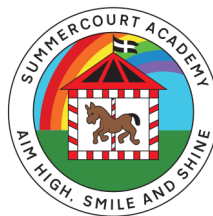


# Summervourt Academy News



Friday 9th December 2019

## CLASS 1

Class 1 have had their dress rehearsal, decorated the class Christmas tree, made Christmas cards and Christmas tree biscuits.





## CLASS 2

In class 2 the children have been using Cusenaire rods to help them understand the value of different coins. This helps them to make an amount of money using different combinations of coins.





### **CLASS 3**

Class 3 have worked very hard during this festive assessment week! We are all very proud of the progress we are making and all of our hard work. Our Stig of the Dump playscripts are now also ready for the final draft and we are looking forward to completing the finished text. The children brought a toy to play with as a reward for filling up the token cylinder again

Our Christmas jumpers brought a lovely flash of colour to the classroom today.



### **KS2 Spelling Competition**

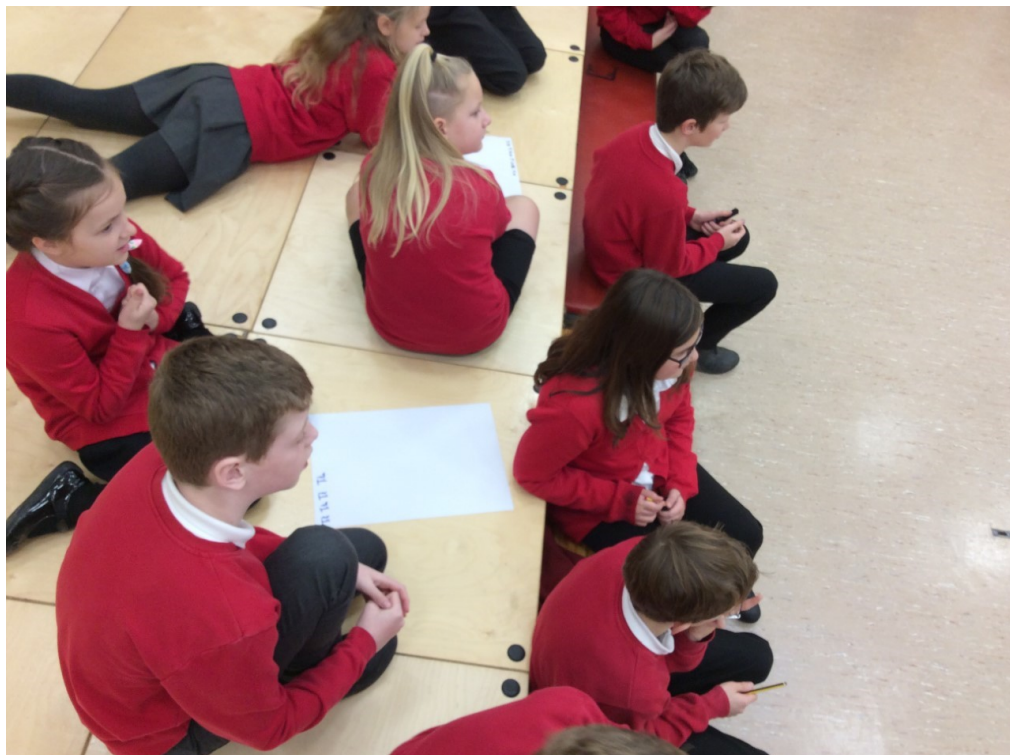
The children in KS2 children have all been working incredibly hard to learn 50 spellings this half term for the KS2 spelling competition. Spelling continues to be an incredibly important part of the English curriculum so everybody is a winner when spelling improves!

We know that many children have worked their absolute socks off and therefore should be incredibly proud of what they have achieved. Well done to everyone, especially those pictured above who scored 40+ out of 50 in their chosen category. The overall winners will be announced next week.



## CLASS 4

Class 4 spent some time this week investigating rhythm and beat using body percussion - led by our very own in-house musician: Mr Ned.





## XMAS LUNCH

Today we had our delicious school Christmas lunch, our kitchen staff worked really hard and everybody enjoyed their meal. We would like to give a big thank you to Mrs Purdie and Ms Herrick who made the lunch a huge success. The children all made Christmas hats to wear, here are a few pictures:





## FREE PARENTING WORKSHOPS

We are hosting a 4 week free Family Learning Workshop available to all our parents. Please join us on Mondays from 9am-10.30am. Any childcare costs incurred for attending the course can be claimed back, see the school office for a claim form. Please contact Becky Nugent in the school office on **01726 860551** to get your places booked. The next workshop will take place on January 13th 2020.

