



School Bulletin Friday 12th June 2026

Notenn a-dhia Penndhyskader / Note from the Headteacher

It has been an inspirational week here in school as testing season continues with our year 4 multiplication checks and year 1 phonics screening. The work put in by you, our parents and carers alongside teaching staff and the children themselves has meant that all have been able to fully meet their potential.

We have a great school community and although I am not the biggest fan of the amount of testing we have to do I always feel assured we have the right team for our children to succeed.

Mr Cooper – Headteacher

Attendance: 8th June – 12th June - Whole School 97.7%

For all CELT schools this attendance threshold is set at 96% in line with national attendance data.

Ash	Beech	Sycamore	Oak
100%	97.4%	98.2%	96.1%

Thank you for your support in ensuring your children are in school regularly and making the most of their educational opportunities. Congratulations to the winners – **Ash class!**

Thank You to PALS

A huge THANK YOU to PALS for helping us fund our brand new tablets. We managed to secure an extra 14 tablets so now, as a school, we have a whole class set of 33. This is an essential technological tool supporting our classwork and really helps deepen and extend our learners education.



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Pandr'a Hwarva?/What's been happening?





Go Cornish

Dydh da/hello



This week our words/phrases are:

Ash and Beech	Oak and Sycamore
rudhvelyn (pronounced ruth-vellin) orange	du (pronounced doo) black

The Great Cornish Show

This year sees the return of the Great Luxulyan Cornish Show on Saturday 18th July from 10.30am to 1pm.

There will be 5 categories this year

Category 1: Piece of art (Cornish themed) – maximum size A3

Category 2: Photograph of somewhere in Cornwall – maximum size A4

Category 3: Cornwall in miniature (3D model) – maximum base size A4

Category 4: Decorated stone (Cornish themed)

Category 5: Best dressed fruit or vegetable (Cornish themed)

Three age groups for each category: 3 to 7, 8 to 12, 13 to 99+

All entries must be clearly labelled with the name and age of the entrant (age only needed if under 16).

Entries can be dropped in between 10.30am and 11.30am. The judging will take place at 11.30am and once this is finished people will be able to come in, see the entries and find out who the winners are. There will also be a raffle with proceeds going to the Cornish Heritage Trust.

The show is part of a wider event happening at school that morning - more details to follow.

Oll an gwella/All the best
Kryw Kernewek

School Closure Reminder

FRIDAY 3rd JULY - staff INSET day. School closed to pupils for staff training.



Ash Class have taken part in a competition (open to Reception children across the country) and have all been chosen to have their artwork included in a book called Nature Explorers. Well done Ash Class!

Wraparound Clubs

- A reminder to please book wraparound clubs by the **Thursday** for the following week/s.

After School (Treetops) Wraparound Times Reminder

From Monday 15th June we will begin the new offer of 3:15-4:45pm and you will see these booking options on parent pay.

You will be given 2 choices: 3:15-4:15pm at the usual rate of £5 and then a second booking option of 30 minutes - 4:15-4:45pm at £2.50.





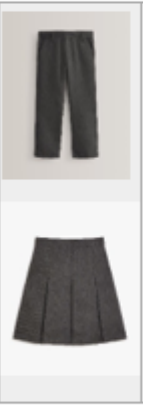
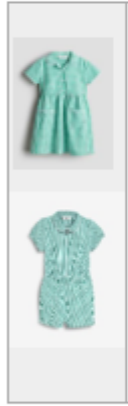


School Uniform Reminder

The new and updated uniform policy is now available on the school website. It has some updates on places to source clothing plus guidelines around what is mandatory and what is optional.

In the short term we are noticing the following areas where we need your support.

- 1) long hair needs to be tied back and out of the face.
- 2) hooped or dangling earrings are a hazard and should not be worn.
- 3) nail varnish needs removing
- 4) jewellery such as rings and bracelets are a hazard and should not be worn.



Your support and understanding is appreciated but please let us know if you are having any issues in complying with the uniform policy.

