



# Landulph School Newsletter

## Together in Adventure and Discovery

12th January 2024

### A message from Mrs Ball...

The spring term is off to a great start and the children have begun exploring their topic for the term ahead. Thank you to all of you who were able to attend the 'meet the teacher' event on Wednesday, we hope it gave you an insight into what your child will be learning and how you can support them.

**Class 1 – Where did the dinosaurs go?**

**Class 2 – Where in the world is Europe?**

**Class 3 – What are we?**

Topic overviews, knowledge organisers and home learning grids will be appearing in your 'inbox' today and will also be available on our school website.

A **knowledge organiser** is a set of key facts or information that your child needs to know and be able to recall in order to 'master' a unit of work or topic. At home you can use them to support your child by:

- ⇒ Reading through the Knowledge Organiser with your child – get them to explain it to you – 'teaching' you helps them to reinforce their learning.
- ⇒ Test them regularly on their understanding of the key vocabulary.
- ⇒ Read sections out to them, missing out key words or phrases that they have to fill in. Miss out more and more until they are word perfect.
- ⇒ Quizzing
- ⇒ Get your child to make a blank Knowledge Organiser and fill in all the gaps without looking.

### Diary Dates

**22nd January-22nd March**

After school clubs

**w/c 5th February**

Year 4/5 swimming

**12th-16th February**

Half term

**19th February**

INSET Day

**w/c 26th February**

Year 2/3 swimming

**29th March-12th April**

Easter Holidays

**15th April**

INSET Day

**16th April**

Back to school

### P.E. Days

On PE days your child needs to come to school in their PE kit. Remember if it is a bit on the chilly side, they can wear black tracksuit bottoms and their school jumper.

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Tuesday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Thursday	Friday	



This term, **Class 3** will be doing 'Wild Tribe.' Please can they bring their change of spare clothes (that you don't mind getting dirty) into school in a bag each Tuesday.

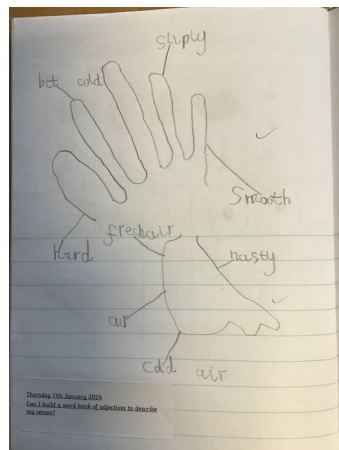
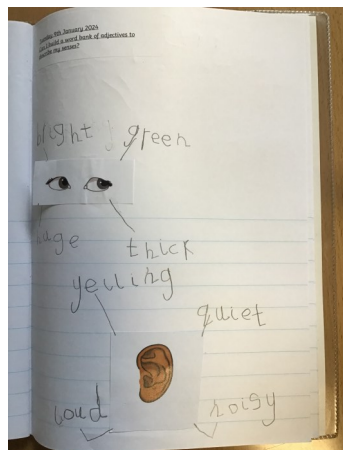
- long trousers/tracksuit bottoms/leggings (no jeans)
- a long sleeved top or a jumper
- a waterproof jacket (waterproof trousers if you have them)
- old trainers or wellies
- gloves (advisable)

After school club letters will be sent out next week.  
Clubs will run from Monday 22nd January until Friday 22nd March.

# Celebrating our learning....

## Class 1

Class 1 have had a great start to the first full week of 2024! The Pixies have been learning about 6, 7 and 8 in Maths, focussing on forming the numbers and finding the same amount in objects. In English, the whole class are learning about adjectives. The children took advantage of the dry (although cold!) weather to get outside and learn about the five senses. They then used what they had learned to build a word bank of adjectives to describe their senses.



## Class 2

It's been lovely to have our first full week back this week. With a short half term ahead, we're packing everything in with gusto! Our literacy has centered around twisted tales so far, with our writing based on #Goldilocks and our reading around Mouldysocks and the Three Bears. I'm very pleased to say that all of our hard work on times tables each week has stood us in really good stead for the work we are now doing in our multiplication and division unit of Maths. The children are flying through the unit because their times table fluency is so strong. We used the atlases in Geography this week to introduce our topic work about Europe. There were excellent examples of peer support as we looked for rivers throughout Europe.



## Class 3

This week Class 3 have been getting stuck into their new inspirational read and stimuli for writing: The Hobbit. We are several chapters in and have already begun to start thinking about how we can use the characters and situations to build some suspenseful narratives. In maths, year 6 have been finding out about ratios and their relationship to fractions, whereas year 5s have been practising multiplying fractions. In science our focus is on living things – year 5 have been dissecting and illustrating plants to find out about how flowering plants reproduce and year 6 have been learning about Carl Linnaeus and how his system for the classification of living things changed how many species are now considered. In geography we are exploring the major natural landmarks of the Americas and comparing those in North and South America. Our art lessons have progressed from using shapes to form animals to sketching animals rapidly from moving images and in PE the class have been demonstrating counter balances and tensions in gymnastics.



Keep up those good habits...

Learning spellings, number facts and times tables is so important.

Don't forget your child has a log in to TT Rockstars (Y2-Y6), Numbots (Y1) and Spelling Shed (Y2-6).

These are great programmes that we invest in as a school to support learning at home. If your child has forgotten their log in details then please email Cathy.



Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating their birthdays this month, we hope you enjoy your special day.

### January birthdays

Class 1 - Jessica, Maddison

Class 2 - Maxwell, Isaac H, Elowen,  
Freddie, Harry

Class 3 - Madison, Daniel

### Breakfast Club and Little Owls



**Reminder:** Please can you ensure any requests for wraparound care are submitted with as much notice as possible (ideally by the Friday before the week that the care is needed), to ensure that the staff have enough supplies to provide food for your child. We need a minimum of 48 hours' notice unless it is an emergency.