### Reading

“Today's discussions have helped me to understand how children read and I feel more confident in being able to help my child with reading.”

### Writing

“I have gained loads of information to help me support my children with improving and developing their writing skills.”

### Maths

“Such an excellent course, with some great resources to take away with us. We have learnt lots of ideas on how to make maths fun.”

### Computers

“I have gained a shared hobby and interest with my son. He has now learnt how to use the laptop responsibly because of this course.”



“We are always delighted with the response we receive from both parents and children after we have hosted courses/workshops provided by the Cornwall Adult Education Service.

The Family Learning tutor is approachable and friendly and is able to communicate potentially difficult topics to parents with ease. Some of our parents find it difficult to engage but the responses we have to the invitations we send out is usually really positive.

The courses help to raise awareness of topics such as literacy, numeracy and family relationships. The children enjoy attending the workshops with their parents and the improvement in their self-esteem is evident.”

Jo Davidson,  
KS2 SENDCo at Penryn Primary Academy

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## Menu – Week commencing: Monday 16th December

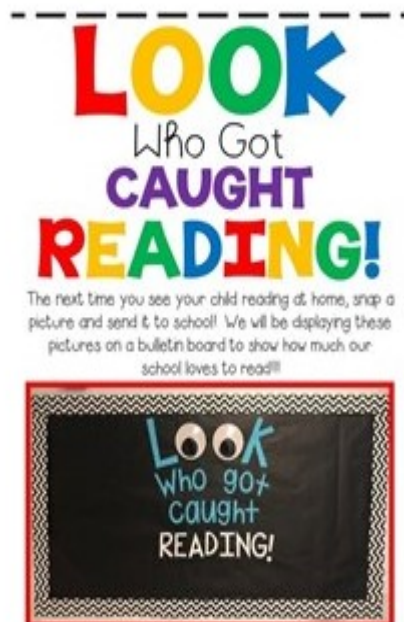
**Monday:** Macaroni Cheese, or Vegetable Pasta Bake, Seasonal Vegetables, Shortbread

**Tuesday:** Mild Chicken Curry or Vegetable Chilli, Wholegrain Rice, Seasonal Vegetables, Apple Cake

**Wednesday:** Roast Gammon or Quorn Roast, Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding, Seasonal Vegetables, Fruit & Oat Slice with Custard

**Thursday:** All Day Breakfast or Vegetarian All Day Breakfast, Beans, Mushrooms & Tomatoes, Ice Cream

**Friday:** Battered Fish or Quorn Dippers, Chips, Salad or Beans & Sweetcorn Jelly



We are loving all your photographs. Please keep them coming. Email your photographs to:  
**[becky.nugent@summercourtacademy.org](mailto:becky.nugent@summercourtacademy.org)**

### **ONLINE SAFETY TALK**

Our IT Aspire Lead will be coming into school to run an online safety talk for parents and carers on Tuesday 21st January 2020 from 2:30pm-3:10pm, anyone interested is welcome to attend.



### **FOREST SCHOOL**

The Forest school provision has ended for Class 2 and begins for Class 3 on Monday 13th January 2020.

Can you make sure you send children to school with waterproofs and wellies if they are attending, thank you.



# DIARY DATES

**Mon 16th December**-Class 1 & 2 Nativity—2pm

**Tues 17th December**-Class 1 & 2 Nativity—9.30am

**Wed 18th December**—KS2 Christmas Performance, 2pm

**Thurs 19th December**- KS2 Christmas Performance-5.30pm

**Fri 20th December**—Class Christmas Celebrations, bring in a snack to watch a movie before lunchtime

**Fri 20th December** - Last day of Autumn Term - 2pm Finish

**Mon 6th January 2020** -Inset Day

**Tues 7th January 2020** - Children return to school

**Tues 21st January 2020** - Online Safety Talk, school hall- 2.30pm-3.10pm

We will be closed to pupils for all of the following dates.-Inset dates

**Monday 6th January 2020**

Monday 1st June 2020

**Friday 14th February 2020**

Thursday 23rd July 2020

## Star Awards



### ATTENDANCE

**CLASS 1: 100%**

**CLASS 3: 95.4%**

**CLASS 2: 98.4%**

**CLASS 4: 97.3%**

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