



Landulph School Newsletter

Together in Adventure and Discovery

11th September 2026



A message from Mrs Ball...

We are all very much looking forward to the year ahead, with lots of exciting things planned already. Learning across the school this term will focus on...

Reowta Class – Why is our local area important for the people who live here?

Onester Class – What makes Saltash a place people want to live in and visit?

Topic overviews, knowledge organisers and home learning grids will be shared with you next week and they will also be available on our school website.

We would love to welcome you all to school next week on Tuesday 15th September....

To celebrate **National Week of Code** we are inviting you all to come and take part in some computer coding activities with your children.



Reowta – 2pm - 2.30pm

Onester – 2.30pm – 3pm



3.30pm – **Meet the teacher session 1:** Visit your child's classroom and find out about their learning for the term ahead, home learning, reading for pleasure and weekly routines.

4pm – **Meet the teacher session 2:** The same session repeated for those parents who have children in different classes or if you unable to make the first slot.



Let's start the year as we plan to go on by building those good habits of regularly practising their spellings, number facts, times tables and daily reading.



Foundation & Year 1 children - NumBots is all about every child achieving the "triple win" of understanding, recall and fluency in mental addition and subtraction, so that they move from counting to calculating.



Year 2 – Year 6 children - Times Table Rock Stars is a fun and challenging programme designed to help the children master their times tables! Speed AND accuracy are important — the more facts your child remembers, the easier it is for them to do harder calculations.



Year 2 – Year 6 children - It is a fun and interactive program that helps children develop strong spelling skills, they can practise at home by playing the fun spelling games whilst learning their weekly spellings!

Thank you for your support in making reading part of your child's daily routine. This could include your child reading to you, sharing a book together, or you reading aloud to them. Regular reading helps to develop confidence, fluency, vocabulary and a lifelong love of books. Please can you record any reading completed in their Reading Record.

Your child's log in details are on their book bags or in their reading record? Any problems, please contact Carolyn in the office.



Upcoming Diary

Tuesday 15th September – Coding and Meet the Teacher

Thursday 15th October – Harvest Festival at Landulph Church 2pm

Friday 16th October – Wind Quintet performance (supported by Landulph Festival Committee)



Give your child the opportunity to discover a lifelong love of music! Learning a musical instrument offers many cognitive, physical and emotional benefits, helping children to develop confidence, concentration, creativity and resilience.

Does your child fancy learning to play the keyboard or guitar? Mr Jane currently has some spaces available. We are also delighted that Mrs Butlin is offering flute lessons for pupils who would like to learn this wonderful instrument. They are keen to inspire the next generation of musicians through fun and engaging lessons.

If your child is interested in taking lessons, please contact Carolyn for further information.

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Welcome to Reowta class!

We have had a lot to do in the last week and a half, and it has to be said, the children have been wonderful! They have all settled surprisingly well while we are still finding our feet with new routines and learning. It has also been touching to see how brilliantly the children have been at welcoming our new EYFS children. Our topic this term is all about our local area, so Years 2 and 3 have spent a geography lesson developing their digital mapping skills by looking up Landulph and Cargreen and using the aerial maps to follow a route. In maths, we are all learning about place value this term; Year 1 are working on numbers to 10, Year 2 are looking at numbers to 100, and Year 3 have numbers to 1,000! Our English text this term is called *The River* by Tom Percival and we will all be writing the story from the character's perspective over the next few weeks. The reading records are looking quite bare at the moment, so can we please remind you about the importance of regular reading, and recording it in reading records please! Also, children all have spelling shed and TTRS or Numbots logins on their reading folders; this is so you can access them for homework please...Numbots for year 1 and TTRS for years 2 and 3.



Welcome to Onester Class!

This week in Class Onester, we have been getting stuck into our new learning across the curriculum. In English, we have continued exploring *Malamander*, using clues from the text to make inferences about characters and developing atmospheric setting descriptions. In maths, we have been partitioning increasingly large numbers and applying our understanding when calculating with decimals. Our science work has focused on the thermal properties of different materials, thinking carefully about which are good conductors and insulators. In geography, the children have been researching and producing reports about a range of landmarks in and around Saltash, helping us to build a better understanding of our local area. We have also made a lively start to our PE units, learning the basics of Tchoukball and taking part in team-building challenges that required plenty of communication, cooperation and strategic thinking.