Wraparound care open to all on every day we are open! Mrs Plumb, Mrs Slateford and Mrs Glancy would love to see you!

Breakfast club is organised by Mrs Plumb, and this opens for all pupils from 7.45am on all days that children are in school.

Breakfast club costs £3.50 per child, and breakfast is included.

Afterschool (Little Owls) club is organised by Mrs Slateford and Mrs Glancy. Afterschool club opens from 3.20 – 5.30pm with the costs as below. All sessions include a snack.

3.20 – 4.20pm – £4. Snack served at 4pm.

4.20 – 5.30pm (after clubs) – £4. Snack served at 4.30pm.

3.20 – 5.30pm – £7. Snack served at 4pm.

To book in, please email [bookings@landulphcloud.net](mailto:bookings@landulphcloud.net) the week before the care is required.



Liz runs a tuck shop every Tuesday breacktime. It is £1 for a drink and a snack; your child will need to bring the money in with them on the day.

### Wellies & Waterproofs



Please can you send your child to school each day with NAMED wellies (they can stay in school if you have a spare pair) and a waterproof jacket. We try to get outside as often as possible even when the weather is not in our favour.

### Defibrillator (in a box)



Available for community use during school hours. Please come straight to the front entrance as it is stored in the office.



# Peter's Exciting Adventure

This week, Landulph Parish Councillor, Clare Tagg kindly came to speak with us to share an exciting adventure that a member of the Landulph community, Peter, has embarked upon. He, along with two friends, are aiming to cycle 3000km starting in Vietnam, travelling through Cambodia, Thailand and finishing in Malaysia. They have no support crew, they have to carry everything they wish to travel with. Peter is hoping to raise funds for the amazing project developing 'Landulph Orchard Green'. As a school, we are going to track Peter's journey and keep in touch with him, via Clare to find out about all of the amazing things he experiences whilst travelling through each fascinating country. The children have been encouraged to find out a little more about one, or more, of the South-East Asian countries and share their findings with us during our home learning celebrations in Friday assemblies. If you would like to sponsor Peter and his pals, and help to make the Landulph Orchard Green dream come true, please visit <https://justgiving.com/crowdfunding/peterbooth3000>. Alternatively, perhaps you might like to get involved with the hands on work, in which case, please contact one of the members of Landulph Parish Council who would love to hear from you.



Home learning grids will be sent out today.

Please send your home learning into your child's class teacher using the class email address:

[class3@landulphcloud.net](mailto:class3@landulphcloud.net)

[class2@landulphcloud.net](mailto:class2@landulphcloud.net)

[class1@landulphcloud.net](mailto:class1@landulphcloud.net)



**Big Garden  
Birdwatch**

**26-28 January 2024**

Following on from our assembly on Monday, I told the children I would share the

information with you all on how to register and get your free guide for the 'Big Garden Birdwatch.' It would be great if as many of our families as possible could get involved and take an hour out of their weekend and help the RSPB understand how UK birds are doing. <https://www.rspb.org.uk/whats-happening/big-garden-birdwatch>



## SALTASH RFC

### INVITE YOU TO COME AND TRY RUGBY!

We are looking for boys and girls of all ages

- Taggers - Age 6 (year 1) - 8
- Minis - Age 9 to 10
- Midis - Age 11 - 12
- Juniors - Age 13 - 16
- Celts - Age 16 - 18

There is something for everyone at the club and we encourage all abilities to come and have a go!

We offer 3 free taster sessions  
Come along and find out more at Moorlands Lane

\*\*DEDICATED & QUALIFIED COACHES

\*\*DBS CHECKED STAFF AND SUPPORTING ROLES

\*\*PLAYING SHIRT

\*\*TRAINING EACH WEEK

\*\*GAMES ACROSS DEVON & CORNWALL

\*\*AFTER MATCH FOOD

TEAMWORK  
RESPECT  
ENJOYMENT  
DISCIPLINE  
SPORTSMANSHIP

WHAT DO YOU GET?

RUGBY'S VALUES  
MAKE US  
WHO WE ARE

Follow us on Facebook / Saltash RFC Youth

Laura on 07532 246796 [laurawoolaway72@gmail.com](mailto:laurawoolaway72@gmail.com)

Saltash RFC, Moorlands Lane, Saltash, CORNWALL, PL12 4HJ

# spadental

## Children's Appointments!

# NHS

SpaDental South-West

**SpaDental Plymouth and SpaDental Saltash  
invite children under 12 years of age for  
NHS appointments.**

**Book an appointment today!**

Help your child keep healthy teeth for life.



To book an appointment, or for more information, please scan the QR code or visit the link:

<https://www.spadental.co.uk/for-patients/spadental-south-west-children/>

to complete the "contact us" form.

SpaDental Plymouth: Entrance rear of 2 Hyde Park Rd, Mutley, PL3 4RJ

SpaDental Saltash: 77 Fore St, Saltash, PL12 6AF

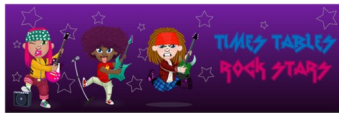
Headteacher Awards  
for demonstrating our school values

Class 1 – Maddison  
Class 2 – Holly  
Class 3 – Isabelle S



# class Cups

Class 1 - Tom  
Class 2 - Lucas  
Class 3 - AJ



Class 2 - Tommy  
Class 3 - Barney & Florence



Class 2 - Maxwell  
Class 3 - Skyla



## Formation Cape

Ruairidh



## Congratulations

To Ruby on receiving her "Most Improved Cadet" award in sailing, and to Elowen on receiving this week's PE award!

