



School Bulletin Friday 25th September 2026

Notenn a-dhia Penndhyskader / Note from the Headteacher

You might wonder what a typical day in our school looks like. Of course, we have our timetable and set routines around what goes where and what happens when. One of the biggest pleasures for me is the ability build in opportunities throughout the day for the more spontaneous moments that are a part of the life of supporting children from the ages of 4-11. I really enjoy the conversations across the school at break and lunchtimes and in our busy lives and schools they must be preserved. Take the opportunity to grab some of those unscheduled conversations with your children this week and go with the flow!

In partnership,

Mr Cooper – Headteacher

Attendance: 21st September – 25th September - Whole School 99.4%

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

Ash	Beech	Sycamore	Oak
99.3%	100%	98.1%	100%

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 – **Beech and Oak class!**

Keslowena/Congratulations to our Celebration Award Winners – this week

Ash	Star of the Week – Elsie V Superstar Learner – Bella B
Beech	Star of the Week – Bogdan H Superstar Learner – Harrison D
Sycamore	Star of the Week – Elliot T Superstar Learner – Danny-Paul A
Oak	Star of the Week – Firstone M Superstar Learner – Edward D

Wraparound Clubs

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



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





Go Cornish

This year we will be having a phrase of the month for the children rather than a word of the week. This was a suggestion from last year's Kryw Kernewek. Here is our first one.

We are also starting to think about our new Kryw Kernewek for this academic year. We have a member from each year group from Year 1 to Year 6. If this is something your child would be interested in, please encourage them to speak to their class teacher.

Phrase of the Month
Mis Gwynngala / September



Ow hanow yw...
(ow hanow ew)
My name is...

Term Time Holiday Reminders

Many thanks for the focus you all place on excellent attendance at Luxulyan. We ended last year in the top 10% of schools nationally and number 7 in Cornwall out of 236 schools. Thankyou.

As we have had several requests recently for term time holidays I thought it would be worth reminding you of the procedure adopted in the trust.

Firstly, we do understand the pressures faced by families around holiday costs and also seasonal working for some of our families. These pressures can affect a decision to request absence and there are occasions where we can authorise for these EXCEPTIONAL reasons.

Under normal circumstances we cannot authorise a holiday.

Furthermore, if the holiday runs to 5 consecutive days or 10 sessions over a 10 week rolling period then we are asked to communicate that your absence meets the threshold for consideration of a fine and will be referred to Cornwall Council who may decide to issue that fine.

Please consider very carefully before requesting extended periods of absence.



Oak Class: Wheal Martyn Trip

Oak Class have been offered an exciting trip to Wheal Martyn to attend a Inspiring Futures STEM (Science, technology, engineering and mathematics) day.

This trip will take place on Tuesday 6th October 2026 and the day will run 9:30am-2:30pm.

We have looked at school providing transport (which is often reasonably high cost) and will keep you informed whether this may be available.

Currently we are requesting parents/carers to drop off and collect their children from Wheal Martyn. Drop off would need to be by 9:30am and collection would need to be around 2:30pm. Please let us know if you have any issues with this arrangement.

Harvest Festival – Monday 12th October 2026

As part of our Harvest Festival celebrations, we will once again be collecting donations of non-perishable food items for St Austell Foodbank.

They are currently urgently in need of:

- Tinned meat
- Tinned fruit
- Tinned custard
- Tinned vegetables
- Tinned potatoes
- Long-life fruit juice
- Cup-a-Soup
- Chocolate and treats

If each child could bring in at least one item on Monday 12th October, we would be incredibly grateful. Every donation, however small, will make a difference to local families.

Thank you so much for your support.
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Dedhyow rag'as Dydhlyver / Dates for your Diary 2026-2027	
1 st – 2 nd September	INSET Days – School closed
3 rd September	Start of 1 st Half of Autumn Term 2026 – School open
7 th September	New EYFS children 2026/27: All children in for morning session
8 th September	New EYFS children 2026/27: All children in for morning plus lunch session
9 th September	New EYFS children 2026/27: All children in full time
14 th September	Read, Write Inc sessions: 2.30pm and 5pm
24 th September	School Photos - Individual
6 th October	Oak Class: Wheal Martyn Trip
12 th October	Whole School: Harvest Festival
19 th October – 30 th October	October Half Term – School closed
6 th November	Year 3 and 4: Truro Museum trip
21 st December – 1 st January 2027	Christmas Holidays – School closed
15 th February – 19 th February 2027	February Half Term – School closed
22 nd February – 26 th February	Oak Class: Swimming and Tennis Week
1 st March – 5 th March	Year 3 and Year 4: Swimming and Tennis Week
26 th March – 9 th April	Easter Holidays – School closed
3 rd May	May Bank Holiday – School closed
19 th – 21 st May 2027	Oak Class: Barton Hall Residential Trip
24 th – 26 th May 2027	Year 3 and 4: Porthpean Residential Trip
31 st May – 4 th June 2027	May Half Term – School closed
26 th July – 2 nd September 2027	Summer holidays – School closed

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