General Uniform			
	<p>Jumper / Cardigan Bottle green jumper, fleece or cardigan with school logo. Available from Screenprint (St Austell), or Schooltrends.</p> <p>A plain bottle green alternative from any retailer is equally acceptable.</p>		<p>Polo Shirt / Shirt Plain white polo shirt (no logo required). Available from any retailer or supermarket.</p>
	<p>Trousers / Skirt / Pinafore Grey tailored trousers, shorts, skirts or pinafore dress. Skirts must be knee length or longer. No jeans, leggings or tracksuit-style trousers.</p>		<p>Summer Dress Green gingham dress or playsuit — summer term only. No logo required — available from any retailer or supermarket.</p>
	<p>Socks / Tights Plain black, white or grey socks, or grey or green tights. Plain white socks with summer dresses.</p>		<p>Coat Any suitable waterproof coat with hood. No branded requirement — any colour or retailer.</p>





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	Shoes Plain black, leather or leather-look, formal style. No trainers, boots, heels or coloured trim.
	


PE Kit


	PE Top Plain green t-shirt Optional PE hoodie with school logo
	

	PE Shorts / Bottoms Plain black shorts or joggers/tracksuit bottoms in colder weather. No logo required.
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	Trainers Safe, sturdy trainers of any colour or black velcro plimsolls. Any brand.
	

Hair, Jewellery and Appearance

	Hair Long hair (shoulder length or longer) must be tied back. Natural colour only. No extreme styles, tram lines, or very short grades.
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	Jewellery One pair of plain small ear studs only. Studs must be removed for PE. No other jewellery. No smart watches.
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Where to Buy

Non-branded items All non-branded items can be purchased from any retailer, including supermarkets such as Asda, Tesco and Sainsbury's.
Branded / logoed items Screenprint, 72 Stennack Road, St Austell PL25 3JQ 01726 68689 School Trends (online only) Luxulyan Primary School Uniform
Pre-loved / second-hand uniform Pre-loved uniform is available from PALS (our PTA) at school events such as summer and Christmas fayres. Contact the school office to enquire about availability. If your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium and you need support with uniform costs, please contact us in confidence.

Please ensure all clothing is clearly labelled with your child's name.



Free School Meals Auto Award Scheme from August 2026 – Message from Cornwall Council

From August 2026, Cornwall Council will introduce a new way to help more children receive the free school meals they are entitled to. This approach is called Free School Meals auto award.

They will use information it already holds to identify pupils who may be eligible for free school meals.

Families will have the right to opt out of the Free School Meals checker being run against their details.

If you do not respond within a two-week window, the checker will be run and, if eligible, your child will be registered for free school meals.

Why this is changing

From September 2026, the Department for Education (DfE) will change the eligibility criteria for free school meals:

- All households on Universal Credit will qualify. Income limits will no longer apply
- Free school meal entitlement will no longer be 'protected' once awarded. Instead, eligibility will need to be checked at the start of each new school year

To support these changes and reduce administrative burden on families and schools, they will introduce an 'Auto Award' system.

- All existing claims will be rechecked before the start of each new academic year
- Checks will also run each term to find pupils who have become eligible
- If a family's situation changes between checks, they can still apply using the Synergy Enquiry system

Why this change matters

Free school meals supports families on lower incomes. However, many children who are eligible are not currently registered.

Some families do not apply because:

- They feel stigma
- They face language barriers
- They do not realise they are eligible

National estimates suggest that up to 11% of eligible children are missing out. The free school meals auto award approach will help reduce this gap. It will help make sure every eligible child can receive a healthy meal each school day.

For schools, this also means receiving the full amount of Pupil Premium funding for children eligible for targeted free school meals. DfE information around the revised eligibility and funding can be found here: [Free school meals: guidance for local authorities, local -authority-maintained schools, academies and free schools](#)



How the Free School Meals auto award will work

Bringing together the data:

They will securely bring together data held across different Council teams to identify pupils who may be entitled to free school meals, but are not yet registered

Checking the data:

They will review the combined data and look for families:

- with school-aged children
- who receive certain government-specified benefits

Contacting families:

They will send the families who are potentially eligible a letter explaining:

- what free school meals are
- the benefits of these
- our plan to run the eligibility checker against their details

The letter will also explain how families can opt out if they prefer we do not do this.

Registering pupils:

Once the opt-out period ends, they will remove the records of those families who opted out and run the eligibility checker on the remaining records. All of the eligible records will then be registered for free school meals and supported through the usual Department for Education process.

