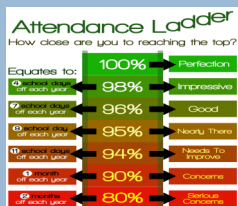


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Expected average attendance for a child is 96.1%. Our attendance for last week was:

Carne: 100% Pendower: 95% Kiberick: 96.15%

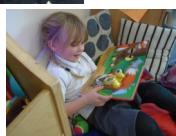
Congratulations **Carne** you are our attendance heroes this week.

WOW 100%!!!



What's been going on?

Pendower class built some Tudor houses using all sorts of junk modelling materials. We had some fantastic interpretations and observations of the structures.



Carne—we have enjoyed lots of shared stories, reading opportunities and snuggling up under Billy the Bookworm's den.

Ask your children about Billy!



Kiberick have built stone age houses using clay and hay. Some of the children added their own natural touches to their structures and we even had villages and Stonehenge!

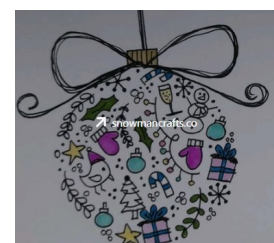
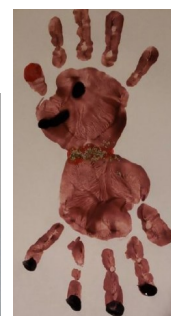
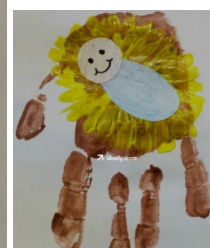


Deadline for Christmas card design fundraising activity is **October 31st**.

Please ask at the office if you need another sheet.

You can hand in your designs to the school office whenever they are ready.

Stuck for ideas? Here are some pictures below to help inspire you—we're sure Veryan children can produce some amazing pictures for gifts and cards this year!





Carne class: Ellie for demonstrating independence and resilience.

Pendower class: Ruby for working hard throughout her learning and being a wonderful friend.

Kiberick class: Rose for always being a joy to have in class. Rose is always enthusiastic; goes the extra mile to support learning and has a great sense of fun.

We will be taking part in this year's Truro Prime-stock Show and Mrs Warburton has kindly offered to help in school with some of the craft activities. To complete some of these we need a supply of toilet roll tubes, 1litre plastic bottles and empty drinks cartons (max 1ltr)

If you have any of these, and are happy to donate them to school, please hand them into the school office from now until mid November.



Veryan - Thank you to everyone who has helped to support the school's chosen charities over the past couple of weeks, we raised £68.84 for Macmillan Cancer Support from the Year 6 cake sale and coffee morning and a further £126.10 for the Farming Community Network from the Harvest hamper silent auction, cake sales and dressing as a farmer for the day!

Your generosity and support is much appreciated and we are very grateful for the effort from all our families and community that get involved to help and support these events. We think it demonstrates our ethos of caring for one another and sets a great example to our children of the importance of helping others. We're proud to be part of a school that can give back to our wider community.

We have been advised of new cases of threadworm in school, please be aware of the symptoms and look out for these in your child and follow the guidelines for treatments etc as described below. More information can be found at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/threadworms/> where you can also see an image of what threadworms look like. Children with threadworms do not need to stay off school but should be encouraged to wash their hands regularly. **Threadworms (pinworms) are tiny worms in your poo. They're common in children and spread easily. You can treat them without seeing your GP.**

- You can spot worms in your poo. They look like pieces of white thread.
- You might also see them around your child's bottom (anus). The worms usually come out at night while your child is sleeping.

Other symptoms can include:

- extreme itching around the anus or vagina, particularly at night
- irritability and waking up during the night

Less common signs of worms include:

- weight loss
- wetting the bed (more day time accidents for younger but toilet trained children)
- irritated skin around the anus

Treatment

You can buy a chewable tablet or liquid from the pharmacist to treat threadworms and should treat the whole family.
(See overleaf for Do's and Don't's to help prevent threadworms)

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Do

- ✓ wash hands and scrub under fingernails – particularly before eating, after using the toilet or changing nappies
- ✓ encourage children to wash hands regularly
- ✓ bathe or shower every morning
- ✓ rinse toothbrushes before using them
- ✓ keep fingernails short
- ✓ wash sleepwear, sheets, towels and soft toys (at normal temperature)
- ✓ disinfect kitchen and bathroom surfaces
- ✓ vacuum and dust with a damp cloth
- ✓ make sure children wear underwear at night – change it in the morning

Don't

- ✗ do not shake clothing or bedding, to prevent eggs landing on other surfaces
- ✗ do not share towels or flannels
- ✗ do not bite nails or suck thumbs and fingers



Due to the school inset day and food deliveries, the Tuesday 29th menu choices and Thursday 31st choices will be swapped over. Please make your child's choices accordingly on Parentpay. Thank you for your understanding.

Friday Golden Time Club

This week we will hold a disco in school during our Golden Time Club.

Please remember any money you might like to bring for refreshments/tuck in a labelled purse/wallet.

Thanks from the Year 6s

Autumn term - diary dates

Friday 11th October

- Open the Book in Collective Worship

Monday 14th October

- Bikeability—Year 6. Don't forget your bikes/helmets and riding gear.
- Veryan bowling year 5—remember your slippers!

Thursday 17th October

- Bikeability—Year 6 Level 2

Friday 18th October

- End of term, 3:15pm finish

Monday 28th October

- Inset day—school closed

Tuesday 29th October

- Term begins
- Swimming resumes

Wednesday 30th October

- Kiberick class visit from Mrs Renshaw for an introduction to the Climate Earth Service to be held at Truro Cathedral. (Information to follow)

Thursday 31st October

- Year 1 hearing screening—consent booklets and information sent home.

Monday 4th November

- School office unmanned from 12.00 noon
- Parent-Teacher consultation evening 3.30pm-6.30pm (text to come home when booking available on system)
- Veryan bowling year 5&6—remember your slippers!

Thursday 7th November

- Reception and Year 6 heights and weights measurements (Opt out booklets and information sent home)
- Parent forum 2.30-3.10pm
- Parent-Teacher consultation evening 3.30pm-6.30pm (text to come home when booking available on system)

Friday 8th November

- Remembrance Service

Friday 15th November

- Tempest individual photos (pre-school siblings welcome from 8.30am)

Dates and times are added and altered throughout the term so keep an eye on this section for more events and dates!

Parent Forum-Thursday 7th November 2.30pm in Kiberick 2.

As always the agenda for these meetings is led by you; if you have anything that you would like to discuss in the parent forum please write a note to hand in to the school office or email your suggestions to: veryan.secretary@celticcross.education by **Friday 1st November.**

Reminder: Parent-Teacher consultations are available to discuss specific children/concerns. Parent forum is for whole school/class issues.

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