Summercourt Academy News





Friday 7th February 2020

CLASS 1

Class 1 have been busy this week painting our magic train ride pictures, in maths we have been using pennies to buy things up to the value of 10p. We created simple pattern work. We have also had lots of fun using the apparatus in PE.











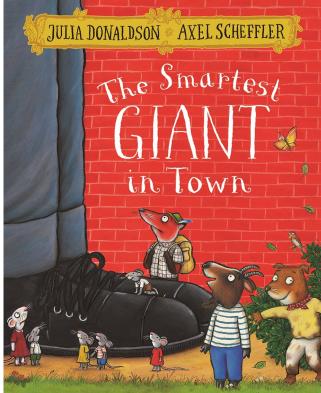


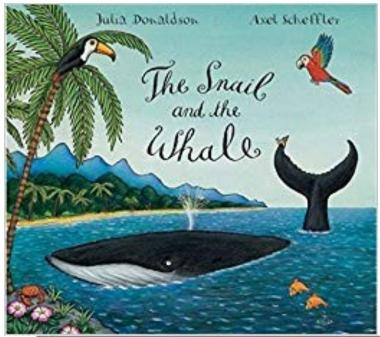


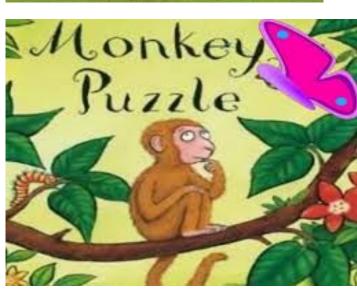


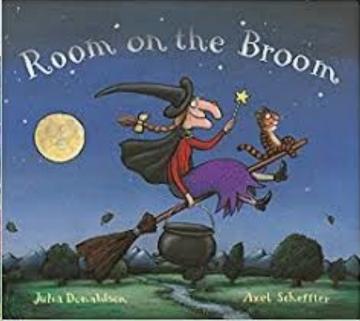
This week, class 2 have been enjoying reading many stories by Julia Donaldson. The children loved to identify rhyming words and joined in with repeating patterns in each story. They've also recognised many animal facts that they have learned so far in the stories. They are now planning their own animal stories with a repeating pattern to tell next week.











This week, Class Three have been learning about Martin Luther King and his fight for equality. We were shocked to learn about segregation in America and how badly people were treated just because of their skin colour. After listening to his famous 'I Have a Dream' speech, we thought about our own dreams for a better world and then wrote our own versions. We have continued to learn about environmental causes and what we can to do help protect our planet. Lots of us decided to complete additional homework about symbiotic relationships in the animal kingdom. Ruan even created a model crocodile with a little Egyptian Plover bird perched on his teeth!

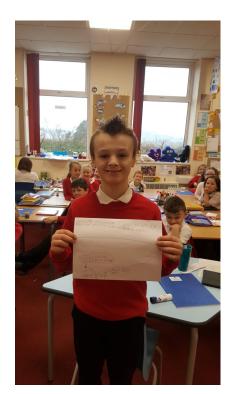


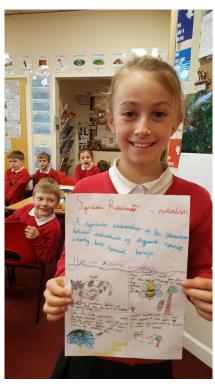




















DESERT CLIMATE



The largest hold desert in the world is the sebara desert in north rifties. This desert looks just like the kind we think of. There are lots of high send dunes.

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Even though deserts have severe weather, there are a few erreatures and plants who like to call it home.

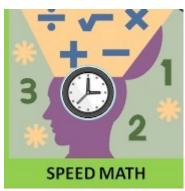
You get shrubs and cacit in the desert only come out a night, meaning they're nocturnal, as it's too hot to go out there during the day.

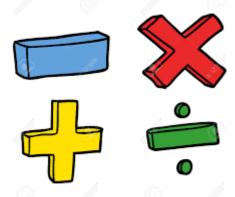


Class 4 have enjoyed a morning of 'speed arithmetic', where the children in Y6 were able to spend five minutes each with children in Y5, and guide them through any misconceptions or even new areas of learning.









FOREST SCHOOL

Please note due to unforeseen circumstances there will be no Forest school on Monday 24th February after we return from half term. We will resume for the last session for Class 3 on Monday 2nd March 2020.