Year 5 – Bikeability

On the 13th-17th July, year 5 pupils will have the opportunity to participate in the government's national cycle training programme (Bikeability). This teaches the practical skills and understanding of how to cycle safely on roads.

Please see our Dojo post and email sent home on 5th June which has all the information and use the QR code or URL link within it to give your consent for your child to participate.

Please contact the school office about Bikeability Balance and Bikeability Learn to Ride if your child can't already cycle.

The deadline for booking is: 20th June 2026 [Bikeability Link](#)



Pupil Spotlight

Well done to Marnie, who recently joined a gymnastics club and has already been taking part in competitions!

Keep up the fantastic work, Marnie!

If your child takes part in any activities outside of school and deserves a special shout-out, please send us a photo and a brief description so that we can celebrate and praise their achievements too.



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School Age Immunisation Service

NHS

Did you know children are offered these routine vaccinations at school?

- ✓ **FLU:** Reception - Year 11
- ✓ **MMR:** Catch-up
- ✓ **HPV:** Year 8 - Year 11
- ✓ **Meningitis ACWY:** Year 9 and Year 11
- ✓ **Diphtheria, Tetanus, Polio (DTP):** Year 9 - Year 11

FLU

MMR

HPV

**MENINGITIS
A,C,W,Y**

**DIPHTHERIA,
TETANUS,
POLIO (DTP)**

Did you miss us?

We also run community clinics across Cornwall and Devon for:

- ✓ Home educated children
- ✓ Anxious children
- ✓ Children who missed the session at school



Contact us for further information, to check your child's vaccination status, or book a catch up clinic:

01872 221105



Dedhyow rag'as Dydhlyver / Dates for your Diary 2025-2026

22 nd April	Beech Class - Cornish Pirates session begin on Tuesday's (1st half of Summer term)
23 rd April	Music Lessons begin after Easter holidays on Thursday's
27 th April	All after school clubs begin
1 st May	Baby calves visit to Ash Class
4 th May	May Bank Holiday – School closed
5 th May	No Wraparound Club and Musical Theatre club available
6 th May	Parent/Carer Forum – after school
11 th – 14 th May	Year 6 - SATS Week
15 th May	Poltair Year 6 Transition Visit – Luxulyan School
21 st May	Outdoor Classroom day
25 th – 29 th May	May Half Term – School closed
5 th June	Community Cohesion Day – School closed
9 th June	Penrice Year 6 Transition Visit – Luxulyan School
11 th June	Oak Class – London Residential Information Meeting – after school
15 th June	New end time to Treetop Wraparound Club commences Sycamore Class – Porthpean residential trip information meeting
16 th June	No Musical Theatre After School Club
22 nd June	New EYFS children 2026/27 – Parents/Carers Information Meeting 5pm
25 th June	Ash Class/Oak Choir – Go Cornish Event trip Truro
30 th June	New EYFS children 2026/27 – Stay and Play session with a parent/carer 2.15pm – 3pm
3 rd July	INSET day – School closed
7 th July	New EYFS children 2026/27 – Stay and Play session with a parent/carer 2.15pm – 3pm
7 th – 9 th July	Oak Class - London Residential Trip <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5th payment instalment: 31st May Year 6 - Transition Day – Poltair School
13 th – 17 th July	Year 5 Bikeability
15 th – 17 th July	Sycamore Class - Porthpean Residential Trip <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4th payment instalment: 30th June
16 th July	New EYFS children 2026/27 – Transition Morning: 10.30am – 11.30am
23 rd July	New EYFS children 2026/27 – Transition Afternoon: 1.30pm – 3pm
20 th – 24 th July	Whole School Activity Week



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 21st July: Sports Day • 23rd July: Year 6 trip to Adrenalin Quarry
27th July – 3rd September	Summer Holidays – School closed
1st – 2nd September	INSET Days – School closed
3rd September	Start of 1 st Half of Autumn Term 2026 – School open New EYFS children 2026/27 – Parent and child ‘All About Me’ Meetings
4th September	New EYFS children 2026/27 – Parent and child ‘All About Me’ Meetings
7th September	New EYFS children 2026/27 – All children in for morning session
8th September	New EYFS children 2026/27 – All children in for morning plus lunch session
9th September	New EYFS children 2026/27 - All children in full time

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