



ST ERTH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

31st January 2025

This Week's Celebrations

OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

GODREVY: Mason
FISTRAL: Noah B
MOUSEHOLE: Eadie
TREEN: Bobbie



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



BIRTHDAY WISHES THIS WEEK GO TO:

ROGER AND EZRA

WE HOPE YOU HAD AN AMAZING DAY!

Assemblies

This week we were talking about reading as it is our new focus! Thinking about where reading can take us, we discussed the famous Socrates quote - '*I am the wisest man alive, for I know one thing and that is that I know nothing.*' and the knowledge we can gain from reading. This links to our British Value of Individual Liberty - we have the freedom to make our own choices and can empower ourselves through reading. Mr Coleman shared that he had never met a dragon or lived in Victorian Times but through reading he has experienced those things! If you read for 5 minutes every day you will be exposed to 282,00 words per year and if you read for 20 minutes every day that number reaches 1.8 million words per year!!!!



Football Fixtures

Next week's match is against St Hilary School, venue to be confirmed.



Reminders

If you haven't already done so please remember to:

- Pay your deposit for the Y5/6 Residential

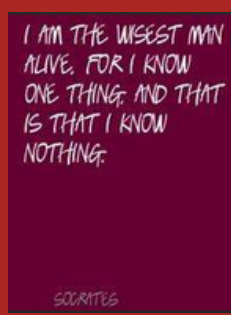
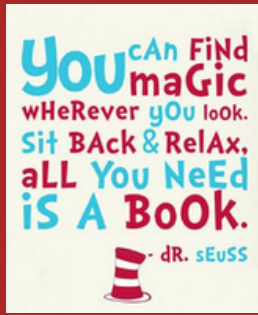
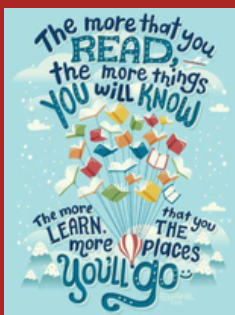


REMEMBER!

Please log in to Parent Pay and clear any outstanding debts. We still have overdue Payments for the Geevor Mine trip - the postponed Zoo trip and Key Stage 2 swimming. There are also some very large outstanding payments due for Lunches and Breakfast Club. Thanks so much for your help in reducing this debt for the school.



ParentPay



Awesome!

Match Report

Look out for Match reports for these upcoming Girls Football Team fixtures!!

| Date | Venue | Match |
|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| 4th February 2025 | TBC | St Erth v St Hilary |
| 11th February 2025 | TBC Bodriggy or St Erth | St Erth v Bodriggy |
| 25th February 2025 | Mounts Bay Academy | St Erth v Mousehole |
| 4th March 2025 | Mounts Bay Academy | St Erth v Alverton |
| 11th March 2025 | TBC St Erth or Gulval | St Erth v Gulval |
| 18th March 2025 | Mounts Bay Academy | St Erth v Trythall |

Fistral Trip to Geevor Mine

Fistral Class spent Wednesday in the very West of Cornwall - where despite the cold and windy day they had a spectacular time learning all about Cornish Mining History. Through role play, panning for gems and the singing of traditional Cornish Songs they were fully immersed in our mining heritage.



DON'T FORGET

That our uniform policy (which can be found on the website) states that:

No jewellery, except stud earrings, should be worn in School.

Please ensure that children aren't coming in wearing necklaces or bracelets - as well as the risk of losing precious items they could present a safety risk.

Thanks so much for your cooperation.



INSET Days

Following the letter that came out last week - the final inset day for 25/26 will be Friday 24th July 2026


Request for Forest School Equipment

Please see the attached letter with a list of items that you may have lying around at home that would be really useful for our outdoor learning. Thanks in advance for anything you may be able to donate to further enhance the children's learning experience.



LOCAL EVENTS AND OPPORTUNITIES

1, 2, 3, 4
we declare a



PENNY WAR!

Next week each class will have a collection bucket for you to fill with coins (coppers or silver).
The class with the heaviest bucket will win a special treat!

MONDAY 3RD - FRIDAY 14TH FEB

FOSS Presents PENNY WAR



STUDY SMART Free Online Courses | **aspire Education** | **ncfe** | **cache** | **Education & Skills Funding Agency**

Fully Funded School Support Course



Available in Levels 1, 2 & 3

*Please go to our website for more detailed information.

6 Week Course Mon - Fri
Daily sessions
1st session 9:30 - 11:30am
2nd session 12:30 - 2pm

www.studysmartuk.online

We are looking to fill 150+ School Support vacancies in local schools (e.g. Teaching Assistants, SEN Support, Behaviour Mentors, 1-1 Classroom Support, Cover Supervisors etc). These roles are available in both full time and part time positions.

Please go to our website address given above, or scan the QR code for more information.



These are 6 week courses, full time, intensive courses, with online guided learning sessions within school hours.
If you are earning less than £23,500 per annum or are in receipt of any benefits, you will be eligible for a fully funded place with us.

Upcoming Community Events

- St Erth Community Cafe - Friday's 12-3pm in the Church Hall
- Farmers Market - Saturdays 10 -12 am
- Messy Church - Sunday Feb 2nd - 4-6pm - Methodist Church Hall



Getting involved, just a little bit!

Can you spare half an hour or an hour once a year? Every pair of hands means events can run to raise funds for the school to benefit the children.

Can't fully commit but would like to help out where you can? We understand! The smallest of help is all it takes.

Please click on the red button below to be added to our volunteers WhatsApp group to get event info and make suggestions (no chat necessary, just event info and sign up sheets!).

GET STARTED →

Red button link can be found in the PTA Lite attached!!



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE



GODREVY: 95.33% FISTRAL: 94.84% MOUSEHOLE: 94.76% TREEN: 98.55%

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|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Tuesday 4th February | Netball Match at Mounts Bay |
| Wednesday 5th February | Year 2 Swimming |
| Wednesday 12th February | Year 2 Swimming |
| Wednesday 12th February | Treen Trip to Newquay Zoo |
| Wednesday 12th February | SEND after school club |
| Tuesday 4th March | Netball Match at Mounts Bay |
| Wednesday 12th March | SEND after school club |
| Tuesday 18th March | Netball Match at Mounts Bay |

INSET DAYS for 2024/2025 Academic Year

Monday 24th February 2025

Wednesday 23rd July 2025

Clothes Bin

The Clothes Bin is currently full - we are awaiting a collection and will let you all know when it is available again,. In the meantime please don't leave bags of clothes next to the bin - thanks!

Additional Items Attached:

Online Safety Newsletter - February

Letter about resources needed for forest school/outdoor learning

**** ST ERTH SCHOOL IS A NUT FREE SCHOOL ****

Caring, Sharing, Preparing for Life