School admissions



If your child was born between 1st September 2022 and 31st August 2023, it is time to apply for a foundation place. For those with children currently in Year 6, it's time to select your preferred secondary school. Please check individual open days for each school.

The key deadlines to remember

Secondary school applications: 31st October 2026

Foundation class applications: 15th January 2027

We are all incredibly proud of our school, so if you know anyone whose child is due to start school or maybe is looking for a change in school, we would encourage them to come and visit our school and see us in action.

Reminders....



Reowta Class – remember it is 'Wild Tribe' on Monday each week.

Please can they bring spare clothes (that you don't mind getting dirty) into school in a bag on a Monday.

- 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)

P.E. Days

Reowta – Friday Onester – Tuesday & Thursday

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.



As a school we purchase licences for TTRS and Spelling Shed to support the children with vital aspects of their learning. Each week when we look at engagement levels, there are the consistent few who have excellent stats, but there are far too many who do not engage at all.

Practising and learning spelling patterns are crucial for building the foundations for reading fluency, vocabulary development and comprehension. It also reduces the cognitive load for writing composition.

It is a similar message for practising and learning times tables. Building those secure foundations enable the children to access more challenging aspects of maths, boosts mental arithmetic and confidence in problem-solving.

Please can you support your child to access this aspect of their home learning each week.

If you do not have your log in for Spelling Shed or TT Rockstars (Y1-Y6) please let the office know and they will send it to you.



Calling all budding musicians!! Our instrumental teacher, Mr Jane, will have spaces for new students from September wishing to learn piano, keyboard, guitar or violin. Music is a gift that can last a lifetime and can benefit children in ways beyond learning the instrument itself, for example boosting self-esteem and confidence. Lessons are always fun and relaxed and students will have the option to work towards music grades.

If you would like your child to take advantage of these amazing lessons, please contact Mr Jane directly on the following email address djkeyboards1@btinternet.com.



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.



Organised by Mrs Plumb

Open from **7:45am** every school day

Breakfast included (please note that breakfast is served until 8:15am)
£3.50 per child



Little Owls

Organised by Mrs Glancy and Miss Pease

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.

Any requests for wraparound care need to be submitted a minimum of 48 hours' notice unless it is an emergency.

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

Friday's Celebration Assembly



Reowta Class – Max
Onester Class – Lucy



Reowta Class – Jack
Onester Class – Tom



Archie



Reowta Class – Rosie
Onester Class – Isaac F.



Roweta Class – Arlo
Onester Class – Jessica

HAPPY
BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating their birthdays in **September**, we hope you enjoy your special day!

Alyssa

CONGRATULATIONS



To Layla for getting her trampolining Level 2



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

Reowta@landulphcloud.net
Onester@landulphcloud.net

Community News and Advertisements

Giant Vegetable

Competition & Show

Saturday 19th September

11am until 4pm



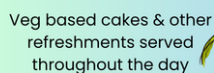
email: hort@kehellandtrust.org.uk
for an entry form

Loads of categories for all types of grower, young & old! Size before Beauty at this fun show. Seeing is believing!

Judge: Giant Veg World Record Holder David Thomas!



Kehelland Trust



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We're
expanding...



We are absolutely thrilled to announce that we will be opening
a brand-new learning hub in Saltash!

If you're near the Saltash area, we would love for you to come visit us and discover some truly amazing courses. We are incredibly excited to be teaming up with @SaltashStudios to bring fresh learning opportunities!

OCSW is an adult education service for the City of Plymouth and the surrounding area. Our mission is to provide a diverse range of learning and development opportunities to improve the lives of our learners.



New Location: Saltash Studios, Cornwall





Thinking about year 7?

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Open evening
Welcome talk from the Headteacher
at 5:00pm, 6:00pm and 7:00pm, followed by
open or guided tours of the school.



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www.saltash.net

Saltash Community School's 'TEAM' values run through everything we do. We might be the right choice for you and your child if you...



...believe a school's job is to nurture and support young people to achieve, teaching the importance of tenacity so that everyone can 'make it possible.'



...support high standards of behaviour and conduct, in a safe and calm environment, where students are taught empathy and to 'look after each other.'



...want an exciting curriculum, taught by inspiring teachers, that helps students to take charge of their future and have the aspiration to 'be the best they can be.'



...want enrichment opportunities as a standard part of the curriculum, so that all pupils succeed and feel motivated to make 'every moment matter.'