FREE COURSES

For parents & carers of children upcoming Courses at Summercourt Academy

Free Nursery Care available for younger siblings

Sign up for courses with Becky Nugent (school office) 01726 860551

For further information please contact your Family Learning tutor:

Chris Bevington

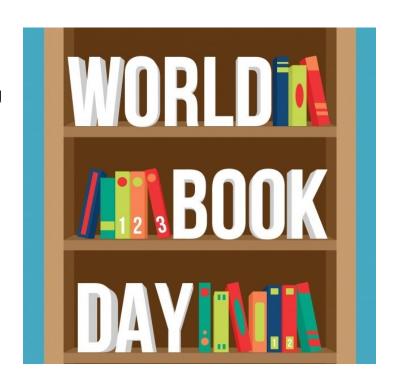
Email: chris.bevington@cornwall-acl.ac.uk or tel: 07483319945

Mon Feb 24 to Mon Mar 16	9.00 – 10.30
our child will do in their SATs test	and try out
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Mon Apr 13 to Mon May 4	9.00 – 10.30
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WORLD BOOK DAY

On Thursday 5th March we are inviting all children to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. We would love them to bring in a book to read from home during the day.





END OF TERM SCHOOL DISCO

We will be having an end of term whole school disco on Thursday 13th February from 6.00-7.30pm in the school hall. £2 per person, no tickets will be issued, pay on arrival, snacks will be available to purchase. A letter for consent will go home next week.

ASSEMBLY INVITATION

We would like to invite parents to come and join our class assemblies on the following dates:

Class 1 and Class 2:

Tuesday 24th March at 2.30pm

Class 3 and Class 4:



SCHOOL FOOTWEAR

Can you make sure children come in to school in the correct footwear, no trainers, canvas shoes or boots please. If you are unsure please see our uniform policy on our school website for guidance, thank you.

https://www.summercourtacademy.org/web/school_uniform/227237

FREE PARENTING WORKSHOPS

We are hosting a 4 week free Family Learning Workshops 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. This week we have emailed out to all our parents the list of subjects available, paper copies are also available from the school office.

Reading

66 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

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

Maths

66 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

⁶⁶I have gained a shared hobby and interest with my son. He has now learnt how to use the laptop responsibly because of this course.



⁶⁴We are always delighted with the response we receive from both parents and children after we have hosted courses/workshops provided by the Comwall 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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with your local link into learning

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Menu – Week commencing: Monday 10th February 2020

Monday: Macaroni Cheese, or Pesto Pasta, Seasonal Vegetables, Ice Cream

Tuesday: All Day Breakfast, Vegetable Chilli, Wholegrain Rice, Seasonal Vegetables, Apple Cake

Wednesday: Roast Gammon or Quorn Roast, Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding, Seasonal Vegetables,
Fruit Crumble with Custard

Thursday: Fishfingers, Veggie Sausages, Chips, Salad or Beans & Sweetcorn Jelly







February Half Term Holidays Activities Farm Fun Day

Thursday 20th February 2020

10.00am - 14.00pm £30 per person

 Meet the animals · Woodland based activities · Den building · Tractor fun · Outdoor games · Toasting marshmallows · And much more!

Booking essential as places are limited and any cancellations made with less than 48 hours' notice will require full payment, sadly we will not be able to refill your place.

Suitable outdoor footwear and appropriate warm waterproof clothes are essential.

Please remember to bring a packed lunch, snacks and a drink.

To book your place please ring **07948404986** or email hazel@hugsfoundation.org.uk
Quote code **Farm01** for a prize on the day

SENIOR CITIZENS OPEN DAY

Wednesday 19th February 2020 12.00 Noon-3.00pm

Join the HUGS Team and all the amazing animals in their picturesque surroundings. Enjoy some light refreshments and social interaction. Entrance £5.00 donation per person.

Please be aware we are a working farm, if you have any mobility needs or require further information please ring 07948404988 or 07948404986

The Hugs Foundation, Higher Whitley Farm, Helland Road, Bodmin, PL31 2NT.

Website: www.hugsfoundation.org.uk

DIARY DATES

Monday 10th Feb 2020 —Class 2 Trip to Newguay Zoo (school uniform pls)

Wednesday 12th Feb 2020- SATS Meeting ,Class 4 parents, 3.30pm

Thursday 13th Feb 2020—Children break up for half term

Thursday 13th Feb 2020— Whole School End of Term Disco 6-7.30pm, £2 p/p

Friday 14th Feb 2020 —Inset Day

Monday 24th Feb 2020 — Children return to school

Monday 24th Feb 2020—KS2 SATS couse, school Hall (book a place)

Friday 28th Feb 2020 - Class 1 trip to Callestick Farm, Truro

Thursday 5th March 2020- World Book Day

Week commencing Monday 9th March—No after School Clubs this week

Wednesday 11th March 2020- Parent Meetings 3.30pm-6.30pm

Thursday 12th March 2020- Parent Meetings 3.30-6.00pm

ATTENDANCE

CLASS 1: 97.1%

CLASS 3: 95.4%

CLASS 2: 97.5% CLASS 4: 96%

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