



Landulph School Newsletter

Together in Adventure and Discovery

24th January 2025



A message from Mrs Ball...

The world's largest garden wildlife survey returns this weekend and 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 the UK bird populations are fairing.



Last year's results revealed that House Sparrow held the top spot for another year as the most commonly spotted bird, with Blue Tit riding high at number two and Starling coming in at number three. Woodpigeon and Blackbird made up the remainder of the top five most recorded species. But all species are in decline and it is so important that we help out each year so that they can track numbers and find ways to support the bird populations.

In assembly we talked about how you could take part:

- Spend 1 hour on one day during the three days in your garden or in a local green space
- Record the highest number of each bird species you see at any one time (landed not flying)
- Report your results to the RSPB

More information can be found here - <https://www.rspb.org.uk/whats-happening/big-garden-birdwatch>



If you haven't done so already, don't forget to sign up for this year's Grandparents Lunch.

Friday 14th February

11:40am

Fish Fingers & Chips

£2.65 per grandparent

Please complete this online form (<https://forms.office.com/e/n1UbS6cpb8>). You will receive confirmation once your places have been confirmed and an item will be added to pay on [Parent Pay](#) to reserve your place/s. Places are limited to 2 per family initially and are first come first served. We will hold a waiting list if we exceed the numbers and then open a second date if necessary.



Ms Hawker would like photos of any Year 3 or 4 children who have either been baptised or been to a baptism as part of their RE Learning

Diary Dates

7th February

NSPCC Number Day (details to follow)

14th February

Grandparents Lunch (11:40am-1:00pm)

W/C 17th February

Half term

24th February

INSET Day

W/C 3rd March

Daily swimming lessons (Years 3, 4 & 5)

7th March

Celebration of World Book Day (details to follow)

26th March

Year 5 Junior Life Skills (more detail to follow)

7th - 21st April

Easter Holidays

22nd April

INSET Day

26th May - 1st June

Half Term

2nd June

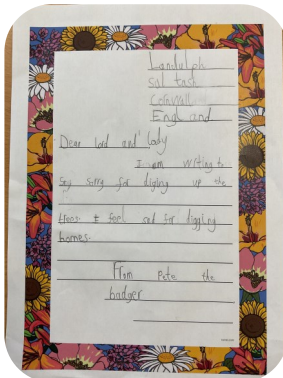
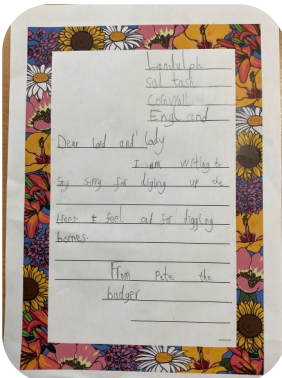
INSET Day

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Celebrating Our Learning...

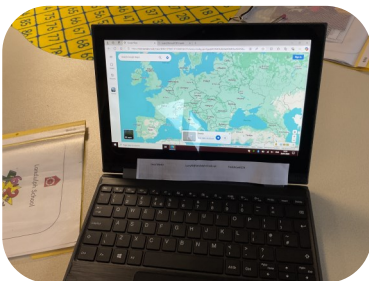
Class 1

We've hit the halfway mark and survived the 10 darkest weeks. Lots of learning is still buzzing on in Class 1. The children have written letters to Lord and Lady Landulph to say why we should not cut down our own trees. We have also been exploring numbers to 5 and 20, finding out which seas are around the UK, and working on our strength through yoga.



Class 2

This week in class 2 we have begun our new maths learning all to do with multiplying and dividing. We started by looking at groups of numbers and how many are in each group, then we moved on to looking at arrays, which are equal groups. In geography this week we used the Chromebooks to do some digital mapping. We used Google maps to find European countries and their capital cities.



