how we can address this have already begun.

Jellyfish and Lobsters had a super day at the Farm and Country Show. Thank you to all the staff and volunteers who supported on the day and helped the children have such a wonderful, fun and educational experience. Some great photos to enjoy too.

We are excited to announce that we'll be starting a Ukulele Club after the Easter break. This will be a fun and creative way for students to learn an instrument and develop their musical skills.

In order to get started, we would love to know if anyone has a ukulele they'd be willing to donate or loan to the school. If you have one that is no longer being used, please let us know.

Have a great weekend,

Mr Ringrose

99.3%
attendance for
Starfish Class
Well done!!



Whole school feedback.

What do we do well?

SEND

Inclusive / SEN friendly environment

Language

Love your Build-Challenge - Agree
Great sentence stems, high level conversations

- Build, challenge agree

- Build on - Challenge... and on PPT.

Shoutout to R the R/I teacher for passionate and engaging modelling of reading.

Modelling metacognition

* Extremely strong modelling of metacognition.

"Narrating your thinking"

Modelling of reading fluency + expression

Foundation class was great, language rich and great storytelling. The children were hooked.

✓ Loved by consistent delivery. Strong emphasis on student accountability.

✓ Beautifully calm + loving environment.

* Calm classrooms and displays

Learning environments

Classrooms environment - calm, well resourced, consistency in displays to reduce cognitive load.

Calm and welcoming environment and atmosphere

✓ Learning environment - calm, clean and not clinical.

Calm + supportive learning environments

Progression

Progression can be seen throughout from F → Y6

Every classroom felt warm and positive to learn in.

Behaviour

Behaviour for learning is a real strength

Excellent behaviour

Behaviour of the children was exceptional and their confidence shone through!

Consistent teaching

✓ Consistency

- The consistency of all teachers is really impactful

consistent routines making ~~the~~ engagement easy for children

Consistency in delivery across the school.

consistent language across school
- ABC's
- "Track speaker" ✓

Well done 😊

Consistency across the school is incredible

Consistency of teaching amazing

Relationships

- Children + staff were so kind + respectful to one another

Relationships are excellent warm caring expectations clear.

Well resourced

Books, consistently presented - neat + outlooked

Numbered tabs for identifying evidence ✓

♥ Lollypop sticks for reading!

Staff

clearly very experienced staff!



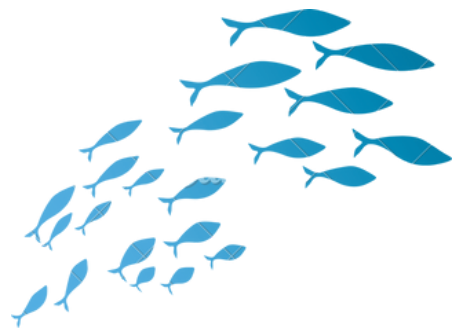
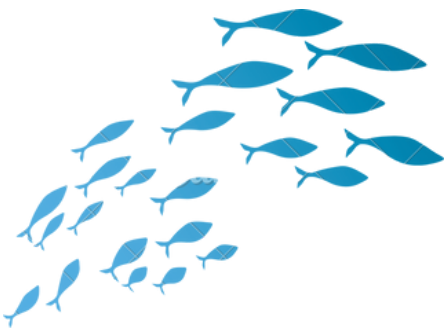
**Yr3 & Yr4
Farm and Country Visit
at The Royal Cornwall
Showground in Wadebridge**