Class 3

This week, Class 3 has been hard at work exploring a variety of fascinating topics! In *English*, the children delved into the *active and passive voice*, learning how to apply these effectively in their writing. By the end of the week, they had mastered *contrasting conjunctions* and put their skills into practice by crafting their own *news reports*. We have tackled the challenge of *multiplying and dividing fractions in Maths*. Alongside this, the children have been learning how to *convert mixed numbers to improper fractions*, demonstrating fantastic perseverance. Our *Science* lessons have been all about animals. We investigated *amphibian life cycles* and explored how animals are *classified* into groups. The children were eager to share their knowledge and asked excellent questions. In *Geography*, we turned our focus to the *impact of earthquakes*. Discussions centred around how communities adapt and learn to *live with the risks* posed by these natural disasters. During *PSHE*, the children reflected on the *value of products*. This led to some thoughtful conversations about how we make decisions when purchasing items and how to become more mindful consumers. The children had fun experimenting with their *Micro:bits in computing*. They learned how to trigger *multiple inputs*, which sparked lots of creativity and enthusiasm for coding. Finally, our *Art* lessons saw the children create striking *storm pictures*. Using their imaginations and artistic techniques, they produced pieces that captured the drama and power of extreme weather. A huge well done to Class 3 for another fantastic week of learning! Keep up the amazing effort!

Reminders....



Wild Tribe
Outdoor Learning

This term, **Class 3** will be doing 'Wild Tribe.' Please can they bring 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)

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 | Thursday |
| Thursday | Friday | |



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.

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.



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



Please remember to send your child in with a warm waterproof coat so we can still get outside during the colder weather.

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.



Organised by Mrs Plumb

Open from 7:45am on all days that children are in school

Breakfast included

£3.50 per child



Little Owls

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.

- ⇒ 3:20pm-4:20pm - £4. Snack served at 4pm.
- ⇒ 3:20pm-5:30pm - £7. Snack served at 4pm.
- ⇒ 4:20pm-5:30pm (after clubs) - £4. Snack served at 4:30pm.

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). We need a **minimum of 48 hours' notice** unless it is an emergency.

To book in, please email bookings@landulphcloud.net.

Friday's Celebration Assembly



Class 1 - Freddie
Class 2 - Tommy
Class 3 - Florence



Class 1 - Alfie
Class 2 - Tom
Class 3 - Eli



Evelyn



Class 2 - Alisa
Class 3 - Isaac



Class 2 - Lilly
Class 3 - Lucas



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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

Class 2 - Jess, Maxwell, Maddison, Harry
Class 3 - Madison, Isaac H, Freddie

Congratulations!

* Jack & Winnie for representing Landulph at an Aim High Maths event
* Rupert for achieving his Stage 3 Swimming Award



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

class1@landulphcloud.net
class2@landulphcloud.net
class3@landulphcloud.net



HOUSE POINTS

| Term | Week | House |
|------|------|-----------|
| 263 | 63 | Brunel |
| 192 | 67 | Tamar |
| 229 | 65 | Pentillie |
| 226 | 75 | Cotehele |



STANDARD DAY
8.30AM - 4.30PM
EXTENDED DAY
8.00AM - 6.00PM

10%
DISCOUNT FOR MEMBERS
& SERVICE FAMILIES

AGES
5-12

GALAXY EXPLORERS

HALF TERM

17TH-20TH FEBRUARY 2025

@ CHINA FLEET

Join High 5's brilliant team for **FOUR** fabulous days of sports, activity, art and fun at their **Galaxy Explorers** themed camp. Enjoy a whole host of amazing Xtra activities which are **ALL** included in the price!

**ONE SMALL STEP FOR MAN,
ONE GIANT LEAP FOR HIGH 5!**



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Ofsted www.high5sportscamps.co.uk FIND US ON...   

Cornwall Mental Health Support Team (MHST) has a new Facebook group and we are welcoming all of our schools, their parents and carers to join us so we can keep you up to date and share with you all our latest workshops and relevant information.

Please find us here: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/httpswww.cornwallft.nhs.ukchildrensmentalhea/>