Event and Dates Calendar

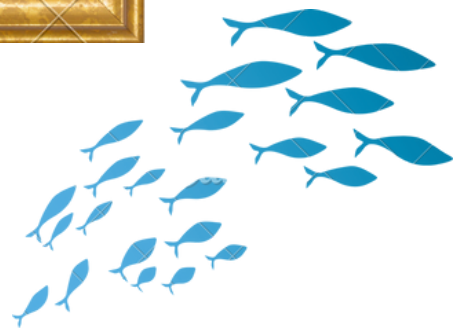
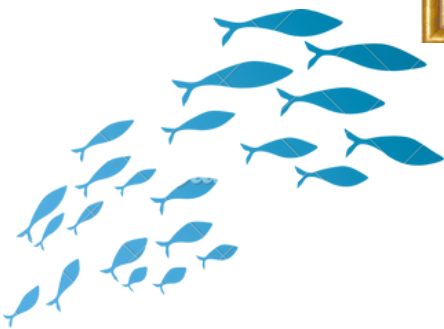
31st March - Parents Evening - please book via eSchools
31st March - Last week of Clubs
1st April - Rocksteady Concert
7th - 21st April - Easter Half Term
22nd April - Start of Term
25th April - Exploding Words visit
28th April - Clubs start
30th April - KS2 Cake Sale
2nd May - Meet the Lifeguards
5th May - Bank Holiday
12th May - Sats Week
22nd May - Junior Life Skills
26th - 30th May - Half Term
3rd June - Class and Sport Photos
5th June - Sports Day
18th June - Reserve Sports Day
11th - 13th June - Yr5 / 6 Barton Hall trip
20th June - Inset Day
23rd June - Inset Day
30th June - 4th July - Yr5 & Yr6 swimming
30th June - 4th July - Mevagissey Feast Week
7th July - Community Cohesion Day off in lieu
9th July - Yr6 Trip
14th - 18th July - Yr5 & Yr5 swimming
15th July - Rocksteady Concert
21st July - Yr6 School Play rehearsal
22nd July - Yr6 School Play - matinee 2pm and evening 6pm
23rd July - Yr6 School Play - evening 6pm
24th July - Leavers Assembly at 2.30pm
25th July - Break for Summer Term



Stars and Citizens of the week



Kindness Cup goes to everyone in the whole school for being respectful when we had our visitors in this week



Science Star of the week
goes to Ameley in Lobster Class



Writer of the Week goes to
Eleanor in Lobster class



Rambashi the pirate is an imaginative pirate
but he can be a bit of a bossy, boats
sometimes. But he can be a bit odd. He
enjoys being greedy, gruesome. His gang of
pirates are the oddest because they have
wooden knives rapped with silver paper
around it.

Rambashi has a funny sense of humor
His gang of pirates are they the
hungriest, moany too because because
they have not eaten in 24 hours and 2
nights and 24 days. He had a boat
& called the Bloody Murderer and he also



Name: eleanor m

🎉 Get Ready for Quiz Night at The Jubilee Hall! 🎉
We can't wait to see you all for a night full of fun, friendly
competition, and great company! 🧠🌟

When: 7:00 PM

📍 Where: The Jubilee Hall

💰 Cost: £3 per person

We've got all the questions ready to test your knowledge, so bring
your A-game! 🧐👏 Plus, don't forget to bring your own drinks and
nibbles to keep you fueled for the night. 🍷🍰

There will be a bottle tombola and exciting raffle prizes, so make
sure you don't miss out on the chance to win big! 🎁🎟

Get your team together and join us for a brilliant night out! See you
there! 🎉

MEVAGISSEY SCHOOL PTFA IN ASSOCIATION WITH LITTLE NIPPERS



PRIZES
TO BE
WON

SATURDAY
22ND
MARCH
7PM
JUBILEE
HALL

QUIZ NIGHT

Put your knowledge to the test at our Quiz Night!
Bring your friends, form a team, and see if you
have what it takes!! £3 per person, bring your
own drink and nibbles. Raffle

Baby Massage

The first Friday of every month

Term time

2 – 3pm



At Mevagissey Primary School

From birth to active crawling

The benefits to baby massage include,

Preventing and alleviating colic

Stimulating brain development

Improved immune system

Physical development

Relief from wind and congestion

Soothing and settling to aid sleep

A wonderful bonding experience



Please bring an oil or cream of your choice and a blanket

Tea, coffee and cake provided

To book a place please email

sfarmer@mev.celtrust.org



Group dates for the year

2nd May

6th June

4th July

